



Mrs. Gladys Piper Brown Obituary

May 27, 1919 - January 7, 2013

Mrs. Gladys Piper Brown, 93, of Albany died Monday Jan 7, 2012 at Palmyra Nursing Home.

A graveside funeral service will be held Friday 2:00PM at Oakview Cemetery. Rev. Walter Flint will be officiating.

Born and raised in Albany, Mrs. Brown was a retired farmer. She was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Albany, Dougherty County Saddle Club and Georgia Farm Service Agency.

Survivors include a nephew David M. Piper and his wife Leanne; a sister in law Helen R. Piper; two great-nephew, S. Lee Piper and Jeff Della-Mina cousin Jack Toney.

In lieu of flowers please make donations to the Albany Humane Society, 1705 Oakridge Dr. Albany, GA 31707.

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JAN 11. 2:00 PM (ET)

Riverside Cemetery
200 Cotton Ave
Albany, GA 31707

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Gladys Piper Brown Obituary*

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“ *Mrs. Gladys Piper Brown Obituary*

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“ *To have known Miss Gladys was a blessing. She had the love for animals and people was just unbelievable. She was a real sport about things always. I enjoyed being around her. She would always be there with me when I was working on something at the farm. I will really miss seeing her. Yall should know she was the sweetest person even when she was upset. I know she is happy being with Mr.Sam. God Bless Her.*

Smitty Johnson - Leesburg, GA - friend - January 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of the passing of Gladys. My sympathy goes out to David and Leanne, who spoke of her often. I know that she'll be looking down on those she loved, including all the animals she cared for.*

Jennie Pratt - Geelong - Friend - January 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *Loved Ms Glayds. She always made me smile when I was around her. She was truly a woman I admired greatly.* ”

Diane Urick Slomka - Albany, GA - Friend - January 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ I will try to post this again. We will never forget you, we are sorry we are not at your funeral, but we know how you wanted it, thanks Rebecca, and one more for you, dear person, Louis, we will be there in 3 to 4 weeks. It maybe longer depending on visas I hope I dont double up (me I will cos I am always the smell that came before the fart joke LOL) gladys and I both loved Johnny Cash, here is our song:

*She's a rounder i can tell you that
She can sing 'em all night too
She'll raise hell about the sleep she's lost
But even cowgirls get the blues
Especially cowgirls they're the gypsy kind
And need their reins laid on 'em loose
She's lived to see the world turned upside down
Hitchin' rides out of the blue
Even cowgirls get the blues, sometimes
Bound to don't know what to do, sometimes
Get this feeling like the restless winds
The only way she's ever been
Lonely nights are out there on the road
Motel ceiling stares you down
There must be safer ways to pay your dues
But even cowgirls get the blues*

*then I told her about this song, she knew it, dementia robs all your memories, even a simple song. Me and Gladys sang cowgirls get the blues, sounded like a frog full of shivers LOL, heres our new one
The wind blows hard across the Texas planes
Makes some people go insane
While others quietly pray for rain
That's where we came from*

*Two boys playing in the burning sun
One with books,one with guns
Mama calls but just one comes
The other one runs*

*In a crystal sense of wrong and right
We were born and raised in black and white
One learned to pray,one loved to fight
We were born and raised in black and white
We were born and raised in black and white*

*Brother took to the gospel road
Spent his whole live saving souls
When he looked at me his blood ran cold
He didn't even try*

*I had no dreams,i had no plans
But a gun felt good in my right hand
The warden asked how come you killed that man
I said i don't know why*

*Welcome home said the hot moonlight
We were born and raised in bla*

leanne piper - adelaide australia - aunt - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ *An earth bound angel has gone home. Fly away dear one*

Donna - TX - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ *I heard that she was devoted to animals and opened her farm and home to many. I am sure she will be missed and that at one time there were many a grateful animal who needed someone.*

Cindy Thomas - Morehead City, NC - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LN

“ Hey Gladys, when I first met you, how nice you were to me for taking "yall david" away LOL, but here is our song, I could not believe you knew the words, I could not believe you liked johnny cash, I am so glad that you liked me, here is "our song"

*She's a rounder I can tell you that She can sing 'em all night, too
She'll raise hell about the sleep she lost But even cowgirls get the blues*

*Especially cowgirls, they're the gypsy kind And need their laid on 'em loose
She's lived to see the world turned upside down Hitchin' rides out of the blues*

*But even cowgirls get the blues sometimes Bound to don't know what to do
sometimes Get this feelin' like she's too far gone The only way she's ever been*

*Lonely nights are out there on the road Motel ceiling stare you down
There must be safer ways to pay your dues But even cowgirls get the blues*

Love you but we wont hug or kiss thats for sissys

leanne piper - adelaide australia - niece - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ Gladys, this is "our song" I could not believe you loved johnny cash when i met you, remember we listened to this, this song will always remind me of you, I love you forever, now get out of here.
She's a rounder I can tell you that She can sing 'em all night, too
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leanne piper - australia - aunt - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Ms. Gladys will be missed by our family. I grew up on her farm riding horses, feeding the chickens, anything to do with animals. She loved animals and I loved everyday I was able to spend on the farm. I still can remember riding my pony in her ring over and over, day after day.
She kept our horses for many years until they passed.
She will be missed! Prayers and thoughts to the family.
Malinda

Malinda Duggan Hill - Albany, GA - Friend - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ My heart goes out to the family, I never met Gladys in person, but I sure did hear a lot of good things about her from david, leeanne and jeff. What an amazing woman, riding a tractor till her late 80s and running a farm, and all her love for animals, and the "famous" golf cart, I never believed it till Jeff showed me the pics, and the gun range, oh we dont have that here, what a lovely woman who surely touched so many lives, furry or not. RIP to a great lady I have heard a lot about, but never met. Love Julie from Australia

julie cartball - adelaide south australia - friend of family - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

ME

“ Such a wonderful person, a true inspiration. She will be sadly missed.

Meg - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ So sorry to hear of Gladys passing,Leanne and David spoke of her often with love and affection, to all the family i offer my sincere condolences, Moira, from Australia,

Moira Lawrie - adelaide South Australia - friend - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BN

“ Mrs. Gladys was a very helpful and hard working neighbor. She would help anyone that needed it. She was truly an animal lover, for she always had lots of cats, dogs, peacocks, chickens, etc. She and our father, Robert Reese, worked together on producing and gahering pecans for many years. She is truly missed in the neighborhood.

Blesses are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted. Matthew 5:4

The family has our prayers and sympathy.

Beatrice, Jim, Ray Reese & Family - Albany, GA - Neighbors - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ I was so sorry to hear of mrs.brown's passing. Years ago I boarded my horses with her & one is actually buried on her property. She loved all animals so much. I will miss her greatly. My sympathies to her family.

Susan Swink - Millbrook, AL - Friend - January 10, 2013 at 12:00 AM