



Mrs. Opal Odell Lloyd McGee

May 7, 1919 - July 15, 2016

Mrs. Opal Odell Lloyd McGee, 97, went to heaven on Friday, July 15, 2016 at North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo. She was born May 7, 1919, in the Palestine Community of Clay County, to Lessie Thompson Lloyd and Jasper Newton Lloyd. She joined William Ellis McGee in Holy Matrimony on December 16, 1948 and they were married for 42 years. Mrs. McGee was a former employee of Knickerbocker Manufacturing in West Point for 20 years, but spent most of her life as a loving wife, mother, neighbor and happy homemaker in the Palestine and Montpelier communities of western Clay County. She enjoyed quilting, crocheting, reading and watching the hummingbirds flock to the feeders she put out each Spring. She also enjoyed watching the Atlanta Braves and SEC basketball on television. As a lifelong member of Palestine United Methodist Church, she was a fine example of an obedient servant through her membership, attendance and support. Mrs. McGee was a treasure and will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her. She leaves a strong legacy of unfailing faith, humility and inspiring footprints. In Addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by two sons and brother, Jasper Lloyd.

Funeral services will be Sunday, July 17, 2016, at 3 p.m. at Palestine United Methodist Church with the Reverend Ben Rosenkrans officiating, assisted by Reverend Eddie Brock and Reverend Carey Sutphin. Burial will follow in Palestine United Methodist Church Cemetery in Montpelier. Calvert Funeral

Home of West Point is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include A number of Nieces and Nephews, Caregivers: Gary and Roxie Brock of Montpelier and Caregiver: Lynn Simmons of West Point.

Pallbearers will be Lon Smith, Doug Webber, Ray Gibson, Andy Moore, Danny Goode, and Bennie Clark.

Memorials may be made to Palestine United Methodist Church Cemetery Fund, C/O Mrs. Roxie Brock, 9675 Joe Stevens Road, Cedar Bluff, MS 39741.

Visitation will be 1:30-3:00 P.M. at Palestine United Methodist Church in Montpelier.

The family would like to thank the staff at Waverly Care Home and North Mississippi Medical Center Hospice and Home Health.

Friends may leave an online condolence at www.calvertfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

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“ Rhonda Stafford lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Opal Odell Lloyd McGee



Rhonda Stafford - July 23, 2016 at 06:13 PM

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“ If I could have an out look on life like Ms Odell did I would live well. I loved her laugh, and the fact her memory was so good for so many many years says a lot about her. I was thrilled when she moved to West Point, she made friends with the neighbors quickly. She loved God and her church her dear Palestine Methodist church. To be said she was a life long member was not saying she had her membership there, she was an active member until her 90s and worried because she couldn't go any longer. She will be missed in this world but will grace the next.

Darrellene Thompson Fulgham

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“ I will always remember her beautiful smile and joyful nature. She will be missed 😭

Melinda and Mike Josey - July 16, 2016 at 01:51 PM

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“ *She was such a sweet lady -- with a very funny streak once you knew her well! She was a wonderful friend to my mother and a faithful member of the church. May she rest in peace. Randy Sparks*

Randy Sparks - July 16, 2016 at 01:39 PM