



Watie Rowe Davis

March 31, 1932 - February 21, 2026

The daughter of Garland and Elberta Rowe was born 3-31-1932, and departed this life at the age of 93 to be present with the Lord Jesus Christ on 2-21-2026. She was a devoted Christian and spoke openly about her faith to anyone who would listen. She was a devout member of the Church of Christ/Christian church. Born In Buchanan County VA where she spent most of her life. She was well known and loved by anyone who met her. She spent her later years in Heflin Alabama near her daughter and grandchildren. She was a loving mother, grandmother, great grandmother, and aunt (even though she was more like a mother to them). As a widow at a very young age, Watie faced the challenges of being a single mother without complaint and with unmatched dedication to family. She was a very talented cake decorator and spent much of her working career making magnificently decorated cakes for the community at the local grocery in Grundy. She was well known for her sharp wit and keen mind which she held on to all

her life. Her amazing memory was only surpassed by her love for her Lord and others which she demonstrated every time she met anyone. Her absence leaves a space that cannot be filled.

In addition to her parents, she is reunited in death with her husband Earl Davis, and daughter Barbara Yagle who preceded her. She was also preceded in death by her brothers Covin Rowe, Raymond Rowe and babies Jacob and Esau Rowe. Her sisters Elza Shortridge, Edna Horn, Alta Vandyke, and baby Norma Rowe also preceded her in death.

Left to treasure her memory is her son Dewey Davis who cared for her in the home for last few years. Her grandchildren Billy Elswick (Wife Amber), Chad Elswick (Wife Kerri), and great grandchild Maddie Elswick. Several nieces and nephews as well as great nieces and nephews also are left to mourn her passing.

Truly her life is depicted in the scripture: 2 Timothy 4:7: "I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith"

A celebration of life will come at a later date.

Tribute Wall

GF

“ This so heartbreaking such an amazing lady. She taught me a lot in the bakery at food city making cakes and cupcakes sharing memories and laughing having a good time as we worked. I also read that her daughter Barbara was gone she spoke of her often. I have missed Waitie over the years she will always be in my heart and memories.

Gloria Fuller - April 12 at 11:14 PM



“ 121 files added to the album LifeTributes



Miller Funeral Home - April 01 at 01:02 PM

BE

“ Ms. Watie was our propane customer for many years. We want to extend our deepest condolences to Dewey & her family during this time. Though she is gone from us, she is present with Jesus (as Dewey was reminded). Sincerely, Bernice, CCR/United Propane Gas-ALGA in Ranburne, AL.



Bernice - March 04 at 02:58 PM

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“ Terri Hurt lit a candle in memory of Watie Rowe Davis



Terri Hurt - February 27 at 07:36 AM

LB

“ I worked with Watie at Food City in Grundy and she was like a mother looking out for me...she was the sweetest most precious friend 💞.....I love her dearly and she will be missed....she was such a joy to be around....I'm so sorry for your loss and will be praying for you all 🙏❤️

Linda Bandy - February 26 at 03:47 PM

AR

“ Arlene Bowers RN lit a candle in memory of Watie Rowe Davis



Arlene Bowers RN - February 26 at 10:50 AM

CT

“ Charlotte Thomas lit a candle in memory of Watie Rowe Davis



Charlotte Thomas - February 25 at 07:12 PM