



## Sylvia Ray

January 25, 1930 - January 12, 2013

Sylvia Grace Zbylot Ray age 82 passed away Saturday, January 12, 2013 at her home from a lengthy illness. Graveside services will be held at 2: pm Wednesday Jan. 16, at Hopewell Cemetery in Jasper County. Rev Denny Patterson will officiate. Grace was born January 25, 1930 in a SoSo Miss. She graduated from The University of Southern Mississippi and taught third grade at Sylvia Bay Academy in Bay Springs until she retired. She loved her pets Abby and Misty. She was preceded in death by her husband's Edward a Zbylot and James A Ray. Father and Mother Odis B. Jones and Gladys Welborn Jones. She is survived by her daughter Sheree Dawn Zbylot of Laurel. Brother Jerry H. Jones and his wife Voncille of Laurel. Step daughters Becky Ray of Salem, Oregon, Jackie Wells of Newbury Park Calif. Nephew Matthew B. Jones and his wife Kaye of Laurel and Niece Dena Jones Howell and husband John B. of Mobile, AL. The Family would like thank her caregivers Linda Pickering and Teresa Knight. Memory Chapel is in charge of the arrangement.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Grace came back into Dad's life and gave him many years of love and companionship and for that I thank her.  
Rest in peace Grace.

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**Becky Ray** - January 15, 2013 at 03:21 PM

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“ Grace was an unforgettable woman of unique character and charm. I often spent time chatting with her about things from southern recipes to life's mysteries. She will be missed.

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**Jackie Ray Wells & Marv Wells** - January 14, 2013 at 11:42 PM

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“ Sheree and Jerry. We are so sorry to hear about Grace. I wish I could be there with you Wednesday but there isn't any way I can make it. I will be thinking about you and will keep you in my prayers.  
Love, Lynn

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**Lynn Jones Dear** - January 13, 2013 at 03:05 PM