

TALITHA JOYCE CARROLL

Mrs. Talitha Joyce 'Ty' Tallevast Carroll, 73, of Blackshear, passed away Thursday, November 1, at her daughter's residence in Folkston. Born in Jesup, Georgia on October 24, 1945, she had lived in Hilliard for several years before moving to Blackshear 13 years ago. Mrs. Carroll had worked in CCU at the former Memorial Hospital in Waycross for many years before retiring from the State of Florida Health Department. She loved her grandchildren and animals and enjoyed quilting.

She was the daughter of the late Mitchell Benton 'Tally' and Ella Mae Brooker Tallevast. She was also preceded in death by her husband James Robert Carroll; a son Terry Sellers; a step-son Dwayne 'Dooger' Carroll; and a brother Benny Tallevast.

Survivors include her daughter Karen (Tim) Petty of Folkston; her son Leslie Sellers of Blackshear; two step-sons Robbie Carroll of Griffin, Georgia and Ricky Carroll of Hilliard; a brother Johnnie (Debbie) Tallevast of Nahunta; seven grandchildren Tisha Roberson, David Thrift, T. J. Thrift, Buddy Petty, Little Leslie Sellers, Amanda Sauls, and Ishmael Sellers; 12 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services for Mrs. Carroll were held Saturday, November 3 at the Pearson-Dial Chapel in Blackshear. Interment followed in the Laura Chapel Cemetery. Visitation was held Friday, November 2 at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the Paralyzed Veterans of American at www.pva.org.

Sympathy may be expressed by signing the online register at www.pearsondial.com.

Pearson-Dial Funeral Home, Inc. of Blackshear was in charge of the arrangements.