



## Ruby Hammons

September 24, 1926 - November 3, 2012

Ruby Ayscue Hammons, 86, of Ellenwood, GA, passed away on November 3, 2012, after a year long battle with cholangiocarcinoma, a rare form of liver cancer.

Ruby was born on September 24, 1926, in Alert, North Carolina. She had lived in Georgia since 1985. She was preceded in death by her husband of 53 years, Rev. Virgil Hammons, who died on January 3, 1998. She was also preceded in death by her parents, Aaron and Pattie Lou Ayscue, and a sister and four brothers: Rosa Frances, Horace, Herman, Morris, and Ray Ayscue all of Henderson and Franklin Co., North Carolina.

Ruby is survived by a brother, Ralph (Melanie) Ayscue of Moyock, NC; a brother-in-law, James Hammons of Bois D'Arc, MO; sisters-in-law, Inez Underwood of Wichita, KS; Louise Ayscue of Henderson, NC; and Sarah Ayscue of Louisburg, NC. She is also survived by her four children: Millie (Ken) Manry of Ellenwood, GA; Dianne (Ed) Burts of Athens, GA; Mark (Suzanne) Hammons of Orlando, FL; and David Hammons of Charleston, SC. She is also survived by 12 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. Her grandchildren: Kara Manry and Matt Manry of Atlanta, GA; Krista Ollanketo and Kortni (Trent) Sanders of Athens, GA; Heather (Jeff) Robinson, Mark Hammons Jr., Matthew Hammons, and Casey Hammons of Orlando, FL; Jennifer Hammons of Las Vegas, NV; Brett (Tessia) Hammons of Augusta, GA; Jacklyn Hammons of Charleston, SC; and Lucas Hammons of Woodstock, GA. Her great-grandchildren are: Stefani, Kevin, and Kyle

Ollanketo; Dylan Burts; Ragan and Jaxan Sanders; Dustin, Marissa, and Ryan Robinson; Destiny and Serenity Henry; Keira and Mason Hammons; and Kyler Hammons.

Her great-grandson, Calvin Johnson Hammons, died at age 2 ½ in April 2012 of drowning.

The family would like to thank her doctors and their staff at Winship Cancer Institute, Emory University, and the nurses of Halcyon Hospice, especially Quanda and Charmaine, for their treatment and care.

The funeral service will be at Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home in Calhoun, GA, on Wednesday, November 7th at 11:00 am. The pallbearers will be her grandsons. Burial will follow at Haven of Rest Cemetery in Calhoun, GA.

The family will receive friends at Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home Tuesday from 6:00pm until 8:00pm.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to the Aflac Cancer Center at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. Donations can be made online or sent to the following address: Aflac Cancer Center and Blood Disorders Service, Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, 1687 Tullie Circle NE, Atlanta, GA 30329.

Online condolences may be expressed and the guestbook signed at [www.maxbrannonandsons.com](http://www.maxbrannonandsons.com). Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home, a legacy of compassion and care, is in charge of funeral arrangements for Ruby Ayscue Hammons of Ellenwood, GA.

# Tribute Wall



“ *May God bless you and your familys during this time of loss. Bill and Sue Rose (daughter of Lura Belle (Stockard) Roller.*

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November 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ruby touched our lives in such a special way with her frequent correspondence through many years. We not only looked forward to the updates on the family tree...we were so very inspired by her love & faithfulness to the Lord. We will remember the kind, gentle & caring person she was. We are blessed to have known her. Prayers to all the family as you heal from this loss. Kathy & Dick Burson*

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**Kathy** - November 16, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Millie,My mother and I were saddened to read today of your mother's passing. I will always remember her kindness, generosity, bright smile and quiet humor. Heaven is rewarded with her presence. Kathy and Kathryn Sharitt*

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**Kathy Sharitt** - November 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Millie,Dianne,Mark,David and all the rest of the family, I am so sorry for your loss.Ms. Ruby was such an inspiration to me and I have so enjoyed all of our letters back and forth over the years.I will miss her dearly but I know that she is reunited with her loved ones that have already passed and is having a grand old time in Heaven.I will always remember her as she has her own special place in my heart. My prayers are with you all...Debbie*

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**Debbie Rodriguez** - November 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Just want you to know we are thinking of all of you. Aunt Ruby will be greatly missed. We love you all. You are all in our prayers~Mike, Evelyn, Angela&family, Amber&family and Alona&family*

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November 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM