



## Mildred Jernigan

July 13, 1928 - February 26, 2026

Mildred Jernigan, 97, born July 13, 1928, in Avon Park, Florida to John Williams and Bessie Johnson Williams passed away on February 26, 2026, in Lake Wales, Florida. She worked in customer Service in the banking industry, and had been a resident of Hardee County for most of her life. She was a member of First Baptist Church at Bowling Green. Mildred is preceded in death by both of her parents, her husband, Edward B. Jernigan, who passed in 1989, siblings James Williams, Richard Williams, and Rosella Wells. She loved reading, doing church activities, and gardening. She is survived by her son David E. Jernigan of Lake Wales, Florida, two grandchildren Daffney Smith and Lydia Jernigan, and four great-grandchildren, Devin Hill, Khloe Smith, Landon Smith, Brody Mendoza, Bentley Moore, Silas Moore, and Aliora Moore. A graveside service will be held at Hart Cemetery on Sunday, March 1, 2026, at 3 PM. with Pastor Scott Waldron officiating.

# Cemetery Details

## Hart Cemetery

Maude Road  
Wauchula, FL

# Previous Events

## Graveside Funeral Service

MAR 1. 3:00 PM (ET)

Hart Cemetery  
Maude Road  
Wauchula, FL

# Tribute Wall

LH

“ Lillian Hughes lit a candle in memory of Mildred Jernigan



Lillian Hughes - March 01 at 03:22 PM

JD

“ Mimi you blessed me for 6 years when you came into my life I learned so much from you in that little time. You were such a saint I will never forget the impact you made on mine an my children’s life ... Kero watching over me my Angel o love you Mimi ...Rest in peace love Jenny

Jenny Dickey - February 27 at 10:37 PM

DJ

“ Meme, I will miss you so much but I know I will see you again one day until then fly high, You will always be in my heart, <3

Daffney Jernigan - February 27 at 10:32 PM

DJ

“ Daffney Jernigan lit a candle in memory of Mildred Jernigan



Daffney Jernigan - February 27 at 10:31 PM



“ *MS. Mildred was always kinda quiet but always so sweet and a joy to be around. SURE gonna miss her.* ”

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**Kathy Chapman** - February 27 at 03:13 PM