



## Ruth Janett Covington

October 6, 1932 - July 2, 2024

Ruth Janett Covington, 91, of Laurel, shook off the ties that bound her to this life July 2, 2024 at South Central Regional Medical Center. She was born October 6, 1932 in Laurel where she was a lifelong resident. She was affectionally known by her family as “Sister.”

She was preceded in death by her parents, C. Keith and Ethel Windham Covington, brothers Keith Covington Jr. and Rev. Eugene Covington; sisters, Charlotte Flynt and Evelyn Ryals. She is survived by a host of nephews and nieces.

She graduated from George S. Gardiner High School and immediately started to work. Her first job was with Harley Davidson of Laurel. She was a long-time office manager for AMF Tuboscope and secretary at Kingston Methodist Church. Her life revolved around church and family.

Pallbearers will be Kenny Mann, Jacob Rayner, Ray Cooksey, Joe Nash, Tim Roney, and Josh Davis.

Visitation will be from 1:00 - 2:00 Saturday, July 6, 2024 at Memory Chapel Funeral Home of Laurel, MS. The funeral service will be Saturday at 2:00 p.m. with burial at Hickory Grove Cemetery in Laurel, MS. Rev. Mark Covington and Rev. Mark Anderson will officiate. Memory Chapel is in charge of

arrangements.

To sign the online guest book, visit: [www.memorychapellaurel.com](http://www.memorychapellaurel.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Hickory Grove Cemetery

Intersection of 15th Street and Old Bay  
Springs Rd  
Laurel, MS 39440

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home  
3100 Audubon Drive  
P. O. Box 674  
Laurel, MS 39440  
(601) 428-5235  
memorychapel@comcast.net  
<https://www.memorychapellaurel.com/>

## Service

JUL 6. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for family and friends during this time.

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**Amy Bush Williams** - July 04, 2024 at 04:19 PM

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“ It was really wonderful getting to know Miss Ruth the past year or so. I enjoyed us sitting on my sister Robin's front porch along with Gin and my mom hearing stories of Miss Ruth. Will see you when I get to heaven. So happy for you that you are finally home with your family! Sherry



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**Sherry Hearn** - July 04, 2024 at 01:57 PM

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“ I was privileged to know Ruth and her younger sister as we journeyed our work life. Ruth was a very sweet, kind and courageous lady! Prayers for her nieces, nephews and all who loved her!

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**Sarah Entrekin** - July 04, 2024 at 10:55 AM