



*Missing You Always*

You never said I'm leaving  
You never said goodbye.  
You were gone before we knew it  
And only God knows why.

In life I loved you dearly  
In death I love you still.  
In my heart I hold a place  
That only you can fill.

It broke my heart to lose you  
But you didn't go alone.  
A part of me went with you  
The day God took you home.

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Celebration of Life

for

*Mrs. Mary Lee Presley*

July 13, 1936 - August 18, 2016



**Tuesday, August 23, 2016**

**1:00 p.m. CST**

Mt. Lebanon United Methodist Church

LaFayette, AL

Rev. Clarence Foster, Pastor

Rev. Ed Vines, Officiating Eulogist

## *Psalms 23*

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

## *Order of Service*

Processional

Song ..... Choir

Scripture..... Pastor Clarence Foster

Prayer ..... Pastor Henry Cooper

Solo ..... Bro. Henry Burton

Words of Encouragement ..... Pastor James Wright

Acknowledgements ..... Sis. Truly Finley Holloway

Solo ..... Sis. Martha Holloway

Eulogy ..... Pastor Ed Vines

Processional

### *Flower Bearers*

Nieces

### *Pall Bearers*

Nephews

### *Repast*

Mt. Lebanon United Methodist  
Church Fellowship Hall

### *Interment*

Mt. Lebanon Cemetery,  
LaFayette, AL

### *Acknowledgements*

We, the family of the late Mrs. Mary Lee Presley would like to take the time to express our sincere gratitude to all of the many relatives and friends for their support, prayers, phone calls and comforting words. Special gratitude is expressed to Care South of Valley, AL for the care you gave to Mrs. Presley. May God bless each and every one of you.

- The Family

ORDER OF SERVICE

## *Obituary*

Mrs. Mary Lee Presley was born in Chambers County, AL on July 13, 1936 to the late Mr. Simmie Allen and Susie Mae Trimble. January 3, 1960 she was united in matrimony to the late Joe Louis Presley. To this union, ten children were born.

On Thursday morning August 18, 2016, she took two wings to fly away.

She leaves to cherish her memories seven children: Mary Louise (James Hughley) Allen of LaFayette, AL, Barbara Jean Allen of Anchorage, AK, Jessie James (Paula) Presley of LaFayette, AL, Richard Lewis (Audrey) Presley of Tuscaloosa, AL, Andy Presley of Waverly, AL, Sandy (Alac) Harris of Opelika, AL, Gregory Joe (Bridget) Presley of LaFayette, AL; 24 Grandchildren; 24 Great-Grandchildren; one sister, Shirley (Mitford) Bettis of College Park, GA; two brothers, Donnie Allen, of LaFayette, AL, Arthur Allen of Waverly, AL; six brothers-in-law; seven sisters-in-law and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

## *Goodbye Grandmother*

Now that you are gone,  
your memories will be carried on.

Your love for us was strong.  
Now it's time for us to do right and not wrong.

Yes, we have sorrow in our hearts,  
that won't be gone today or tomorrow.

We didn't get a chance to say goodbye.  
We ask ourselves why, you had to go so soon,

But we're glad to know that soon.  
You will be completely at rest under God's silvery  
moon.

So rest in peace Grandmother and goodbye for now.  
Soon we will be united again high the blue skies.

We Love You

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# *Our Family*



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