



Ms. Nella Jo Howard

November 9, 1936 - November 25, 2020

Mrs. Nella Jo Howard was Heavenly received on the evening of Wednesday - November 25, 2020 at the age of 84 years.

Mrs. Howard was earthly sent on November 9, 1936 to the late Robert R. Tidmore and Bertha Mae Gibbs Tidmore. In her earlier years, she worked as the secretary for the Guntersville First United Methodist Church and throughout her life, graced everyone with her presence. Mrs. Howard took time during her life to sew, tend to her flowers, cooking, working and volunteering for the Shepherds Cove Hospice Care but most of all, she cherished her time she had with her family and grandchildren.

Leaving behind to celebrate the life and legacy of Mrs. Howard is her sons, Edwin B. Howard, Timothy B. Howard, James Samuel Howard (Nyla) and Jonathan B. Howard; sister, Lora Ann Nunnelley (Delbert); as well as 9 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

In addition to her beloved parents; Mrs. Howard is at last reunited with her one true love, Rev. Jimmy Edward Howard whom departed this earth on the 4th of August; as well as 7 brothers and 3 sisters.

A Visitation will take place at the Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel on Saturday - November 28, 2020 from 12:30 p.m. until service time.

Funeral Services will follow visitation at 2:30 p.m. at the Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel on Saturday - November 28, 2020 with Rev. F. Todd Henderson and Rev. David Norton, officiating.

Interment will precede services at the New Friendship Cemetery.

Pallbearers escorting Mrs. Howard to her final resting place will include; Timothy Howard, Samuel Howard, Edwin Howard, Jonathan Howard, Lynn Tidmore, Wendell Tidmore.

Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, Directing.

Cemetery Details

New Friendship Cemetery

2150 New Friendship Road
Union Grove, AL 35175

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 28. 12:30 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

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

Service

NOV 28. 2:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

Jl

“ Jo was the sweet and wonderful secretary at Guntersville UMC for many years. In the 1980's I was blessed to be her friend. She often treated me like a daughter, giving me sage advise and once even making me a dress from scratch! My family was from NC, and she welcomed me to GFUMC as if I was part of hers. I can still see her slicing bananas to make banana pudding for Wednesday night supper. This wasn't in her job description. She did this out of the goodness of her heart. I will never forget Jo's loving kindness, and I thank God she was my friend.

Janet Iwankovitsch - December 03, 2020 at 07:25 PM

PR

“ It seems as though I have known her all my life and she was always smiling and very gracious. A true Southern Lady.

Peggy Ridgeway Rodgers - November 28, 2020 at 07:36 PM

PJ

“ Nella was a very sweet lady!
Ken and I knew her from seeing her at Dr. office where she had worked.

Polly Jex - November 27, 2020 at 11:34 AM