



Mary Merle Watson

October 24, 1932 - July 29, 2015

Mary Merle Watson, 82, passed away July 29, 2015 at Hardy Wilson Hospital. Visitation will be 1pm-2pm Saturday at Stringer Family Funeral Home. Services will be 2pm Saturday at Stringer Family Chapel with burial at Hazlehurst Cemetery. Stringer Family Funeral Home in Hazlehurst is handling arrangements.

Mrs. Watson was born on October 24, 1932 in Grand Junction, TN to her parents, Nelson and Mattie Wynn. She was a member of Cary United Methodist Church. She graduated from Cary High School in 1949. She was an avid basketball player and her team won the Delta State Championship in 1949. She married Max Hugh Watson in November of 1949. The Watson's moved to Onward, MS where Max worked as a shift engineer for Southern Natural Gas Company and Merle worked for the Department of Human Services as an insurance clerk. She retired and then spent her remaining time caring and spending time with her grandchildren.

Mrs. Watson was an avid cook, candy maker, gardener and loved to cross stitch.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Max Hugh Watson, sister, Elsie Presley and a great grandchild, Tanner Harrison Lee Page.

She is survived by son, Dr. Robert Watson of Hazlehurst; daughter, Maxine Watson of Hazlehurst; 5 grandchildren, Johnalin Page and Trent E. Hicks, both of Vicksburg, Wynn, Lauren and Andrew Watson, all of Hazlehurst.

Tribute Wall



“ *Stringer Family Funeral Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Merle Watson*



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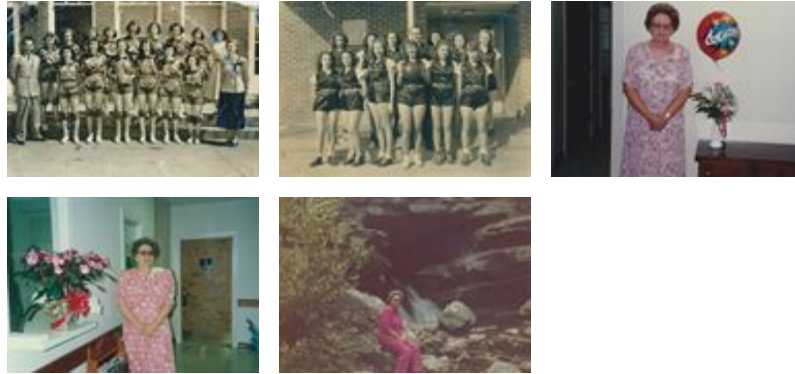


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“ We, the employees of Blossman Gas, are saddened by the passing of Mrs. Watson. We can honestly say that she was one of our very favorite people. When she required any type of service work or gas delivery, the men knew they would be greeted by her and usually with a treat. She didn't stop there. She has brought homemade candy here to the office and brightened everyone's day with her tales...and she could tell some really good ones. We wish to express our condolences to the family and let them know that she was loved and will be missed. Pat Sumrall, Blossman Propane Gas

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