



Verna Louise Toole Whitfield Crews

July 4, 1914 - March 16, 2016

Verna Whitfield Crews of Bowling Green, passed away at her home on Wednesday, March 16, 2016 at the age of 101. She was born in Jackson County, Florida on July 4, 1914, and had been a Hardee County resident since 1957, coming from Indiantown, Florida. Verna was a member of the First Baptist Church of Bowling Green and had been employed as a dietitian for Martin County Schools. She was also a citrus grower.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Courtney E. "Buck" Toole, and a sister, Miley B. Young. Survivors include her sisters, Mary Alice Durrance of Avon Park, and Willie Clyde Cloud of Sebring; nephew, Ronald "Ronnie" Kelley and wife Priscilla Kelley of Wauchula; niece, Sylvia Karen Webb and husband Carl Irvin Webb of Orlando; and numerous other nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held on Sunday, March 20, 2016 at 3:00 P.M. at First Baptist Church of Bowling Green with Reverend Roland Davis officiating. Visitation will be from 2:00 P.M. until service time. Interment is in Bowling Green Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Bowling Green Cemetery

4840 Bryan Ave
Bowling Green, FL 33834
(863) 375-2255
<http://bowlinggreenfl.org/>

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 20. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Bowling Green
4531 U.S. 17
Bowling Green, FL 33834
(863) 375-2253
contact@fbcbgfl.com

Funeral Service

MAR 20. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“Nanny is a precious part of my childhood memories. She traveled with us on all our family trips to places like Jamestown, Washington D.C., Yellowstone...on my college visit to Northwestern and on annual trips to the Blue Ridge Parkway. She added fun and laughter to our memories and I still remember her unique phrases such as "Good gravy", "It's cold as a frog". She had an amazing sense of adventure and supported me with love and encouragement. I remember picking oranges in her grove, picking vegetables in her garden, feeding her kitties. She shared with me her love of God, her love of the land, and her warm hugs. A constant loving presence in my life, she was always there for me. I will carry precious memories in my heart always

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