



Nell Walters

August 15, 1932 - January 31, 2025

With heavy hearts, we announce the passing of our “Maw” Nell, who went home to be with the Lord at the age of 92. A devoted mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, great-great-grandmother, and sister, she peacefully entered into eternal rest and celebration of her Savior, surrounded by the love of her family.

Born in the small community of Jack in Copiah County in 1932 to Ovid Rotch Mohon and Mattie Monette Strong Mohon, Nell lived a life filled with faith, kindness, and unwavering love for her family. She was a devoted Christian, finding strength and guidance in her faith throughout her life. Her gentle spirit and nurturing heart were evident in the way she cared for those around her, always offering wisdom, encouragement, and unconditional love.

Nell and her late husband Ragan were blessed with four children, Ronald Walters (Cathy), Betty Price (Bill), Alton Walters (Erny), and Jerry Walters (Cathy) during their sixty-three-year marriage. She adored her many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchild, cherishing every moment she spent with them. Her legacy of love and devotion will continue to live on through the lives she touched.

Throughout her life Nell and Ragan served on mission trips both locally and internationally to spread the love of Christ. Though she has left this world, her memory will forever be cherished by those who were fortunate enough to know her.

Nell was preceded in death by her sister Merle Gibson, and her brothers

Orval Mohon, Ray Mohon, and O.R. Mohon, Jr. She is survived by her beloved brother, Wayne Mohon, her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and a host of extended family and dear friends.

A celebration of Nell's life will be held at First Baptist Church of Crystal Springs on Monday, February 3rd at 11:00am, with burial to follow at Gatesville Baptist Church. Those wishing to attend visitation are welcome to say their goodbyes from 9:00am-11:00am on that day.

The family asks that in lieu of flowers, donations can be made to First Baptist Church of Crystal Springs in her honor.

"Well done, good and faithful servant; enter into the joy of your Lord." –
Matthew 25:23

May we celebrate as she rests in peace in the arms of her Savior.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church, Crystal Springs
300 S Jackson St
Crystal Springs, MS 39059

Funeral Service

FEB 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church, Crystal Springs
300 S Jackson St
Crystal Springs, MS 39059

Burial

FEB 3. 11:30 AM (CT)

Gatesville Baptist Church
3162 Gatesville Road
Crystal Springs, MS 39059

Tribute Wall

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“ We are so very sorry to hear this news. Ms Nell was always so nice and sweet to us.

Wanda and Bruce Pennington - February 02, 2025 at 10:43 PM

AM

“ Nell, or Maw, as I named her (since I was the oldest!) was my grandmother. I'm so thankful to have known her and have so many great memories with her. Some of my very earliest are hanging out with her reading water meters and learning how to put a pack of peanuts in a Coke bottle! I also remember naptime at her house and her with a fly swatter if you weren't sleeping. Jenni and I got to out west with her and Dad for a special grandparents trip and we watched the bats in Carlsbad caverns late one night. I remember the huge family cramming into her hot house for our Christmases together and also Sunday lunches. I'm so thankful my kids were able to know her and she even was able to see her great great granddaughter a few times. Maw left a legacy behind her and touched so many people's lives while she was here on Earth. I will miss her and thankful I will get to hug her again one day in Heaven!

Amanda Mize - February 01, 2025 at 02:54 PM

LF

I am one of those fortunate to have known her on the mission trips! Probably about 30 years ago my husband and I were on a Cophah Baptism Association Mission trip to Muncie, Indiana to build churches. She and Mr. Regan were on that trip. Mr. Regan was on the roof and Miss Nell was on the ground getting ready to go up the ladder to help him as she had done everyday. Remind you now she would have been in 60s at least! Well, he accidentally dropped his hammer which landed on her head and split her head open. Can you believe after some first aid on site, she climbed that ladder and went back on roof of that high church and perched up there helping the rest of the day . This was summer and hot although not as hot as our Miss. summers. That little lady was more than amazing! I am so grateful ful to have known her..... she always made me think of Grandma Walton on The Waltons tv show 🌍🙏🙏🙏

lynda Freeman - February 01, 2025 at 05:01 PM

CR

I cannot think of a finer women than Mrs. Nell! He was such a kind and loving person. She let her light shine for Christ and was a loving example of how one should live. Mrs. Nell will be missed but those of us that are Christians will she her again in Heaven!

Cherie Ricks - February 01, 2025 at 05:26 PM

DM

I remember my mother and I taking a trip with Aunt Nell and my 4 Walters cousins when we were young, all the Walters family lunches at my grandparents' house, the full-ti-bursting house at Christmas celebrations, and so many fun times together. Aunt Nell's sweet voice still plays through my mind as I think of her loving greeting when I called to chat. She was the best example if a living wife, mother, and Christian and was an inspiration to all. I will miss you deeply, Aunt Nell, give Uncle Ragan a hug for me and tell him I love him.

Donna McAnally - February 01, 2025 at 07:08 PM

GH

So sorry for your loss. I know she will be greatly missed.

Gary Hydrick - February 02, 2025 at 11:29 AM

DJ

*I am Nells cousin. Uncle Ovid and aunt Mat ,my mother, Mary and Aunt Lella were Nells father ,mother and aunts. I remember all those great memories at the Jack community with Orval, Wayne, Ray, Nell and O.R. The water fall behind the barn! We had a great time swimming and taking baths down there!! Those were the good times!!!
I'm sure we will meet again in Heaven !!!
Take care, everybody,
David Jenkins*

David Jenkins - February 02, 2025 at 04:44 PM

JK

Nell entered the world as a Mohon. I have a lot of Mohon blood in me, so she and I were related to each other and had a lot of relatives in common. Given the kind of person she was, I always was very proud to be kin to her. She and Ragan were made for each other and it was, for me, a great blessing to have them as friends. Neither of them will be forgotten by anyone who had the privilege of knowing them.

Jim Kitchens - February 02, 2025 at 04:47 PM