



Sarah Morene "Nana" Wilbanks Obituary

December 7, 1917 - June 14, 2010

Mrs. Wilbanks was born in Banks County, GA, and had lived in Albany since 1961. She was a member of Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church and a member of the Forget Me Not Club there. When she lived in Winder, GA, she was a member of the Methodist Women's Club at the First Methodist Church of Winder. Mrs. Wilbanks was a member of the Georgia State Campers Association, the National Campers and Hikers Association, and the DOCO (Dougherty County) Nuts Camping Club. She was preceded in death by her husband, E. C. Wilbanks, Jr.; parents, Allen B. Hall and Ada Murray Hall; a brother, J. S. Hall; a brother-in-law, Harold Hinesley. Mrs. Wilbanks is survived by her daughter, Judy Wilbanks Simpson, Albany; granddaughter, Ada Morene Simpson and her fiance David Scheidt, Orlando, FL; sister, Louise H. Hinesley, Winder, GA; a sister-in-law, Laurene Hall, Statham, GA; 2 nieces, Dianne Fleeman and her husband Tom, Winder, GA and Shirley H. McElroy and her husband Keith, Loganville, GA; a nephew, Jerry Hall and his wife Ann, Charlotte, NC.

Tribute Wall



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May 22, 2023 at 01:29 AM



“ Mrs. Wilbanks may be the nicest and friendliest person I have ever known. She was amazing happy and incredibly talented. How lucky was I to have her as a neighbor. When will I have a neighbor like her again. Who will take her place. No one. She is irreplaceable. I am deeply sorry for her family, friends, and all that knew her. May the loss of Mrs. Wilbanks be an awakening to cherish your neighbors, co-workers, friends, family, and loved ones. Love and Aloha, Penny

Penelope Wiggins - June 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Mrs. Wilbanks, you will be truly missed by all who have ever come in contact with you. You have meant and done so much for my family that your memory will never be forgotten. It was always a pleasure when you and Mrs. Judy would come and see me at the jewelry store and I still remember when you guys would baby sit me when I was a child.

Lawrence Wiggins - June 17, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ I'll never forget all the fun things we did when I was growing up, from picking me up on Holly Hill, camping, finding roly pollies by the house, waiting on E.C. to come home and eating the best vegetable soup I ever had. Those were the best childhood memories. Morene got me into cermics later in my life, I would meet her at the Rec center in East Albany and enjoy every minute with her cleaning and painting cermic pieces. I wished I could have seen more of her. She was the most loving, caring person and a big part of my family. Morene and E.C. have always in my thoughts and always will be, so are you Judy and Ada. I love ya'll and miss you both, and I'm truly sorry for the loss of your mother/Nana. Until we see her again.....

Susan Wiggins Wells - June 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ Judy I am saddened to learn of the loss of your Mom. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I have so many nice and fun memories of her. We sure had some good times at your home and even after our school days it was always so good to be able to see all of you. I also remember how good your folks were to Brad. I especially remember the last time I was in Albany and got to visit!! So enjoyable. I love you, BJ

Bobbie Jean (Young) Wade - June 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ Nana was a grandmother to every little girl and boy in our class! My thoughts and prayers are with you during this most difficult time. Much love, Dana

Dana Dews - June 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ *Morene was like a bonus grandmother when I visited Albany - her house was fun and always felt like home to me. I will never forget those memories. Love you Judy and Ada.*

Christy Greenwood Levitt - June 15, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ *Judy, I know ya'll will miss her, but your loss is heavens gain. She was a very sweet lady!!
I have enjoyed knowing your dad, mom and you over the years.*

Ken Ford - June 15, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *Ada and Ms. Judy,*

I am so sorry for your loss. You don't need me to tell you how very special Nana was to all. Hold on to all of the wonderful memories to help you make it through this hard time.

Dena Layfield Clanton - June 15, 2010 at 12:00 AM