



Mrs. Mary Tom 'Granny' Purdy

January 2, 1926 - September 4, 2021

A funeral service for Mrs. Mary Tom 'Granny' Purdy, 95 of Oxford, will be on Monday, September 6, 2021, at 3:00 pm in the Toby Miller Chapel at Miller Funeral Home with Rev. Gary Rivers and Trull Hill officiating. A burial will follow the service at Trinity Baptist Church Cemetery with great-grandson Draven Campbell officiating. The family will receive friends in the same day from 2:00 pm until the time of the service.

Mrs. Purdy passed away on Saturday, September 4, 2021, at her home surrounded by her family.

She is survived by her daughters, Faye Baughn (Clarence), Judy Payton (Kenneth), Perry Heath (David); son, Tracy Purdy (Karen); grandchildren, Lanita Coffman, Melissa Simpson, Amanda Hyde (Roger), Wendy Sprayberry (Rodney), Lee Baughn (Shirley), Brent Blackwood (Barbara), Justin Campbell (Tammy), Jeff Campbell (Donna), Tim Rhodes (Tammy), Craig Rhodes (Michelle), Alyssa Klopfenstein (Collin); 27 great grandchildren, and 24 great-great grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her husband, James 'Pop' Purdy; parents, Joseph and Nettie Cleckler; daughters, Gwen Simpson and Linda 'Lala' Terrell, and a grandson, David Simpson.

Pallbearers will be grandsons Lee Baughn, Brent Blackwood, Justin Campbell, Jeff Campbell, Tim Rhodes, and Craig Rhodes.

Mrs. Purdy was a member of Meadowbrook Baptist Church in Oxford and was a teacher of the Ellen Ford Sunday School Class for many years. She was loved by those who learned so much from her knowledge of the Bible.

She was greatly loved by family, and they will miss her witnessing to them each Christmas and Easter by sharing the birth, death, and resurrection of Christ.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Meadowbrook Baptist Church Building Fund.

Cemetery Details

Trinity Baptist Church Cemetery

1500 Airport Rd
Oxford, AL 36203

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 6. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Miller Funeral Home
50 Hamric Drive East
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Service

SEP 6. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Such sweet memories of a precious lady. We were newly weds and joined Trinity Baptist Church and met Linda and Perry and we became fast friends. Our husbands played on the church softball team and Linda would call and tell us her dad had set a trot line so FISH FRY at the Purdy's!. Mrs. Purdy loved on us, cooked amazing food and made us feel so welcome. If there are still pink day lilies in her yard she offered to keep them for me til we got back from Alaska which was in 1978. Such a gracious lady. Praying God's peace as each of you walk this journey.*

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“ *I remember many times sitting around the table in the kitchen and talking about just about everything!! Always felt like I was one of the grandkids, too!*

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