



## Mrs. Sara Hortman Buford Obituary

October 21, 1932 - March 30, 2012

Mrs. Sara Bell Hortman Buford, 79, of 2504 Old Jim Davis Road Albany died at her residence on March 30, 2012. A memorial Service will be held on Monday April 2, 2012 at 11:00 AM from Kimbrell-Stern. Visitation will be held ONE HOUR prior to the service beginning at 10:00 AM with Rev. Tony Haefs officiating.

Mrs. Sara was born October 21, 1932 in Colquitt County Georgia to the late Robert and Athalone Williams Hortman. She was a retired bookkeeper with George A. Hormel Company, was a member of First Methodist Church of Albany, the Georgia Power Ambassadors and was a loving "MEMA".

She is survived by her husband Clarence Buford of Albany, a daughter Connie Lynn Miller of Albany and two sons Claude Robert Buford of Albany and Gary Lee Buford and his special friend Mandy Mickley of Parrott, GA. Four grandchildren Jennifer Lynn Collier and her husband Clay, Susan Ann Mauldin, Parker Lee Buford and Forrest Owen Buford all of Albany; two great-grandchildren: Miller Plauth Mauldin and Harry Burton Mauldin of Albany. One sister Shirley Ann Brooks as well as several nieces and nephews also survive.

Those desiring can make contributions to Albany Community Hospice 2332 Lakepark Dr. Albany, GA. 31707

You may sign the guestbook and share your thoughts with the family of Mrs. Sara by visiting Kimbrell-Stern's webpage at [www.kimbrellstern.com](http://www.kimbrellstern.com)

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

APR 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

Kimbrell-Stern Funeral Directors  
1503 Dawson Rd.  
Albany, GA 31707

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Sara Hortman Buford Obituary*

May 22, 2023 at 01:29 AM



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December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Elena Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sara Hortman Buford Obituary*



**Elena Taylor** - November 06, 2021 at 12:57 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. I remember Sara's wonderful cooking and her vegetable garden. She was a special lady.*

**Melanie Farmer Batchelor - White Plains, GA - friend** - November 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *I was so sorry to hear about Ms. Sara's passing. What a sweet lady.*

**Holli Parr - Albany, GA - family friend** - April 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ so sorry to hear about loss of your mother. may god bless you & your family at this time.c

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**melvin gibbs - leesburg, GA - friend of connie's** - April 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Ronald, Bobby, Connie, Gary and Sarah's sister Shirley Brooks I am deeply saddened at Sara's passing. Sara was a wonderful lady.What great times I had riding horses at the farm when I was in my teens. I met Sara through Sara and Sirley's father, Riley Hortman. Riley was a hoot. This page is not long enough to tell everything about Sara. I will say that I was so glad I got to see her several weeks ago and hug her neck. God bless and comfort all her family.  
Mel Parr

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**Mel Parr - Albany, GA - Friend** - March 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HF

“ We are all saddend by the death of Mrs. Sara. We have very fond memories of the years she and her family lived in Carrollton and especially this time of the year when the Azaleas are blooming so pretty around the mobile home she set out while living in our park. Her family are all in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

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**Harry,Joann Eidson & Famil - Carrollton , GA - Family Friend** - March 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ I Met the Buford family in the 1970's when they owned a house on lake Burton. we had great times and visits. Gary lived in our area. Sara and C R were loving parents that supported the kids. we shared time of easy living and fun without life's pressures of today on all of us now. My blessing to each family member threw the passing of Mother. The lake house sold and we have not visited in years but the memory of how we lived years ago are still present and treasured. we will visit again some day and enjoy the future and passed lives events as friends and honor of old friendships. Friends from Northeast Georgia.

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**Jerry Smith - Clarkesville , GA - friend** - March 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ Mema,

*Thanks for all the wonderful memories, including the one when you sat on to make me be still. I will always love you and miss you.*

*"Little Ron"*

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**Ronald Eidson - GA** - March 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ You are in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Carol Huff - Albany, GA** - March 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM