



## Essie Thompson

May 9, 1933 - August 18, 2014

Essie Lee Graham Thompson, 81 of East Gadsden, formerly of the Arab area died Monday, August 18, 2014 at her residence.

Mrs. Thompson was born May 9, 1933 in Marshall County, the daughter of General M. and Mamie J. Graham. She and her husband, Max were married 66 years and have called East Gadsden their home since 1950.

She was a Homemaker and retired production worker for the Emco Manufacturing Company. She was also a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church, Gadsden.

She is survived by her husband: Max Thompson; a daughter and son-in-law: Debra Lynn and Dennis Jarrells; four grandchildren and spouses: Holly Thompson, Stefanie (Stephen) New, Gene (Dianna) Jarrells and Alan Jarrells; four great grandchildren: Emme New, Waylon Jarrells, Riley Jarrells and Meridith Jarrells; a brother and sister-in-law: L. C. and Dean Graham, several nieces, nephews, other family members, her church family and many dear friends and neighbors; preceded in death by a son: Danny Max Thompson, a great grandson: Bronson Max New, her parents: General and Mamie Graham, a brother: David Graham and two sisters: Faye Adkins and Dessie Baker.

Funeral service will be 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 20, 2014 at Arab

Heritage Memorial Chapel, Reverend Bill Parker, officiating. Burial will be in Brashiers Chapel Cemetery, Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, directing.

Honorary Pallbearers will be Jay Beggs, Miranda Dupree, Dianna Jarrells and Randy Pritchett.

Visitation will be from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday, August 20, 2014 at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel.

# Cemetery Details

## Brashiers Chapel Cemetery

2701 Brashiers Chapel Road  
Arab, AL 35016

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 20. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel  
1340 North Main Street  
Arab, AL 35016  
(256) 586-4100

## Service

AUG 20. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *SARAH JONES & JAN MALONE lit a candle  
in memory of Essie Thompson*



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**SARAH JONES & JAN MALONE** - August 19, 2014 at 02:30 PM