



Mable Jean Rushing Orman

January 26, 1935 - July 12, 2022

West Point, Mississippi – Mable “Jean” Orman, 87, passed away, on Tuesday, July 12, 2022, at Dugan Memorial Home, in West Point. Ms. Orman was born January 26, 1935, Oktibbeha County, the daughter of the late Mack Rushing and Minnie Mavis Froshour Rushing. After her mother’s death, she was raised by her aunt, Pearly Ruth Froshour Elliot, of St. Louis, MO. Ms. Orman was a member of Calvary Baptist Church, West Point. In her early years, she worked at Knickerbocker Manufacturing in West Point. She later returned to school and earned her degree as a Licensed Practical Nurse. She worked as an LPN in the emergency room at the hospital in Aberdeen, MS for several years. She also helped transfer patients, riding with them in the ambulance. She later worked at the West Point Nursing Home and at Dugan Memorial Home, both in West Point. Ms. Orman was married twice - first to Ivis Blackwell, and then to Charles Orman, both of whom preceded her in death. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her aunt, Pearly Elliot; brother, Charles L. “Sam” Rushing; and son-in-law, Dale Strickland.

Survivors include her children: Russell Blackwell (Tina) of Medina, TN, Teresa Strickland of West Point, MS and Mark Orman of West Point, MS. Ms. Orman had 9 Grandchildren: Ashley Jae (Robby), Tonya Staten (Michael), Brittany Orman, Allen Orman, Steven Orman, Shannon Blackwell, Melanie Monaghan (Mark), Lee Jolly (Rachel), Mary Thomason (Colby), and 18 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Russell Blackwell, Shannon Blackwell, Harrison Klutts, Robby Jae, Michael Staten, and Colby Thomason. Honorary Pallbearers are: Ray & Betty Crane, Traci Ruth, the Nurses & Staff of The Windsor Place, and the Nurses & Staff of Dugan Memorial Home.

A private family graveside service will be held at Greenwood Cemetery in West Point, MS, with burial to follow. Calvert Funeral Home of West Point is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ On behalf of Mrs. Orman's church family, we express our deepest condolences and sympathy. Many of our longtime members have fond memories of Mrs. Orman and her service to our Lord through His church. Please know that you are in our prayers and we rejoice in knowing that Mrs. Orman has met her savior, Jesus Christ, face to face.

God Bless you,

Dr. Joe Wiggins
Pastor, Calvary Baptist Church, West Point

Dr. Joe Wiggins - July 18, 2022 at 02:27 PM

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“ So sorry for the loss of your loved one
Prayers for all

Ann Ayres - July 14, 2022 at 10:52 AM

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“ Jean was one of the most precious ladies that I have ever known. I have known her and she has always been like family to all my family since I was a teenager. She was a wonderful nurse for many years. We were fortunate to have her in the nursing profession when my Mom and Dad were in the Nursing Home. She went beyond her profession to care for them and they loved her all of their lives. We were family. To Tedee, Russell and her grands, Jean suffers no more. Heaven has gained an Angel. My heart goes out to each of you. You will always remain as our family and we love you dearly!!!
Ann Keller

Ann Keller - July 13, 2022 at 09:49 PM