



Mrs. Betty Jean Carey

July 6, 1928 - November 4, 2016

Mrs. Betty F. Carey, 88, went to be with the Lord on Friday morning, November 4, 2016 at her home.

Mrs. Carey was born in Madison County to the late Lee and Ruth Fortson. She moved with her husband Alton to Athens, GA and raised her daughters there. She attended Southern Business College in Atlanta, GA. Upon her retirement from the University of Georgia's College of Education, they moved back to Madison County. Mrs. Carey was a lifelong member of Shiloh Baptist Church. She loved cooking, reading and gathering with her family and friends.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, T. Alton Carey and brother, Dwight Fortson.

Survivors include daughters, Deborah C. (Russell) McCants and Denise C. (Doug) Thomas, both of Danielsville, GA; brother, Pat (Mary Ann) Fortson of Crawford, GA; sisters, Jackie F. (Royce) Brown of Commerce, GA and LeNelle (Tommy) Chastain of Anderson, SC; grandchildren, Jordon Thomas, Ryan C. Thomas and Sarah Kate Thomas; nieces and nephews whom she loved dearly along with many close friends, especially Terri Sexton Franks and Terrie Wages Seagraves whom she loved as daughters.

Funeral services will be held at Shiloh Baptist Church at 4:30 P.M. on Sunday,

November 6, 2016 with Rev. Glenn Guest and Rev. Dayton Logan officiating.
Interment will follow in the church cemetery.

The family will receive friends at Shiloh Baptist Church from 2:30 P.M. until the funeral hour on Sunday afternoon.

Flowers are optional; memorials made be made to Shiloh Baptist Church Cemetery Fund, 2150 Jones Chapel Road, Danielsville, GA 30633.

Pruitt Funeral Home in Royston, GA is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Shiloh Baptist Church Cemetery

2150 Jones Chapel Shiloh Road
Danielsville, GA 30633

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 6. 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM (ET)

Shiloh Baptist Church
2150 Jones Chapel Shiloh Road
Danielsville, GA 30633

Service

NOV 6. 4:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ 50 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Pruitt Funeral Home - November 29, 2016 at 03:14 PM

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“ Karen Kirk lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Betty Jean Carey



Karen Kirk - November 06, 2016 at 11:33 AM

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Sorry to hear of the passing of your mother, Debbie. May God wrap his arms around you and the family and give you all comfort during this time.

Karen Kirk - November 06, 2016 at 11:36 AM

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“ We are so sorry to hear of Betty's passing. She was a of our Widow's Hope Ministry and we will miss her sweet, encouraging cards. May God comfort each of you with the peace that only He can give. Sincerely, Jim and Merle Henry, Widow's Hope Ministry

Merle Henry - November 05, 2016 at 07:38 PM