



## Dovie Frances Phillips Fordham Obituary

September 2, 1937 - January 23, 2008

Mrs. Dovie Frances Phillips Fordham, 70, of Albany, GA died Wednesday Jan 23, 2008 at Palmyra Nursing Home. Funeral service will be held Saturday 11:00AM at Kimbrell-Stern. Dr. Tom Daugherty officiating. A native of Albany, Mrs. Fordham lived in Albany most of her life where she retired from Winn Dixie and worked with the Shoe Box. She also worked in Childcare where she was affectionately known as Mama Dovie. She was a member of Beattie Road Church of Christ and a very talented quilter and crafter. She was preceded in death by her parents Robert E. Phillips and Mazie Balkcom Phillips; a brother Robert B. (Boney) Phillips. A sister Lenora Phillips Gleaton. Survivors include 2 daughters Shanda Fordham and her husband (Harry Prisant) of Albany; Jenny Martin and her husband (Mark) of Hartwell, GA; a son Tony Fordham and his wife (Karen) of Albany; a sister in law Malone Daugherty of McDonough, GA; 5 Grandchildren Chris Fordham, Albany; Wade Martin, Hartwell, GA; Julia Martin, Hartwell, GA; Ashley Prisant, Lexington, KY; Amanda Prisant, Nashville, TN; and beloved nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends Friday from 6:00 to 8:00PM at Kimbrell-Stern. Those desiring please make donations to Albany Community Hospice P.O. Box 1828, Albany, GA 31702.

# Tribute Wall



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“ *That was one of the sweetest funeral I have seen. The peacher must have known Dovie. She was so kind. She will be missed.*

**Martha** - March 29, 2013 at 11:26 AM

CM

“ *Shanda, Tony & Jenny,  
We just wanted you to know that our hearts hurt for your loss. Moms have a place in our hearts that no other can fill. Aunt Dovie left us with a treasure chest full of happy memories. I have been playing them over and over again in my mind. We love each of yall and are praying for yall and your families.  
Peace, Clint, Jamie, Zack & Hannah*

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**Clint McDowell** - January 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Tony  
I'm sorry to hear of your recent loss of your mother.  
my prayers go out to you and your family.*

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**Bill and Pat Hill** - January 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DE

“ *I am so sorry for your lost of your MOTHER. Our Deepest  
Symathpy. Debbie*

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**Debbie & Jerry Erick** - January 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ *To Dovie's Family  
We were sorry to read of her passing. I have many happy memories of her. She was one of my best friends in high school. I have never forgotten our good times. She will be missed. You will be in our prayers and thoughts.*

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**Annelle Strawder Davis** - January 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

C:

“ We are in prayer for you in your time of grief-  
We are sorry for your loss-

*Know we are praying, Jenny and Mark and family-  
Love to Julia and Wade, too!*

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**Carey & Laura Mickel and Mick :)** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SV

“ Jenny,  
*I was so sorry to hear about this tragedy that has occurred so quickly in your life. Moms are very special people. I'm sorry that you have lost that special person so soon. I wanted to let you know that I am thinking of you and if there is anything I can do, please don't hesitate to ask! Please tell your family that I am thinking of them during this sad time in their life!*

*Much love,  
Sherry Vandiver*

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**Sherry Vandiver** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Jennie,  
*I am so, so sorry for your loss. All of your family is in my prayers.  
Love, Karen*

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**karen senkbeil** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ Jenny,  
*I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. You and your family are in my prayers. We miss you!  
Allison*

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**Allison Rowland** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ We are thinking of you and your family. Leslie, Nate, and girls

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**Leslie Sanford** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ Jenny  
May God comfort you and your family during this time of sorrow.

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**Dr. Diane Merritt** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ To: Jenny and family

*I just want you to know that I am thinking of you all and you are in my daily prayers. Remember JESUS LOVES YOU and he will give you the strength to go through this. Love, Blythe*

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**blythe rucker** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Jenny, Our (and many, many others) thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Your faith in God will be your strength and your comfort.

*Susan and G.T.*

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**Susan and G.T Myers** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *Julia,  
We are so sorry about the loss of your grandmother. We hope you  
have many happy memories of her. We love you and miss you very  
much.*

*Love,  
Miss Bradley  
chad tichy  
john dickerson  
raquan wilson  
ryan bradford  
summer amos  
kia webb  
elijah freeman  
emily lord  
Payton mann  
calia mayfield  
travis johnson  
andrew stowe  
zachary woodall  
richie delgado  
eli mayfield*

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**Miss Bradley's Class** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *We missed seeing Dovie at our 1955 50th AHS Reunion. She has  
now graduated to the great "Reunion"!!!*

*Beverly Smith Herrington  
AHS Class of 1955*

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**Beverly Smith Herrington** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Jenny,  
She is in a better place. She is probably planning her next quilt or listening to Joseph's jokes and loving every minute of it. My heart is with your family.

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**Pam Foster** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AO

“ I am so sorry about your mother. You and your family have been in my thoughts and prayers.

Love,  
Andina

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**Andina Oglesby** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ I love you. We are thinking of you. Sorry we can not come be with you and your family. Augusta says to tell Wade and Julia she is thinking of them.

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**Mary Lou Marsh** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Precious memories have flooded my mind and you three are all in them. Losing our moms is a hard thing, yall finished strong & she was blessed to have yall with her..Our prayers are with you and you stay in our thoughts..Love, Uncle Alan and Aunt Jeri

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**Alan & Jeri McDowell** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

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**Cindy Norris** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ I am so sorry to hear about your loss. I can honestly say I know how difficult it is. Please let me know if there is anything I can do.

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**Melissa Holloway** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Ms. Jenny and family, So sorry to hear. I have been praying for you and your family. Be strong, God loves you!!!!

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**Barbara Risner** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

HA

“ Jennie and family,

*Please accept our heartfelt condolences during this sad and difficult time.*

*Hazel Allen and students*

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**Hazel Allen** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ Tony & Karen

*Ann & I are sorry for your lost.*

*your friends*

*Ann & Leon Lightfoot*

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**Leon Lightfoot** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Dear All  
We are with you in our hearts. Dovie was a special aunt from my childhood - always steady and kind. And she made my favorite ever (to this day) vegetable soup. We all send our love, Deb, Mike, Cal and Race Benaglio - Austin, TX

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**Debbie Benaglio** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PP

“ With heartfelt sympathies to tony, karen and all of the family  
  
Patti Jo and Arloa potter

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**patti jo potter** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Jenny and Family,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. Let me know if I can help you in any way. Love you!

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**Cynthia McNeil** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ To the Family: God is not going to put no more on you, than you can bare. God Bless and you haven gotten your sign that everything will be alright.

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**Laretha Morrison** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ I'm so sorry about the lost of your mother. My prayers and thoughts are with you. We love you.

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**Sherry Dobbs** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ Jenny & Family,  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Chuck,  
Renee, Brady & Jared

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**Renee Burgess** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Jenny,  
  
We are all thinking of you!!!  
  
Love,  
Beth Cooper

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**Beth Cooper** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

FK

“ Jenny, You and your family are in our prayers!! We love you, Faye  
and Kathy

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**Faye and Kathy** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

NK

“ Jenny and family, we are so sorry for your loss. You are in our  
thoughts and prayers. Know that God is with you during this difficult  
time. Love, NeeNee and Perry

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**NeeNee and Perry Kay** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CO

“ JENNIE,  
YOU HAVE MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY.YOUR MOTHER WILL  
LIVE ON THROUGH YOU&YOUR MEMORIES.GOD BE WITH  
YOU & YOUR FAMILY THROUGH THIS TRAGIC ORDEAL.WE  
LOVE YA & WE ARE PRAYING FOR YOU&YOURS.  
LOVE,  
CAMELIA

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**CAMELIA OWENS** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DE

“ shanda we were so sorry to hear about your mother our thoughts  
and preyers are with you and your family

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**danny etheredge** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Jenny,  
I am so sorry about your mom. I  
have had you in my prayers and  
heart. I will be thinking of you  
and your family as you go through this difficult time. I love you.

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**Shelby Brown** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ Jenny,  
I'm so sad that I can't be there with you all this weekend. I love you  
all so much. And Mama Dovie was like my second mother. She is in  
heaven dancing with our Saviour now! Know that my love, tears,  
thoughts and prayers are with you even though I can't be there.  
All my love to the whole family!  
Love,  
Becky

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**Becky McCorvey** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CK

“ To Jenny & family:  
*I wish we could be there with you. Just know that you're being lifted up in our prayers as you travel this difficult road. We love you,*  
*The Keslers*

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**Courtney Kesler** - January 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *Jenny Mark and family, you are in are thoughts and prayers. I am sorry you all are going through this. I am grateful that you have a lot of family and friends surrounding you. I am sure there are hundreds praying for you in Hartwell. Lori and I are two of them. If you all need anything please call me. I will try and get in touch with you once you return.*  
*Your Pastor, Steve*

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**Dr. Steve Williams** - January 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ *Jenny, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Love,*  
*Ann*

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**Ann Cooper** - January 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ *Jenny, Mark, Wade & Julia,*  
*Wanted you to know that you & your entire family are in are thoughts & prayers. May the good memories give you comfort & peace at this sad time.*

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**Keith, Jackie, Kyle & Nicholas Brown** - January 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ *My thoughts & prayers are with the family.*

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**Lee Hogg Williams** - January 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ *Thinking of you. My prayers are with each of you. God bless. Love you,  
Lynn, Elliott and Logan*

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**Lynn Johnson** - January 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

HW

“ *If you need anything, call. You know you can.*

*Love you, praying for your family  
Ginny*

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**Hugh and Ginny Waters** - January 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *We love you Momma and miss you.. You handled your illness with courage and grace and were a strength for us all..  
We love you and miss you..  
Tony and Karen*

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**Tony and Karen Fordham** - January 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ TO THE CHILDREN OF DOVIE, YOUR MOTHER IS MY AUNT EVEN THOUGH I AM OLDER. I WISH I HAD KEPT IN TOUCH, IT HAS BEEN YEARS SINCE I SAW HER. I AM SO SADDENED BY HER PASSING. MAY GOD EASE YOUR PAIN DURING THIS SAD TIME. PLEASE KNOW SHE IS AT HOME WITH HER MOTHER (WHAT A WONDERFUL WOMAN SHE WAS), HER DADDY, HER BOBBY AND ONCE AGAIN SHE KNOWS MY MOTHER. SO MANY MEMORIES ARE FLOODING MY MIND. HOLD ON TO YOUR MEMORIES AND YOUR MOTHER WILL BE RIGHT THERE FOR YOU.  
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**NONA SHANKS-SILEY** - January 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM