



## Woodrow Wilson Welborn

October 11, 1912 - June 24, 2016

Woodrow Wilson Welborn, age 103, died on June 24, 2016, at Guardian Angel Personal Care home in Laurel.

Visitation will be held at 1:30 p.m. Sunday, June 26, 2016, at Memory Chapel with services following at 3:30 p.m. Burial will be at Sharon Cemetery. Rev. Joe Watson and Rev. Randy McLeod will officiate.

Mr. Welborn was a farmer, affiliated with the forestry industry, and a member of Sharon Missionary Baptist Church. He was an inventor, held ten patents, and is noted for inventing the Roto-finger Pea and Bean Sheller. He received his 65 year pin from the Mason and was a member of the Beckenridge Lodge in Sandersville. Mr. Welborn worked for his community and also served as trustee for Sharon School. He retired at the age of 88.

Preceding him in death were his first wife, Vema W. Welborn; parents, Melvin Greene Welborn and Dora Geiger Welborn; brothers, Carl Welborn and Howard Welborn; and sisters, Mamie Green, Edna Pippen, Jewel White, and Chattie Brownlee.

Survivors include his wife, Julia Welborn of the Sharon Community; two sons, Larry Welborn (Janice) and Joe Watson (Patricia) all of the Sharon Community; daughter, Marianna Albritton (Allen) of Greene County;

grandchildren, Jay Welborn, Anna Harrison, Matt Albritton, Ben Albritton, Joseph Watson, and Sarah Watson; eight great grandchildren; and a host of nieces and nephews.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Sharon Cemetery

4375 Sharon Road  
Laurel, MS 39443

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUN 26.** 1:30 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

**JUN 26.** 3:30 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/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Prayers for the family:*

---

**TC & Laurie Myrick** - June 25, 2016 at 07:33 AM