



Mrs. Mary Benton Obituary

November 3, 1910 - June 14, 2008

Mrs. Mary Benton 97 of Albany died June 14, 2008 at Palmyra Nursing Home in Albany. Funeral service will be Tuesday 2 PM at Kimbrell-Stern. Rev. Tony Haefs and Tom Pollock officiating. Interment will follow in Little Ochlocknee Baptist Church Cemetery in Ochlocknee, GA. A native of Taylor Co. GA, Mrs. Benton lived most of her life in Thomas Co. She also lived in Madison, GA then in Athens, GA where she was a member of Tallahassee Road Church of God. In 2000 she moved from Athens to Albany where she attended both Gillionville and Sherwood Baptist Church. She loved to travel, listen to gospel music and visit her children and grandchildren. Mrs. Benton will always be known as a great prayer warrior for her family and many others who were in need. Survivors include her daughters, Polly Condon and Sadie Golden both of Albany, 4 grandchildren, Larry Alday and his wife Jackie, Danny Alday, Suzanne Thompson and her husband David, and Russ Butler and his wife Kim, 7 great-grandchildren, Dax Alday and his wife Melissa, Levi Alday and his wife Kourtney, Will Thompson, Clay Thompson, Andrew Clark, Zachary Butler and Max Butler, 4 great-great-grandchildren, Dalton Alday, Cason Alday, Lance Anderson, and McKensie Alday. The family will receive friends Monday from 6:00 PM till 8:00 PM at Kimbrell-Stern and will be at the residence of Mrs. Polly Condon 3109 Savannah Ln, Albany, GA 31721. Those desiring, please make memorials to Albany Community Hospice, P.O. Box 1828, Albany, GA 31702.

Tribute Wall



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May 22, 2023 at 01:29 AM



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December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Polly,*
I heard about your mother's death. 97 years, wow! Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family.
I have good memories of your time in Madison, and I remember your mother. There's no one like our mother. I know you will miss her greatly.
We've been in Madison 20 years as of Jan. 08. Can't believe it.
I hope you are doing well.
Jim, Ann, and the Madison Baptist Church Family

Jim Ross - June 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *May God be with you during this time. I was sorry to hear about Ms. Benton. She was a very sweet lady and I enjoyed getting to know her. She was blessed with a family that loved her. My prayers are with you.*

Dianne Christmas, Community Care - June 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RY

“ *Sadie and Aunt Polly,
I was so sad to hear of Big Mama's passing. She was truly a
"Proverbs 31 Woman" and a blessing to all that new her. My prayers
and thoughts are with you both and the family.*

Robin York

Robin York - June 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ *Sadie, We did not know of Mary's passing until late this evening. We
are thinking of you and your family and ask Heavenly Father's kind
and peaceful blessings to be with you in this time of sadness. Jim &
Nancy*

Jim & Nancy Golden - June 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ *Big Mama will always hold a very special place in our hearts. Her
lauhter, smiles, and words of encouragement ministered to our
family so many times. We are blessed to have gotten to know her
and love her.*

Tony & Teri Haefs - June 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

ET

“ *Mrs. Benton always radiated a glow of kindness and compassion.
She will be missed by many.*

Elizabeth Thurmond - June 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family in your hour of sorrow.*

*SOWEGA Council on Aging
Family Caregiver Program
Care Manager*

Ada Brown - June 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

WD

“ *my prayers and thoughts are with you (Jesus has caried her home*

wanda leblanc (melvin watson daughter) - June 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ *my thoughts and prayers are with you*

Trudy Birchfield - June 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GG

“ *As the mother of Dalton Alday, (great,great grandson of Big Mama), I feel the need to express my deepest sympathy and concern for the family. She will always be in my thoughts, and remain in my heart.*

Ginger King and Brian Gore - June 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM