



## Mrs. Dorothy Olean Currie Waits-Mewbourn

September 18, 1934 - December 10, 2025

Dorothy Olean Currie Waits-Mewbourn, age 91, went to be with her Lord and Savior on December 10, 2025. She passed away peacefully at her home of 70 years surrounded by her loving family. Olean was born September 19, 1934, in Cleburne County to J.C. and Mattie Currie.

Olean graduated from Randolph County High School. She married Alan "Doyce" Waits in 1954 and shared 50 wonderful years together until his passing in 2004. Olean remarried in 2008 to Louis Mewbourn of Decatur, AL.

A devoted wife, precious mother, grandmother and great grand- mother is an understatement. She is survived by her husband, Louis Mewbourn, three children: Sandra (Marty) Carter, Brian (Paula) Waits, and Steven (Kala) Waits, her grandchildren, who were the light of her life: Katelyn, Tara, Seth, Auburn, Jordan, Jared, and Carlee, ten great-grandchildren, one sister Mary Estes, and her extended Mewbourn family, Vanessa (Dave) Kiel, Terry Mewbourn, and Nick Mewbourn. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Alan Waits, and a brother, Doyle Currie.

Olean loved flowers, cooking and baking. Her biscuits, cakes and potato salad is famous amongst family and friends. There was never a holiday that she didn't welcome Oxford's EMS and Police to come eat a holiday meal. She was a faithful member of Edgewood CMC and loved her Lord Jesus Christ. Senior

Church trips and Gaither Gospel music were favorites of hers.

A celebration of life will be held on Friday, December 12, 2025, at Edgewood Church, 2700 Brighton Ave, Anniston, AL. Burial will be at Forestlawn Gardens, Anniston, AL. Visitation will be from 12 pm to 1 pm prior to the service.

Pallbearers will be Chris Bruce, Randy Huckaby, Jordan Ramey, Hunter Scott, Jared Waits and Seth Waits.

The family would like to thank especially Jennifer, Latonya and Renee of Enhabit Home Health and Hospice and Oxford Healthcare Authority for the professional, compassionate and dedicated care given to our sweet mom.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be given to Edgewood Church Senior Adult Ministry.

# Cemetery Details

## Forestlawn Memorial Gardens

730 Golden Springs Rd  
Anniston, AL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 12. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Edgewood Congregational Methodist Church  
2700 Brighton Ave  
Anniston, AL 36207

## Celebration of Life

DEC 12. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

JR

“ June Land Reaves lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Olean Currie Waits-Mewbourn



June Land Reaves - December 16, 2025 at 04:48 PM

JR

A precious lady. I also love her family! Prayers are going up>

June Land Reaves - December 16, 2025 at 04:50 PM



“ Aunt Olean was a sweet and precious soul! She always spoke to me with a soft and gentle voice. I have such fond memories of her and Uncle Doyce, my mother's brother, and all our relatives at our family reunion every summer at Paw Paw and Maw Maw Waits' farm. I wish that I could have attended the visitation and funeral but our thoughts and prayers are with Sandra, Brian, Steven, family and friends as they morn their loss and celebrate the life of Aunt Olean...

All our love,  
Mike & Sharon

Mike Craft - December 12, 2025 at 02:50 PM



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**Miller Funeral Home** - December 11, 2025 at 04:10 PM



“ *My parent's were close friends of the Wait's. I remember what a sweet and gentle spirit Mrs. Waits had. She was the real deal. Thanks be to God for her life well lived.*  
*Lori Turner McMahan*

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**Lori Turner McMahan** - December 11, 2025 at 02:10 PM