



Shelby Jean Epperson

April 8, 1936 - August 11, 2012

Shelby Jean Epperson passed away on August 11, 2012 after a courageous 3 year battle with cancer. She was born in the Pebble Community on April 8, 1936. Her parents were Marvin and Sallie Hughes Benford. She was one of twelve children. She was a teacher for many years, she taught at Colbert Heights, Phil Campbell, Vina and Cerro Gordo in Tennessee. She was a member of First Baptist Church. Shelby loved her Lord, Jesus Christ, her family and friends and she loved life. She was preceded in death by her parents, Marvin and Sallie Benford; her husbands, Jeff Robinson, Jr. and Billy J. Epperson; son, Rudy Epperson; brothers, Aaron Benford, Jerry Benford, Troy Benford; sisters, Jennie Abbott and Genoma Crisler. Left to cherish her memories and love are her children, Angela (Don) Minor, Jeff (Ramona) Robinson, Tina (Ronald) Harris, Margo O'Fallon, Susie Heinrich and Jennifer Epperson; her grandchildren, Andrea (Lance) McCullar, Melody (Wally) Miller, Jessica (Kenny) McDonald, Carrie (Marcus) Dover, Kathryn Robinson, Griffin Harris, Cameron Harris, Shaun (Ashley) O'Fallon, Steve O'Fallon, Nathan (Brittney)Jumper, Whitney Skinner, Jared Skinner, Jessie W. Epperson and 17 great grandchildren; brothers, Terry (Jennifer)Benford, J.M. (Joan)Benford; sisters, Olive Berry, Sarah (Jackie) Nix, Jackie (Tommy) Hutcheson and Janice Anderson; nieces, nephews and friends. Her visitation will be held on Monday August 13, 2012 6:00-8:00PM at First Baptist Church-Haleyville, AL., with her service held on Tuesday at 11:00AM at the church, she will lie in state 10:00-11:00AM, with Dr. Jim Cooley officiating, burial to follow at Winston

Memorial Cemetery. Her Pallbearers will be Shaun O'Fallon, Steve O'Fallon, Griffin Harris, Cameron Harris, Nathan Jumper, Jared Skinner and Aubrey McCullar.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **13**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church Haleyville
1103 21st. Street
Haleyville, AL

Service

AUG **14**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Pinkard Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Shelby Jean Epperson



Pinkard Funeral Home - August 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Angela and family,

I'm so sorry about Ms. Shelby. You all are in my thoughts.##imported-begin##Jo Ellen##imported-end##

August 14, 2012 at 07:06 PM



“ We r sorry 4 Ur lost but heaven gained an angel. Mrs shelby will b missed. She was a very special lady. She is no longer hurting but walking on streets of gold. We pray that God will b with u during this time. Let us know if u need anything. We love your family.##imported-begin##peggy harlan, tiffany, corey, & sue hodges##imported-end##

August 14, 2012 at 12:35 PM



“ SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS
SHELBY WAS
A VERY SWEET LADY
WE WENT TO SCHOOL TOGETHER AT PEBBLE.##imported-
begin##YVONNE PARKER##imported-end##

August 14, 2012 at 08:51 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. Will be thinking of you all.##imported-
begin##Candy Marbutt##imported-end##

August 13, 2012 at 04:45 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with the entire family. My love will
always be with you, and I know God is watching over
you.##imported-begin##ANN CUMMINGS BARBOUR##imported-
end##

August 13, 2012 at 10:44 AM



“ Dear Angela and family, So sorry for the loss of Ms. Shelby she was
such a sweet and caring lady. She will be truly missed by all. My
thoughts and prayers are with you. She fought a hard battle but God
wanted her to come home. Rejoice in all the wonderful memories.
God bless you and all the family.

In his love,
Mary Lou##imported-begin##Mary Lou Masters##imported-end##

August 13, 2012 at 09:41 AM



“ My prayers are with you all in this time of loss.##imported-begin##Susan Rich-Brooks##imported-end##

August 12, 2012 at 11:25 PM



“ Dean and I have lost a dear friend, but know she is in the presence of the Lord. Angela and family, our prayers are with all of you.##imported-begin##irene owen##imported-end##

August 12, 2012 at 10:27 PM



“ I am so sorry to learn of Shelby's passing. We had so many good years as friend and cousin. Wish I could be there with the rest of the family. Virginia and I send our love and prayers for the entire family. Terrell##imported-begin##Terrell Posey##imported-end##

August 12, 2012 at 08:40 PM



“ Very sorry to read of the loss of Cousin Shelby Benford Epperson.##imported-begin##Perry Wesley Gwin, Jr. (Wes)##imported-end##

August 12, 2012 at 01:32 PM



“ Jennifer, Jarerd , and Whittney, I'm so sorry about your mom/grandmother.##imported-begin##Sonya Skinner##imported-end##

August 11, 2012 at 09:20 PM