



## Claudie Conley

September 4, 1932 - January 15, 2011

Claudie M. Conley, 78, of Wauchula, died Saturday, Jan. 15, 2011 at Tampa General Hospital. She was born Sept. 4, 1932 in Frostproof, and lived most of her adult life in Hardee County. She worked in the groves with her husband years ago and also was a cook at Senterfitt's Restaurant. She was one of the most loving Christian mother and grandmother that anyone could ask for. She was predeceased by her husband Clyde E. Conley and parents Bascom and Rheba Smith.

She is survived by 6 daughters, Kathleen Carlton of Lakeland, Elizabeth Avalos (Serafin) of Wauchula, Frankie Kelley (Wayne) of Lakeland, Jo Ann Cobb (Jr.) of Wauchula, Betty Blackburn of Port Charlotte, and Jeannie Patrick (Stephen) of Lakeland; 1 son, Russell Conley (Sharon) of Sebring; 15 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren, 4 great-great-grandchildren; 8 siblings, Lavonia Duke of Frostproof, Lamar Smith (Margaret) of Hermosa Beach, CA, Juanita Tindell (Earl) of Frostproof, Jim Smith of Bowling Green, Roy Smith of Lake Wales, Mitchell Smith (Phillis) of Ft. Meade, Vera Miller (Bill) of Frostproof, and Pat Rubin of Avon Park; sisters-in-law, Oneita Revell and Anna Smith; brother-in-law, Preston Conley; her dog Zoie will greatly miss her. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 19th at Robarts Garden Chapel from 5-7 p.m. Services are at 11:00 a.m. Thursday at New Hope Baptist Church with Rev. Kenny Baker and Rev. Stephen Patrick officiating. Interment is in New Hope Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to New Life Church, Wauchula.



# Tribute Wall

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“ *Claudie Conley*

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**Mr & Mrs Marvin J Smith** - February 20, 2011 at 06:18 PM

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“ *Mom you were the best of all moms in the world and I just want you to know I appreciate that special bond and friendship we had and I will carry that in my heart always. I wish I had done more for you, you sure looked awesome lying there so beautiful, I just wish that it had been done a lot more when you were around, give kisses to Jesus and hugs to dad, the grandparents and all the loved ones there. I will see you all some day, all my deepest love, Elizabeth*

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**Elizabeth** - January 21, 2011 at 10:16 AM

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“ *Claudie, it has been wonderful having you as a sister. Thank you for taking care of me when I was a baby and Mother had to go to work. I will miss our luncheon's with the five sisters and all the stories that were told while we were visiting the places we were born. Claudie please know that you are loved. Your loving sister, Vera*

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**Vera Miller** - January 18, 2011 at 09:38 AM