



## Birdie C. Long Obituary

January 23, 1925 - September 14, 2006

Mrs. Birdie C. Long, 81, of Lee County, died Thursday, September 14, 2006 at Sumter Regional Hospital in Americus. The funeral service will be held at 2:30 PM Sunday, September 17, 2006 at First Baptist Church of Leesburg with interment to follow in the Leesburg Cemetery. Rev. Bobby Harrell and Rev. John Bagwell will officiate. A native of Ware County, Mrs. Long was born in the Bickley Community to Willie "Good" and Eva Carter. She attended the Ware County Schools and graduated from Wacona High School in Ware County. After high school, she attended Georgia State College for Women in Milledgeville where she received a B. S. in Home Economics and Elementary Education. Mrs. Long taught in the Lee County School System for 19 years. She taught at Smithville Elementary, Lee County Elementary, and at Lee County High School where she taught Home Economics. Mrs. Long also served for seven years on the Lee County Board of Education. She was an active worker and teacher in both Smithville Baptist Church and First Baptist Church of Leesburg. Mrs. Long worked with children, youth and adults. She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur C. "Pete" Long. Mrs. Long is survived by her son, Chappell Long, Jr. and his wife Jane of Metter; a daughter, Belinda Long Clark and her husband Arthur of Leesburg; four grandchildren: Jennifer Price and her husband Derek, Stephanie Long, Lynette Long, and Rebecca Clark; a brother, Felton Carter and his wife Mardelle of Bickley; a brother-in-law, Mack King of Jacksonville, FL; two sister-in-laws; Joan Carter of Bickley, and Jeannette Long of Americus; and

several nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends at Kimbrell-Stern Funeral Directors Saturday from 6 PM until 8 PM and will be at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark, 170 North Wood Dr. Leesburg, GA 31763. Those desiring may make memorial contributions to the Mattie Marshall Center c/o Magnolia Manor, 2001 S. Lee Street, Americus, GA 31709 or to your favorite charity.

# Tribute Wall



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December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *WE WILL MISS BIRDIE AND WANT THE FAMILY TO KNOW WE ARE THINKING OF YOU*

**BYRON & LEONE HAIRE** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ *Belinda, I am so sorry to learn of you mothers passing. I just want to send you my prayers and to tell you she is at peace. Though the days ahead will be filled with sadness -rejoice in knowing she lives in heaven and you will see her again. Gods love is great! If there is anything i can do just let me know.  
Praying for you Julie*

**Julie Slaughter Revell** - September 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ I was one of Mrs. Long's students. In 1973, Home Ec was not one of those "cool" classes, but Mrs. Long made it fun and cool. After all these years, I still count her as one of my favorite teachers of all time! Heaven just received one of the BEST!!

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**Jan (Thompson) Robinson** - September 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ Sorry to hear about "Miss" Birdie. I remember the good times at their home; playing tennis and just hanging out. I sure had to write the dictionary in her class. That is what I got for talking all the time. God be with you during your grief.  
All our love, Kay & Marlin

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**Marlin & Kay Poole** - September 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM