



Mrs. Bertha Curtis Dempsey

January 10, 1924 - June 22, 2014

Mrs. Bertha Curtis Dempsey, age 90 of the Plainview community, Calhoun, passed away Sunday, June 22, 2014. She was born in Whitfield County on January 10, 1924, daughter of the late Wheeler and Lizzie Belle Green Curtis. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Donald Dempsey in 2009, to whom she married on Valentine's Day, 1942; a brother, Vernon Curtis; and step-mother, Ruby Smith Curtis.

Mrs. Dempsey loved her grandchildren, and being surrounded by her family. She loved to cook, and was known for her coconut cake. She had been an active member and church worker of Plainview Baptist Church since 1942, and had helped organize the first Vacation Bible School. Mrs. Dempsey was a charter member of the Sonora Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, Doug and Linda D. Dempsey, and Larry and Linda B. Dempsey; two daughters and a son-in-law, Linda and Terry Mathis, and Debbie Dempsey, all of the Plainview community; three brothers, Bobby Curtis and his wife Judy of Ringgold, and Kenneth Curtis and Bruce Curtis, both of Dalton; and four sisters, Dot West of Calhoun, Drucilla Tippens of Dalton, Barbara Smith and her husband Bill of Hill City, and Brenda Hair and her husband Harold of Dalton. Grandchildren are Russell and Michelle Dempsey of Chantilly, VA, Brandon Mathis of Calhoun, Michele and Larry Greeson, Jr. of the Plainview community, Heather and

Jeffrey Hood, and Alison and Phillip Schmidt, all of Calhoun; and great-grandchildren, Kady and Kyle Greeson, Reece, Ryan, and Ryder Hood, Emma and Sophie Schmidt, Taft and Laila Dempsey, and Cheyanne Mathis. Other survivors include a step great-granddaughter, Elizabeth Blackburn, nieces, nephews, brothers-in-law, and sisters-in-law.

Services to celebrate the life of Mrs. Bertha Curtis Dempsey will be held Tuesday, June 24th at 11:00 AM from the Plainview Baptist Church, with Rev. Larry Hibberts and Rev. Gary Hibberts officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery with Rev. Mark Harris conducting the committal service. Pallbearers serving are Brandon Mathis, Kyle Greeson, Larry Greeson, Jr., Jeff Hood, Phil Schmidt, Dwight West, and David West.

The Dempsey family will receive friends at Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home Monday, June 23rd from 5:00 PM until 9:00 PM.

Online condolences may be left at www.maxbrannonandsons.com. Services for Mrs. Bertha Curtis Dempsey are under the care and direction of Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home of Calhoun.

Previous Events

Family will receive friends

JUN **23**. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home

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Tribute Wall

MA

“ *Bertha, all the blessings and memories of you, protect the family, children, grand children and great grand children, they are all missing you.* ”



mariannevu - June 25, 2014 at 06:22 AM

CR

“ *I was really saddened to hear of Ms. Bertha's passing. She was a precious lady & will be missed. Our thoughts & prayers are with you all.* ”

Charlotte Buttrum Broadrick-Royals.

Charlotte Royals - June 24, 2014 at 04:42 PM

LH

“ *Dear Bobby and Judy, Praying for peace and comfort for you both and all the extended family members. Love you both. Larry and Juanita Holsomback* ”



Larry & Juanita Holsomback - June 24, 2014 at 12:16 PM

OH

“ *Larry and Linda and family, So sorry to hear, that you Mother has passed. Our deepest sympathy and prayers to all of you.* ”

Olen & Rowena Hamby

Olen & Rowena Hamby - June 24, 2014 at 11:22 AM

MA

“ *Mariannevu lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bertha Curtis Dempsey*



mariannevu - June 24, 2014 at 04:51 AM

HV

“ *Hach & Dziem Vu lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bertha Curtis Dempsey*



Hach & Dziem Vu - June 23, 2014 at 07:37 PM

DC

“ *Such a sweet, precious lady!! I loved her very much!! I will miss her!! May God bless her fine family!!*

Donna Fuquea Couch - June 23, 2014 at 05:04 PM

RD

“ *Our thoughts, prayers, and Love are with your family Mr. & Mrs Ron Davis and family*

Ron Davis - June 23, 2014 at 04:53 PM

JE

“ *Mrs Bertha was one of the best person u will ever meet. God has her now in his hands I will always love her No more pain luv u Bertha Jenny Everett*

Jenny Poole Everett - June 22, 2014 at 09:48 PM



“ *Bright and Beautiful Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Bertha Curtis Dempsey.*



June 22, 2014 at 08:25 PM



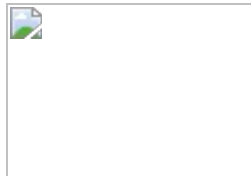
“ *I'm very blessed to have gotten to meet and spend time with Bertha, a cousin I had never had a chance to meet until a few years ago. God has welcomed a very special angel. My prayers are with you all.*

Lori Brumlow Ballard

Lori Ballard - June 22, 2014 at 08:02 PM



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Larry Greeson - June 22, 2014 at 07:48 PM

LG

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Larry Greeson - June 22, 2014 at 07:39 PM

SG

“ Dot and the Dempsey Families, I was sorry to hear of Bertha's passing. I enjoyed her at every event she and I attended, whether it be at Eastern Star or the Blackwood Keenagers. She was a delight to be with. I know you will miss her greatly. Know that I will be thinking of you, in your time of sorrow. Susie



Susie Gray - June 22, 2014 at 06:02 PM

MA

Larry, Linda, Russell , Michelle and the Dempsey's family. I am so sorry for your loss. What a wonderful lady your Mom, grand Ma was. I will keep her in my prayers. May God keep and comfort all of you during this very difficult time, Our deepest condolence. love, Vu's family

mariannevu - June 23, 2014 at 05:10 AM

LJ

“ Such a blessing to have had you be a part of my life and to get to be a part of your family. You will always live inside my heart. I love you Nanny.



Larry Greeson Jr. - June 22, 2014 at 05:22 PM