



Jewell Lee Shackelford

February 25, 1934 - September 23, 2014

Jewell Lee Shackelford, 80, of Zolfo Springs, passed away on Tuesday, September 23, 2014 at Somers Hospice House in Sebring. She was born in Gordon, Alabama on February 25, 1934 and had been a resident of Hardee County since 1952, coming from Bascom, Florida. Jewell was a member of New Hope Baptist Church and served as a Sunday school teacher for the five-year olds for 32 years. She had been employed at Wauchula Elementary School as a lunchroom manager for 32-1/2 years.

Survivors include her husband, Hinton T. Shackelford of Zolfo Springs; one son, Gerald H. Shackelford and wife Dee of Wauchula; one daughter, Renee Heither and husband Donnie of Wauchula; one brother, Thomas L. Ditty and wife Mildred of Bascom, Florida; three grandchildren, Annie Agarwal and husband Rahul, Bill Shackelford and Jonathan Heither; and four great-grandchildren, Collin, Griffin, Eden, and Matthan Agarwal.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, September 25, 2014 from 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm at New Hope Baptist Church. Funeral Services are at the church on Friday, September 26, 2014 at 10:00 am with Rev. Chris Bishop and Mr. Marcus Shackelford officiating. Interment is in New Hope Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Good Shepherd Hospice, 1110 Hammock Road, Sebring, FL 33870.

Cemetery Details

New Hope Cemetery

1998 SR 64 East
Wauchula, FL 33873

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **25**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

New Hope Baptist Church
1999 State Road 64 East
Wauchula, FL 33873

Funeral Service

SEP **26**. 10:00 AM (ET)

New Hope Baptist Church
1999 State Road 64 East
Wauchula, FL 33873

Tribute Wall

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“ *To one Jewell of a Christian Lady. God called & you answered. Enjoy walking those streets of gold with Monda & Jim.*

Always---Karen



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“ *Gerald, Dee, Annie, Bill what a wonderful Mother, Mother in law and Grandmother Jewell was to each of you.. I always appreciated her smile and pleasant personality as she was so faithful to the Wauchula Elementary School Cafeteria. Our hearts and prayers are extended to each of you and your family, during this time. I am currently in India and Cathy is in North Carolina. We were saddened by the news of your loss. We know that the scripture says to live is Christ and to die is gain. Your mother, Grandma has fought a good fight and has completed her course on this journey and therefore we have the blessed hope that we will one day meet again. May The Lord continue to shine His grace upon you and encourage you during these extremely hard times and give you His peace and Joy each moment.*

*With love and Prayers,
Mark and Cathy Daniels*

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