



Viva A. Ward Obituary

February 4, 1904 - May 25, 2003

A native of Oglethorpe, GA, Mrs. Ward had lived in Albany since 1919 and worked for 37 years as a Bookkeeper for Morrow-Cook Furniture Store. She was a member of First United Methodist Church and the Beulah-Wakeford Sapp Sunday School Class. She was also a member of the Crape Myrtle Chapter #163 Order of Eastern Star.

Tribute Wall



“ *Viva A. Ward Obituary*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ *You took care of your family and just plain "cared". Their sudden and shocking loss reminds us all to live each day to its fullest. May he enjoy God's heavenly refuge.*

Donna Eleyi - November 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *HI SWEETIE, I JUST THOUGHT I'D CHECK IN WITH YOU. I MET A NEW FRIEND TODAY AND WE TALKED A LOT ABOUT YOU. I TOLD HER WHAT A WONDERFUL YOUNG MAN YOU ARE. I MISS YOU MORE THAN EVER AND LOVE YOU EVEN MORE, MOM*

MOM - April 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sorry we were not able to attend. Our thoughts and prayers have been with you and will continue to be.*

Judy & Steve - June 03, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ *I never had the privilege to meet Ms. Ward, but I knew of her from my sister, Cindy Poole. Ms. Ward was a very special lady in Cindy's heart and Cindy loved her dearly. Thank you Ms. Ward for being so kind and good to my sister.*

Susan Spradley - May 30, 2003 at 12:00 AM

EA

“ Jane and I send our sincere regrets and will always remember Aunt Viva.

Emory Atwater - May 29, 2003 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Sorry we cannot attend due to Catie's High School Graduation. We have sent a memorial to the United Methodist Church at Albany.

Dolly and Ed Stevenson - May 29, 2003 at 12:00 AM

PI

“ I am so very sorry she is gone. I was so very privileged to have met this gracious lady and to have been able to spend some time with her. I will never forget her, ever.

My best wishes for her family and friends.

Patricia Melgie Ward Ivey

Pat Ivey - May 29, 2003 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ Miss Ward has always been a sweet and dear person to us. We will surely miss her. I am so glad I had a visit with her May 9th. We'll never forget her.

Leonard and Judy Lane - May 29, 2003 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ Sorry we couldn't all come down for the funeral. The kids and I really wanted to come but it just wasn't possible at this time.

We will always remember Great Mom as a vivacious, strong woman who always put her family first. We will never forget her great sense of humor, her strong will, her lovingness toward her family and of course her fried chicken (best in the world)!

She will be missed by all of us whose lives she touched.

*Cathy, Lindsey, Spencer, and Catherine Ward
Santa Monica, California*

Cathy Ward - May 29, 2003 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Joie and Bob Jones - May 29, 2003 at 12:00 AM

OE

“ A TRUE SOUTHERN LADY WHO ALWAYS HAD TIME FOR ALL PEOPLE.SHE WILL BE MISSED GREATLY.

Onda Elmy - May 29, 2003 at 12:00 AM

CE

“ We were blessed to have Mrs. Ward in our lives for the past 11 years. She was so dear and special to our hearts and we will miss her greatly.

Cindy Poole and Douglas Elmy - May 28, 2003 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ I loved Ms. Ward, I was her caretaker for a while, however she a was like a grandmother to me. I was very fortunate to have had the opportunity to be a part of her life. She and I had a very special relationship and I will miss her a lot. I am so grateful to her family for allowing me to take care of her, as she took care of me, more than she will have ever known. I know without a shadow of doubt where you are Ms. Ward and I pray that one day we will see each other again. Love Sonia

sonia collins - May 28, 2003 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ My deepest sympathy. My husband was John E. Allen. His grandmother was Lena Pherba Atwater Allen, Thomaston. John & Viva were 2nd cousins and knew each other well.

Rhy Allen - May 28, 2003 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ I remember Viva since we moved to our home on N.Davis St. in 1937. I was three at the time. She was a friend of my family and always nice to me.

Luke Simmons - May 27, 2003 at 12:00 AM