

MARY JEAN TAYLOR



Mary Jean Taylor, our beloved mother, grandmother, sister and friend, went home to be with the Lord April 20, 2024, while surrounded by her family. Mary Jean was born June 1, 1935 in Jacksonville, to the late John L. Reeves, Sr. and Nettie Conner Reeves. Mary Jean attended Double Branch school until the 9th grade and on May 27, 1952, married her true love Junior (Ernest Taylor, II). Mary Jean and Jr. went on to have seven children. She worked many years as a seamstress and retired in 1997 from the Nassau County School Board working in the elementary school cafeteria.

The most important part of her life was her family. Mary Jean enjoyed crocheting beautiful Afghan blankets, doll dresses and baby blankets. She was an active member of Nathalene Primitive Baptist Church and enjoyed going to sings. Mary Jean lived to be 88 years old. We are all blessed that God sent us an angel and allowed us to call her mom, granny, sister, aunt and friend. She will be deeply missed but never forgotten. Heaven just got a little sweeter. Mary Jean is preceded in death by her husband, Ernest Taylor, II; sons Johnny Taylor and Don Taylor; daughter Mary Sue Swanson; infant baby; two grandchildren; a great-great-grandson; and son-in-law Dan.

Mary Jean is survived by her children, Larry (Debbie) Taylor, Wanda Duett and Ernest (Tammie) Taylor; brother Marvin Reeves; sister Berta Lou Sikes; 12 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; many great-great-grandchildren; son-in-law Dennis; daughters-in-law Jeanette and Melinda.

Mary Jean's grandsons will have the honor of being pallbearers.

The family will receive friends Thursday, April 25 from 6-8 p.m. at Nassau Funeral Home. A celebration of Mary Jean's life will be held Friday, April 26 at 11 a.m. at Nathalene Primitive Baptist Church, 17106 Nathalene Drive, Hilliard, with Elder Jimmy Brannen and Elder Tollie Lee officiating. Interment will follow at Nathalene Cemetery.

Arrangements under the direction of Nassau Funeral Home, Callahan, 904-879-1770.

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