



Shirley Duke Waldrop

March 30, 1935 - March 28, 2018

Mrs. Shirley Duke Waldrop went home to be with her Lord on March 28, 2018. She passed in Ellisville, MS at the age of 82.

Shirley Duke Waldrop was born on March 30, 1935 in Laurel. She resided in Laurel and Jackson. She was a friend to all. She had a passion for God and his word. She raised 6 children and 2 grandchildren. She was the type of person who never had enemy's. She would welcome anyone who needed help. She was an avid pet lover and raised more than we can count. None of them were ever turned away. She was one of a kind. She was a saint in our eyes. She never judged anyone. She believed that all people were good no matter who they were. She was a long-time member of the First Baptist Church of Sharon in Laurel. She dedicated her life to the church until the day she was no longer able. She graduated from Gardiner High School and was a cheerleader. She was voted Ms. Laurel in 1954 and Ms. Jubilee in 1957. She was preceded in death by her parents, Griffin Duke and Lillie Hosey Duke; husband, Roger Waldrop; daughters, Lisa Parker and Nan Holifield; sons, Roger "Bubba" Waldrop, Jr. and Jeff Waldrop; and great granddaughter, Rachel Holifield.

Survivors include her son, Jody Waldrop (Cecile) of Laurel; daughter, Paula Crofford (Anthony) of Flowood; 16 grandchildren, Miller Land, Reed Land, Melina Dibble, B. J. Heniques, Lacey Waldrop, Misty Waldrop, Elise Waldrop, Addison Waldrop, Fallon Sandifer, Jessica Mullins, Dillon Boleware, Sam Waldrop, Molly Waldrop, LeCoy Parker, Hunter Crofford, and Julianna

Crofford; five great grandchildren, Brennon Sandifer, Jasper Moffett, Jax Dibble, Payton Mullins, and Nolan Land; and brother, George Duke (Debbie) of Soso.

Her mission in life was to follow the Lord and take wonderful care of her husband, children, animals and anyone else who needed help.

Her funeral is scheduled for Saturday, April 7, 2018 at the First Baptist Church of Sharon. Visitation is at the church at 10am. Services at 12pm. Graveside services following at Sharon Cemetery. Reverends Scott Stringer and Matt Olsen will officiate the ceremony. All are welcome to attend and celebrate the life of this lovely woman.

The family would like to thank Deaconess Hospice and O'Sullivan's Personal care. Her care takers and nurses were the best anyone can ask for. May God bless these ladies and their selfless care.

In lieu of flowers she asks for donations to your local "NO KILL ANIMAL SHELTER" Preferably C.A.R.A. of Clinton Ms.

To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Cemetery Details

Sharon Cemetery

4375 Sharon Road
Laurel, MS 39443

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Sharon
4375 Sharon Road
Laurel, MS 39443

Service

APR 7. 12:00 PM (CT)


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“ I remember when Shirley came to visit us in DeRidder Louisana in her brand new 57 Ford after winning the beauty contest in Laurel, Ms. She was always so sweet and was nice to everyone she met. Our daughters were really fond of her, especially when they were in the store there in Sharon. She was such a beautiful person and I will miss her. Her mother, Aunt Sister, was my mother's sister. Rest in peace, Shirley.

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Shirley Duke Waldrop



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