

Mary Lee Strickland Carter

February 13, 1928 - December 31, 2016

Mary Lee Strickland Carter, 88, of Tallahassee, passed away peacefully Saturday, December 31, 2016. Mrs. Carter was born in Moultrie, Georgia on February 13, 1928 to the late Andrew Jasper Strickland & Thelma Irene Strickland Rayburn. She was employed with Tallahassee Grocery for 18 years and worked at the Wagon Wheel on South Monroe St. for over 20 years. She loved her flowers and enjoyed working in the yard, but most of all she loved her family.

She is survived by 4 sons, Donald R. Carter Sr. (Colleen) of Donaldsonville, Georgia, James W. Carter (Drexel), Henry Melvin Carter and Jack David Carter all of Tallahassee, Florida, 1 daughter Mary Carter Graves (Ronald) of Tallahassee, Florida, 2 sisters Dora Gomez of Vacaville, California and Laverne Johnson (Buddy) of Crawfordville, Florida, 18 grandchildren, 46 great grandchildren and 4 great great grandchildren. Mrs. Carter was preceded in death by her husband John W. Carter, 2 daughters Billie Jean Carter Peris, Rose Marie Carter Pelt, 5 grandsons, 3 great grandsons, 2 brothers, 2 sisters and her step-father.

Family will receive friends Tuesday, January 3, 2017, 6:00-8:00 pm at Family Funeral Home 84 Ochlockonee St. Crawfordville. Service will be held Wednesday, January 4, 2017, 11:00 am also at Family Funeral Home. Burial will follow at White Church Cemetery in Woodville, Florida.

Arrangements are under the care of Skip Young with Family Funeral Home & Cremation Services. 850-926-5919 Familyfhc.com

Cemetery Details

White Cemetery

Woodville, FL

Previous Events

Gathering of Friends

JAN 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Young Family Funeral Home
3106 Crawfordville Hwy.
Crawfordville, FL 32327
(850) 926-5919
<https://www.familyfhc.com/>

Funeral Service

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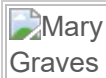
Tribute Wall



“ *Young Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Lee Strickland Carter*



Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services - January 02, 2017 at 11:06 AM



Beautiful Tribute to my Mother!

Mary Graves - January 02, 2017 at 12:09 PM



Mary this is so beautiful

Stenza Morgan - January 05, 2017 at 08:44 PM



I really loved this it was beautiful

Katie Newsome - January 05, 2017 at 09:21 PM



She was a beautiful woman and you look like her so much love you and praying for you

Melinda wiliams - January 06, 2017 at 05:53 AM



What a awesome Tribute to an amazing Mother and friend, that was loved by so many. Rest in the arms of our all might God Mrs. Mary until we met again.

Glenda Faircloth

Glenda Faircloth - January 06, 2017 at 10:45 AM



This is a truly beautiful tribute to Memaw, Aunt Mary 🙏😭

Chris Jones - January 06, 2017 at 01:53 PM

NP

What a loving tribute to your beautiful Mother, Mary! You are truly your Mother's Daughter. We can certainly see her in & through you. We are so sorry for your loss, but happy for Heaven's gain. ❤️🙏❤️

Naomi & Mike Parramore - January 10, 2017 at 03:59 PM

SC

This is very sweet and very emotional. What a beautiful tribute to your Mother. Mary you do look so much like you Mama.

SheenaTaff Cooper - January 05, 2018 at 03:32 PM

DR

“ To all who attended her funeral, I want to apologize for FAILING to mention that SHE was loved; that on a daily basis someone was in her home with hugs & kisses & concern for her well being. There was not one day that a child, grandchild or friend stopped to check on her & love her. With these words I encourage you to remember those moments, to cherish and attempt living that love you gave her to others in your life. She is watching over us from Jesus' feet and asking Him to draw us near to Him. Drexell

Drexell - January 06, 2017 at 08:41 AM

JP

“ There will never be another women like Mema in our lives. I'm so glad you're at peace now. I love you so much! Until we see each other again

Joni Carter Pullam - January 02, 2017 at 08:55 PM



Carolann Aldridge

One of a kind woman <3

Carolann Aldridge - January 02, 2017 at 09:57 PM



JH

“ *Jim and Sharon Hasler purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mary Lee Strickland Carter.*



Jim and Sharon Hasler - January 02, 2017 at 02:59 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mary Lee Strickland Carter.*



January 02, 2017 at 11:43 AM



DC

“ *1 file added to the album New Album Name*



Drexell Carter - January 01, 2017 at 05:00 PM

DC

“ *Mother-in-law jokes are common, but MY Mother-in-law was no joke! The kindest soul I have ever known, who loved her Lord! She personified MERCY in her lifetime. Young, old, rich, poor, clean or dirty (from playing or working) all were welcome in her home of love and were fed abundantly! She turned no one away. Kin-folk divorces or moving many miles away was not a separation for her, when she loved, she loved! Drexell Carter, wife of Jimmy.*

Drexell Carter - January 01, 2017 at 04:55 PM