Bernice Godwin Grimes Lakey

November 5, 1926 - September 20, 2013

Bernice Godwin Grimes Lakey, 86, of Zolfo Springs, passed away at Florida Hospital Wauchula on September 20, 2013. Bernice was born in Bereah on November 5, 1926. She moved from Avon Park to Zolfo Springs in 1946. She was a self-employed caregiver in her home.

She is preceded in death by her mother and step-father, Katie and Waver Lenton Lewis, and husbands, Johnny Ray Grimes and Marion Alfred Lakey.

Survivors include one daughter, Arlene Grimes Luke of Zolfo Springs; six step-children, Betty Sue Alviaz, Geneva Burns, Jeannie Smith, Raymond Moore, Shelby Ray Moore, and Ralph Burns; one grandson, Robert Bivens, Jr.; three great-grandchildren, Garrett, Aiden, and Haylee Bivens; several step-grandchildren; one brother, Lenard Godwin of Berea; two nephews, Wayne Godwin of Lake Placid and Charles Godwin of Georgia; three great-nieces and two great- nephews.

Visitation will be held at Robarts Garden Chapel on Monday, September 23, 2013 from 6-8 p.m. with funeral services in the chapel on Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. Rev. James Fox will officiate. Interment is in Wauchula Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **23**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Robarts Garden Chapel
529 West Main Street
Wauchula, FL 33873
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robartsfuneralhome@gmail.com
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Service

SEP **24**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RF

Arlene, sorry for the loss of your mom. God bless you!

Robert &Lisa Bivens and family - September 24, 2013 at 05:20 PM

Arlene so sorry to hear about the passing of your mother, I know it's hard as I have lost both mine and I still miss them to day. I pray that God will comfort you during this time and my prayers are with you all.

Mary Avalos - September 23, 2013 at 02:49 PM

BH

Beverly & Rex Harper lit a candle in memory of Bernice Godwin Grimes Lakey

Beverly & Rex Harper - September 23, 2013 at 11:48 AM

MT

Millie, Todd,Taylor lit a candle in memory of Bernice Godwin Grimes Lakey

Millie, Todd,Taylor - September 23, 2013 at 08:15 AM

MB

Millie, Todd, Taylor & Jake Bolin lit a candle in memory of Bernice Godwin Grimes Lakey

Millie, Todd, Taylor & Jake Bolin - September 23, 2013 at 08:14 AM

HG

H.w. Grimes lit a candle in memory of Bernice Godwin Grimes Lakey

h.w. grimes - September 22, 2013 at 02:42 PM

MS

Margie Sunday lit a candle in memory of Bernice Godwin Grimes Lakey

Margie Sunday - September 21, 2013 at 06:30 PM

RF

Robert & Lisa Bivens & Family lit a candle in memory of Bernice Godwin Grimes Lakey

Robert & Lisa Bivens & Family - September 21, 2013 at 04:36 PM