



Mrs. Betty Clanton York

July 27, 1924 - January 3, 2018

Mrs. Betty Clanton York died, Wednesday, January 3, 2018 at Wynfield Park. A graveside service will be held for Mrs. York on Wednesday, January 10, 2018 at 2 PM at Floral Memory Gardens.

Mrs. York was born in Quitman, GA on July 27, 1924, and moved to Albany when she was 3 years old. During WWII, Mrs. York helped support our troops by working in the Macon Naval Ordnance Plant in Macon, GA which was known as “Reynolds Corp” and “The Fuse Plant” where bomb fuses were assembled along with detonators and trackers. Mrs. York was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church. She was also a member of the Retired Army Officers Association. Mrs. York had many hobbies which included: fishing the flats; bowling, where she was a director in the Albany Women’s Bowling Association and inducted into the Albany Women’s Bowling Hall of Fame; clogging, where she was a member of the Cut-N-Loose Cloggers; she loved singing southern gospel music and the Singing at Sea Cruises. She also loved 3 Squares Diner on 19 in Lee County, where her famous order was known as “The Betty Special.”

Mrs. York was preceded in death by: her parents, Leslie and Ora Lee Clanton; her first husband, Homer Huff; her second husband, James York; and her sister, Eva Ruth Creighton.

Mrs. York is survived by: her son, Robert Leslie Huff (Jena) of Albany; her daughter, Carol Huff of Albany; her brother, Buddy Clanton (Mary) of Lee County; her sister, Annie Lee Harvey of Sylvester, and her beloved dog Sadie.

To share a memory with Mrs. York's family or to sign our online guestbook please visit www.kimbrellstern.com.

Cemetery Details

Floral Memory Gardens

Albany, GA 31702

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JAN 10. 2:00 PM (ET)

Floral Memory Gardens
120 Old Pretoria Rd
Albany, GA 31707

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Betty Clanton York*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ *Mrs. Betty Clanton York*

May 22, 2023 at 01:29 AM



“ *Mrs. Betty Clanton York*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Carol, I just saw this! I am sorry about your loss, but she is Heaven's gain! I can not remember the first time I met her, but it was many, many years ago now, in 1961 when Daddy and Mama first came to Trinity to serve God there. Betty was one of those people who just had a way of making them feel so much at home and welcome there. She also made them feel the same way when they went into her home. Betty was a special kind of person and it took me a while to learn her, but once I did, I really loved her. Just know that I love you and would love to see you. Take care and God bless you in a mighty way because you have done all a daughter could ever do to help take care of your mother. Colleen Owens*

Colleen Owens - February 06, 2018 at 08:41 AM

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“ Carol, just learned last night that your mother passed away last week; I am so sorry. I met Betty several years ago in the cafeteria at Palmyra Hospital. I have a lot of good memories of her and the little group that ate together there nearly every day. Betty was a sweet lady and I'm thankful that I had the privilege of knowing her and you. You are in my prayers.
Annette Mitchell

Annette Mitchell - January 11, 2018 at 12:42 PM

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“ What a long beautiful life! Ms. Betty has really touched a great many lives. We remember with great fondness her dancing with the Cut-N-Loose cloggers. She will be missed by many many people. We love her and you Carol. God has really blessed you and all of us that knew her.
Terry and Becky West

Becky & Terry West - January 10, 2018 at 08:06 AM