



Thelma Papizan,

August 13, 1915 - September 2, 2013

Thelma Lucille Hembree Papizan, 98, a devoted homemaker, was called home to glory September 2, 2013 at her residence. A Visitation will be 5pm-8pm Wednesday, September 4, 2013 at Stringer Family Funeral Home in Crystal Springs and 10am-11am Thursday at First Baptist Church. A Funeral services will be 11am Thursday, September 5, 2013 at First Baptist Church, Crystal Springs, with burial at Old Crystal Springs Cemetery. A Stringer Family Funeral Home in Crystal Springs is handling arrangements. A Mrs. Papizan was a native of Crystal Springs, born to the late Jeff David Hembree and Vivian Cora Howell Hembree. A Her husband, Grady Stanley Papizan, of 64 years and four brothers and two sisters preceded her in death. A She loved her church and was an active member of First Baptist Church where she served as a children A€™s Sunday school teacher. A She enjoyed gardening and watching God A€™s creations around her. A Most people called her Mrs. Thelma, but to her grandchildren and great grandchildren, she will always be lovingly remembered as "Grandmama." A Mrs. Papizan is survived by her sons, Stanley (Dot) Papizan, and Larry (Faith) Papizan; and daughter, Beverly (William) Teasley; nine grandchildren, eighteen great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. A Memorials may be made to the Building Fund of First Baptist Church, P. O. Box 609, Crystal Springs, MS A 39059 or Hospice Ministries, 397 Brookhaven Street, Brookhaven, MS 39601.,

Tribute Wall



“ *Thelma Papizan,*

January 28, 2023 at 04:45 PM



“ *We were so sorry to hear about Ms. Thelma's passing. A lot of fond memories of her growing up in the church. I am sure that she and Mr. Grady are looking down on the wonderful life lessons they passed along to so many children and adults alike. She was always so kind to me and always had a smile. I will miss her and Dianne and I will be thinking of your family in this time for sorrow and praise as your parents go to their heavenly glory.,*

James and Dianne Papizan - April 21, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Remembering Mrs. Thelma today and what a wonderful person she was. I will always remember visiting with her as Bubba and I used to take her meals on Wednesday nights for a couple of years. I remember her when I was growing up in the church along with several of the old saints that have gone on and now she has joined them in Heaven. She and Mr. Grady raised three wonderful children by their example and that is a great legacy to leave. Our prayers are with you today.,*

Dandra Akins - April 21, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *i am so sorry to hear this. i remember ms papizan in sunday school when i was growing up. my prayers are you and her friends.,*

florria broocks - April 21, 2015 at 12:00 AM