



Mrs. Vercie Howell Hester

September 13, 1936 - July 4, 2024

Mrs. Vercie Mae Howell Hester, 87, of Tifton died Thursday, July 4, 2024 at the Rehab Center of South GA in Tifton.

Her funeral service will be held Tuesday July 9, 2024 11:00AM at Oak Grove Baptist Church in Tifton. The family will receive friends one hour before service at the Church. Serving as Pallbearers will be Jimmy Johnson, Ryan Johnson, Adam Lewis, Tanner Summons, Terry Ward, Auston Bunch and honorary Pallbearers Chris Johnson and Lee Johnson.

Born in Dover, FL, Mrs. Hester was the daughter of Willie Howell and Rebecca Barfield Howell. She was the owner of Vercie's Flower Shop of Omega, GA for 34 years. Mrs. Hester was known by the community for the flower shop. She was a long-time member of Oak Grove Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her husband Samuel "Bud" Hester; three kids Shirley Peters, Patty Davis, Debbie Kelley; stepson James Hester.

She is survived by her children Diane Goff of Albany GA; Cindy Thompson of Enigma, GA; five step-children Donald Hester and his wife Sue; Carolyn Kelly and her husband Freddie; Brenda Gershon and her husband Harold; Peggy Lindsey and her husband Johnny; Shirlene Goodrich all of Tifton, GA. twenty seven grandchildren along with great-grands and great-great-grands.

Cemetery Details

Oak Grove Baptist Church Cemetery

4489 U.S. 319
Tifton, GA 31793

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Oak Grove Baptist Church
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Funeral Service

JUL 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

GJ

“ So very sorry to hear about the passing of Aunt Vercie. I just found out today (Thursday 7/11/2024), or I would definitely have been at the funeral. She was such a special lady. I loved her. She will definitely be missed. Glenda Cox Jackson

Glenda Jackson - July 11, 2024 at 01:38 PM

RG

“ We are so sorry to hear about Vercie passing away. She was a sweet person and always ready to help you if you needed it. All our family loved her

Ruby Gay - July 05, 2024 at 06:04 PM

CC

“ We have truly missed Ms Vercie at church the last years. She was a very sweet person and could make such beautiful flower arrangements. Praying for God's comfort during this time.

Charles and Lynn Cook - July 05, 2024 at 05:59 PM

PW

i'm so sorry to hear of Vercie's passing . My mom and her were first cousins and i know if my mom was living she would have wanted me to take her . prayers for all her children & family

patricia DeBerry Walker - July 06, 2024 at 06:27 PM