



Mary Gladys Ashmore Leonard

November 8, 1925 - July 6, 2011

Name: Mary Gladys Ashmore Leonard

Dateline: Tryon, NC

Mary Gladys Ashmore Leonard, 85, of 8-C, 251 Carolina Drive, died July 6, 2011 at St. Lukes Hospital. She was the widow of the Rev. Thomas "Tom" Leonard, Jr.

A native of Spartanburg County, SC she was a daughter of the late Thomas "Bub" Ashmore and Mattie "Susie" Honeycutt Ashmore, a member of First Baptist Church, Tryon, NC and former member of Pelham First Baptist Church, Greer, SC. She was a homemaker.

Surviving are two daughters, Becky Weaver (Henry) of Gowensville, SC and Julie Foy (Fred) of Mill Springs, NC; 4 grandchildren, Jill Cook (Harry), Stephanie Mathis (Bruce), Ginger Praytor (Joey), Erika Center (Todd); Great Grandchildren, Harry Wilson Cook, III, Alexandria Robbins, Annalia Cook, Brawton Center, Campbell Mathis and John Thomas Center.

She was predeceased by a brother, Thomas C. Ashmore, Jr. and 3 Sisters, Florence Ashmore, Helen Ballew and Betty Jean Holtzclaw. She was the last member of her immediate family.

Funeral services will be conducted 4 p.m. Thursday at Pelham First Baptist Church conducted by Dr. Gary Rogers, Rev. Ansel Norris, and Rev. Jeff Harris. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

Pallbearers will be Harry Cook II, Harry Cook III, Joey Praytor, William Leonard, Todd Center, Bruce Mathis, Steve Steading and Doug Heaton.

Visitation will be from 2:30 pm until 3:45 p.m. Thursday at the Church. The family is at the home. Memorials may be made to Pelham First Baptist Church, Family Life Center, 2720 Old Hwy 14, Greer, SC 29650. Online condolences may be made to www.thewoodmortuary.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 7. 2:30 PM - 3:45 PM (ET)

Pelham First Baptist Church
2720 S. Old Highway 14
Greer, SC

Service

JUL 7. 4:00 PM (ET)

Pelham First Baptist Church
2720 S. Old Highway 14
Greer, SC

Tribute Wall



“ We were so sorry to hear about your precious mom. She was such a beautiful special lady. Our thoughts and prayers are with your families. God bless you! Brenda Gilreath Wilburn and Ruby Howard###imported-begin###Brenda Howard Gilreath###imported-end##

July 10, 2011 at 09:18 PM



“ Becky , Julie and family, we were so sad to hear about the passing of Glayds. She was such a kind and caring women. We can only imagine the reunion that our parents had in Heaven on July 7th. Our prayers are with you all, lean on God, and he will always be there for you.###imported-begin###Sam & Charlotte Hastings###imported-end##

July 07, 2011 at 08:57 PM



“ Becky Julie and Family I am so sorry to hear of Mrs Leonard's passing She was a very sweet loving lady who had such a kind heart She always had such a beautiful smile She will be missed here on earth but heaven will be a sweeter place with her presence###imported-begin###Joyce McClure###imported-end##

July 07, 2011 at 05:23 PM



“ You are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.
Love,
Lee, Tracey, Konner and Sydney West###imported-begin###Tracey Jones West###imported-end##

July 07, 2011 at 05:11 PM



“ Dear Becky, Julie and Families, We are so sorry for the loss of your mother. We both know how hard it is. She was a special lady and enjoyed when I got to visit in her home years ago. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers!!!! God Bless all of you!!!!!!

Much love, Spud and Linda Ravan##imported-begin##Spud and Linda Ravan##imported-end##

July 07, 2011 at 11:11 AM



“ My thoughts and Prayers are with the whole family. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard were very special people to me.##imported-begin##Mary Greene##imported-end##

July 07, 2011 at 11:07 AM



“ Becky & Julie
We will be much in Prayer for your families. The world may have lost, but Heaven has gained another Angel !

God Bless##imported-begin##Phillip Upton##imported-end##

July 07, 2011 at 10:45 AM



“ Julie & Becky,

Your Mother was one of the sweetest ladies I have ever known. From all of my memories with your mother, I never heard her say a negative thing about anyone! I will always remember her sweet loving smile and caring ways! She will truly be missed by all here on earth. We know that your mother joined your father in a glorious reunion along with my parents! I can hear your Dad asking her, "Gladys, what took you so long? " He really enjoyed joking with her a lot. Remember the good times and it helps get you through the bad times. We will keep your family in our prayers.##imported-begin##Patty & Tony Ward##imported-end##

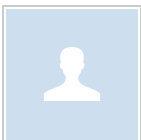
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“ We truly enjoyed seeing Mrs.Leonard each and every Sunday morning. She was a lovely lady with so much positive and loving energy. May God hold you all close during this time.

*Love,
Joey, Olivia, Elliott, StorieLane and Oakley Whiteside##imported-begin##Joey and Olivia Whiteside##imported-end##*

July 06, 2011 at 10:14 PM



“ You all are in our thoughts and prayers. I'm so sorry for your loss.
Jennifer & Brian,
Grayson & Evan Jones##imported-begin##Jennifer Jones##imported-end##

July 06, 2011 at 09:53 PM



“ Julie, Becky and Family, I am so sorry about your Mom. What a beautiful person she was inside and out. You are in my thoughts and prayers. With my love, Katie Pcenicni##imported-begin##Katie Pcenicni##imported-end##

July 06, 2011 at 06:33 PM



“ Becky, Erika, Stephanie - I am SO sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you for peace and comfort today and in the times to come. Love, Summer##imported-begin##Summer Culbreth##imported-end##

July 06, 2011 at 04:46 PM



“ May the Lord be with you and comfort you in this time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.##imported-begin##Kim Fowler##imported-end##

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