

Laura Louella Jones



Laura Louella (Louelle) Jones, 96, lifelong resident of Callahan, was welcomed into her Savior's presence on March 21, 2022. The youngest of six siblings, Louelle was born on January 12, 1926, to Lonnie and Eula Higginbotham. She graduated from Callahan High School and later married her true love, Harley Hansel Jones, in November 1945. Over the following years, she held positions at a physician's office, Alltel Telephone Company, and the Nassau County School Board. Though Callahan was home, she and Hansel also resided in Fernandina Beach for a time.

Married almost 50 years, Louelle fulfilled her roles as wife, mother, and Nana with devoted love and graceful elegance. Her family was built on a foundation of faith in Jesus Christ and she faithfully served Him as a Sunday school teacher until nearly 90 years of age. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband Hansel Jones; five siblings; and son Stephen Jones.

She is survived by her son Greg (Willene) Jones and daughter Melanie (Jim) Williams, all of Callahan; daughter-in-law Cindy Jones; grandchildren Lori Hart, Melissa Bradshaw, Dr. Chris Mott, Emily Bailey, and Jason, Pam and Jeremy Jones; along with several great-grandchildren.

The family would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to Carol Ruska and Linda Reeves for the exceptional caregiving they provided over these last months.

The family will receive friends Friday, March 25 at her church of membership, First Baptist Church of Callahan at 10 a.m. followed by the celebration of Louelle's life service at 11 a.m., officiated by Dr. Stephen T. Peebles. Interment will follow at Jones Cemetery.

Condolences may be expressed at: www.nassaufh.com.

Arrangements by Nassau Funeral Home, Callahan, 879-1770.