



Catherine Thornton

August 19, 1920 - May 27, 2017

Mrs. Catherine Apple Thornton, 96, of Newnan passed away Saturday, May 27, 2017. She was born August 19, 1920 in Butts County, GA to the late Sanford Malcolm Apple & Mattie Lou Jinks Apple. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur Thornton and brothers, Herman Apple & Ravel Apple.

Mrs. Thornton was a longtime, active member of the First Baptist Church of Newnan. For many years she worked as a secretary with the State of Georgia Probation & Parole Department.

The funeral is Wednesday, May 31, 2017 at 4:00 PM in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson Street, Newnan with Dr. Jimmy Patterson officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park. The family will receive friends at the funeral home beginning at 2:30 PM Wednesday. Mrs. Thornton's family expresses thanks to the staff and caregivers at Benton House and to the nurses of Sacred Journey Hospice.

Condolences can be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

Survivors include son, Al Thornton of Douglasville; grandson, Tim Thornton of Tifton; sisters, Faye Lipford of Newnan, Betty Mayo of Shreveport, LA, Sue Pullin of Locust Grove; numerous nieces and nephews.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road
Newnan, GA 30263

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 31. 2:30 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com

Service

MAY 31. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Oh how I love Ms. Catherine! Thank you for allowing us at Sacred Journey Hospice to take care of her. I asked her once what I could bring her when I came to see her and her eyes twinkled and without hesitation she said, "Anything Sweet! " She LOVED her sweets!! I loved how her eyes would sparkle when I came in with a treat. She was very dear to me. I was able to get to know her prior to needing hospice. We would just sit and talk. She was incredibly smart and loved to laugh. She loved her Granddaughter who is a missionary. She was so proud. Ms. Catherine also adored her son, Allen.

Thank you for letting us care for her. Please know we are here for you always!

*Love,
Lisa Williams*

Lisa Diane Williams - May 29, 2017 at 11:38 AM

JJ

Catherine didn't have a granddaughter?

Jane Jones - June 26, 2017 at 02:42 PM

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“ *Al and Family,
I truly enjoyed meeting Mrs. Catherine, even though for a little while. I loved my visits with her. Such a wonderful lady. She always had such a beautiful smile, and when she smiled, her eyes twinkled. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for allowing us to assist in her care. If you need anything, just let me know.*

Suzanne Bryan R.N. Case manager.

Suzanne Bryan R.N. - May 28, 2017 at 03:30 PM