



Lucile Tate Forehand

September 5, 1919 - October 30, 2015

Lucile Tate Forehand, 96, of Tallahassee, passed away while surrounded by her family on Friday, October 30, 2015.

Lucile was born on September 5, 1919, in Hartford, Alabama, to Alphas James Tate and Bessie Lee Ward. She was one of eight siblings. Lucile graduated high school at Bethlehem in Florida. In 1940, she married Loyd Forehand.

She took courses in Gainesville and became a teacher in Florida schools. In 1944, while schools were out for summer vacation in Holmes County, Lucile and Loyd came to Tallahassee to work for the summer and never went back to Bonifay.

In 1952, Lucile went to work for the State Treasurer and Insurance Commissioner of Florida as a fiscal assistant and supervisor. She retired in 1982 and became a caretaker for family members.

She was a member of Immanuel Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Jimmy Forehand (Pat) and Don Forehand (Charlotte) of Tallahassee; two granddaughters, Melissa Forehand of Tallahassee and Teri King (Jason) of Decatur, GA; one grandson, Janson (Ali) Forehand Sullivan of Monticello; two great-grandsons, Evan and Rory King, twins of Decatur, one great-granddaughter, Lena Grace Sullivan of Tallahassee and one sister, Evelyn Joyce Wright (Don) of Ormond Beach. She was preceded in death by her husband, Loyd Forehand, daughter, Peggy Gail Forehand, parents, brothers, Clyde, Jack, Royce, and Bob and sisters,

Merle McEachen and Ruby Crews.

A Memorial Service will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, November 14, 2015 at the Bevis Funeral Home Chapel. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made to Immanuel Baptist Church, 2351 Mahan Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32308 or Big Bend Hospice, 1723 Mahan Center Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32308.

Kelly Barber of Bevis Funeral Home (850-385-2193, www.bevisfh.com) is assisting the family with their arrangements.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

NOV **14**. 11:30 AM (ET)

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