



## Ms. Billie Wimberly Vandiver

November 5, 1939 - July 1, 2014

Billie Merle Wimberly Vandiver, age 74 of Ringgold, went home to be with her Lord on Tuesday, July 1, 2014.

Billie was raised in Florence, AL and moved to the Ringgold Area in 1977. She attended GraceWorks Church and was an avid University of Alabama Crimson Tide Fan. Billie also enjoyed watching the Atlanta Braves and N.A.S.C.A.R. She retired from Shaw Industries in 2002 after 40 plus years and was currently working for the Catoosa Co. Board of Education.

Billie was preceded in death by her parents, Colonel and Marie Duke Wimberly and first husband, William "Sonny" Hardeman.

She is survived by her children, Vicki (Jerry) Roach of Ringgold, Kim Godfrey of Chattanooga, Jeff Reid of Huntsville, Kelly Hardeman of Ringgold, Kyle (Molly) Reid of Huntsville and Freddy (Erica) Vandiver of Ringgold; sister, Debbie (Tony) Hyatt of Ringgold; brothers, Nelson (Helen) Wimberly of Huntsville and Terry Wimberly of Chattanooga; 11 grandchildren; 9 great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral service will be held at 1:00 pm on Saturday, July 5, 2014 in the funeral home chapel, with Rev. Bill Owens officiating.

Interment will follow in Lakewood Memorial Gardens-South.

The family will receive friends from 1:00 pm to 9:00 pm on Thursday and from 11:00 am until the funeral on Saturday at the funeral home.

Online register book available at [www.wilsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com). Arrangements are by Wilson Funeral Homes, Wallis-Stewart Chapel, Ringgold (706)935-2331.

# Tribute Wall

JF

“ *Billie and I had been friends since Jr. High School in Florence. We had a lot of fun together thru High School. We sorta lost contact after she moved and finely connected several and continued to talk on the phone often. I am so sorry for your loss. She was such a loving person and she really loved her family. When we talked she always mentioned you and what you were doing. We are planning to come to the funeral. May God be with you during this time.*

*Joyce Gamble*

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**Joyce Gamble - Florence, AL - Friend** - July 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ *I had the pleasure of being her therapist recently. I so enjoyed working with her. She was a beautiful lady inside and out.*

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**Rachel Stone - Ringgold, GA** - July 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ *Such a sweet lady. Always smiling and laughing.*

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**Lisa Adams - EAST RIDGE, TN** - July 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ I am so sorry to hear about your mom. I worked with her some at the school. She will be greatly missed by us. Praying for your family during this time and the difficult days to come. Love Carolyn

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**Carolyn Pinion - ringgold, GA - Keith's ex- mother-in-law** - July 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ Kim, I am so very sorry to hear about your mom. My thoughts and prayers are and will be with you. You and your Mom were always VERY good to me. I still love you. From, Glenda

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**glenda godfrey - ringgold, GA - friend** - July 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PL

“ Billie, I pray that you are at peace now, and I know you will be missed by all who knew and loved you.

*Say hello to Earl and MaPope for me until we meet again.*

*Paula*

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**Paula Donay" Vandiver Yates - Ringgold, GA - former sister in law** - July 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM