



## Mrs. Gloria Faye "Patsy" Ruffin Brown

March 17, 1927 - July 21, 2018

Gloria Faye (Patsy) Ruffin Brown, age 91, of DeWitt passed to her heavenly home on Saturday, July 21, 2018. Patsy was the nickname given to Gloria Faye, because she was born on St. Patrick's Day, March 17, 1927. Patsy was the oldest of four children born to Lester and Effie Bitner Ruffin.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband of 64 years, Toby Brown, sister Mary Jack Adams, two brothers Donald (Toad) Ruffin and Lester Riley Ruffin, son-in-law Charles Hamner, and her precious grand puppy Cooki Morehouse, who she loved dearly and missed.

Patsy loved the Lord and was saved and baptized on July 30, 1961. She became a member of Hebron Missionary Baptist Church in Pt. DeLuce, where she served the Lord faithfully. She could not hear the sermons and attended services up to her death in a wheel chair, but she was at church. When asked why she still attended church, she said she loved the Lord and He had blessed her so much. She wanted to be a good and faithful servant and an example to her family and friends.

Patsy is survived by four children Barbara Faye Hamner, Danny (Donna) Brown, Jimmy (Vicki) Brown, and Patti Sue (Norman) Morehouse; ten grandchildren Traco Moore, DeAnna (Billy) Doak, Melissa (Richard) Gray, Charlene Hamner, Amy Simmons, Dammie Jo (Scott) Cummins, Jamie (Ralph) Ruffin, Ceth Hamner, Wendi Jo (Kevin) Cohen, and Emili (Brian) Brooks; fifteen great grandchildren Josh Moore, Chyna Harris, Sylvia Allcorn, Willie Allcorn, Alex Combs, Alicia Bradley, Jordan Doak, Will Doak, Jacob

Chapman, Spencer Hutchins, Jaci Ruffin, Jaden Ruffin, Savvi Cohen, Chris Doak and Sparrow Ruffin; two great great granddaughters ALice and Alia Bradley; and many more friends and relatives.

Funeral services will be 2:00 July 24 at Essex Funeral Home chapel with burial in Cedarcrest Memorial Gardens by Essex Funeral Home. Visitation will be one hour before the funeral service.

# Cemetery Details

## Cedarcrest Memorial Gardens

Hwy 1  
DeWitt, AR 72042

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 24. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Essex Funeral Home  
1405 South Grandview  
DeWitt, AR 72042  
(870) 946-3104  
<https://www.essexfuneralhome.com>

## Service

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# Tribute Wall

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“ She was a Godly example in so many ways. She was a good spirit and pure at heart, innocent for her years. She was inspiring to me and I loved her deeply. I see some of her in me. She never lost faith in God to the end. Just being around MeeMee made me feel peaceful and good and surrounded by warmth. Her house was full of non-pretense, it was cozy and she took care of it. I got to spend many precious memories/moments with her, helping her and smiling. She was beautiful and she loved me. I will never forget my Grandmother. Jesus help me to be the Godly woman (that) she was. Her goodness and legacy for Jesus will live on. God bless Patsy, Gloria Faye Ruffin Brown, my MeeMee forever. Amen. - Emili Brooks (Morehouse)

Emili Brooks - July 24, 2018 at 04:57 PM

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You were a light to our family and my world. Love you and miss you forever.

Emili Brooks - March 17 at 02:02 PM

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“ Your BEI Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mrs. Gloria Faye "Patsy" Ruffin Brown.



Your BEI Family - July 23, 2018 at 05:13 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Mrs. Gloria Faye "Patsy" Ruffin Brown.*



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July 23, 2018 at 03:41 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Mrs. Gloria Faye "Patsy" Ruffin Brown.*



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July 23, 2018 at 01:24 PM



“ *We were so sorry to hear of Aunt Patsy's passing. The first thing that came to my mind was that the original 6 of that family are back together again. For all different reasons the lord called them home all through the years but now to all be reunited what a blessing!! I can imagine the blast they must be having. When we all came to visit from when I was a little girl to not to long ago Aunt Patsy always had a homemade dessert on the kitchen table for everyone to share. Always sooo delicious!! Praying for the family, God Bless!*



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Tara Ruffin Fagan ( Shelby & Girls ) - July 23, 2018 at 12:04 PM

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“ Teresa & Tiffany purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Gloria Faye "Patsy" Ruffin Brown.



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**Teresa & Tiffany** - July 23, 2018 at 11:54 AM