



Willene McGriff Clark

February 23, 1932 - March 30, 2025

Willene McGriff Clark, age 93, of Arab, Alabama passed away at her residence on Sunday morning, March 30, 2025. Willene was born in Cullman County, Alabama on February 23, 1932. Her parents were Elbert McGriff and Annie Murphree McGriff.

Willene was raised in Holly Pond Alabama. She was a graduate of Holly Pond High School and continued her education successfully achieving her associate's degree. Having a heart of gold, Willene dedicated her life to the lord, her family and her work. She was an active member of Gilliam Springs Baptist Church. She dedicated her time to Brindlee Mountain Telephone Company where she worked for many years and from which she later retired. She was an avid collector of Blue Ridge Pottery and would attend pottery shows with her late husband, Glenn Clark.

Family members Willene leaves behind to cherish their memories include her son, Marty Glenn Clark; daughter, Paula Clark Blass; sister, Janice Hicks; grandchildren, Hope Key, Holli Blass, Tabitha Bailey (Michael), Marisa Clark, Ryan Clark (Wari), Kyle Clark (Jayna), and six great grandchildren.

Ms. Clark is preceded in death by her parents, Elbert McGriff and Annie Murphree McGriff; beloved husband, Glenn Clark; brothers, Dal McGriff, Willard McGriff and Dwight McGriff; sisters, Velma Armstrong and Joyce Love;

and son in law, William T Blass.

The family will be receiving friends and guests from 2:00pm until 3:00pm on Sunday, April 6, 2025 at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel. Funeral service will follow at 3:00 p.m. with Bro. Jamey Pruett officiating. Burial will be in Gilliam Springs Cemetery. Serving as pallbearers are Wayne McGriff, Mitchell Love, Ernest McGee, Steve Rutherford. Honorary pallbearers are Kyle Clark and Matt McGriff. Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel is entrusted with arrangements. In lieu of flowers please consider a donation to Shepherd's Cove Hospice.

Cemetery Details

Gilliam Springs Cemetery

1351 North Brindlee Mountain Parkway
Arab, AL 35016

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 6. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

APR 6. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

AN

“ Agape to the Nations purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Willene McGriff Clark.



Agape to the Nations - April 05, 2025 at 12:55 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Willene McGriff Clark.



April 04, 2025 at 03:01 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Willene McGriff Clark.

April 04, 2025 at 03:01 PM

BW

“ Betty King Whisenant lit a candle in memory of Willene McGriff Clark



Betty King Whisenant - April 03, 2025 at 11:14 AM

CS

“ So very sorry for your loss of this sweet lady. Prayer for you all.

Carl and Peggy Brooks Saint - April 02, 2025 at 07:16 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Willene McGriff Clark.



April 02, 2025 at 06:02 PM

PJ

“ Polly Jex lit a candle in memory of Willene McGriff Clark



Polly Jex - April 02, 2025 at 09:55 AM

PJ

“ Wilene was a close friend to my Mother and our family. SHE WAS A TRUE friend and I look forward to seeing her again
This life is part of our journey to make it back to Heavenly Father. May we all find joy in it each of us can make a difference where ever we are planted to blossom. Each of us has our own story to tell and when we are trying to live IIKE

s Christ then we have chosen our best to friend to listen to.

Polly Jex - April 02, 2025 at 09:54 AM

RF

“ Register Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Willene McGriff Clark.



Register Family - April 01, 2025 at 09:23 PM

JF

“ Janice & Keith Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Willene McGriff Clark.



Janice & Keith Family - April 01, 2025 at 08:54 PM