



Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey

March 4, 1928 - February 1, 2020

Mrs. Nettie “Bobbye” Skinner Grizzle Mackey, 91, of Hartwell, GA went to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, on Saturday, February 1, 2020, at the Hart Care Center.

Mrs. Mackey was born in Bishop, GA on March 4, 1928, daughter of the late Rev. Edward A. Skinner and the late Malinda Ginn Skinner. She was a homemaker and a member of the Royston Baptist Church.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, James E. Grizzle; and three sisters, Juanita Lambert, Marian Dunlap Parks and Gail Skinner.

Survivors include her loving and devoted husband of 23 years, Curtis Mackey; sons, Edward (Tricia) Grizzle of Elberton, GA and Donald (Debra) Grizzle of Royston, GA; daughters, Shirley Fitzpatrick of Cataula, GA and Vivian James of Buford, GA; grandchildren, Laurie (Wesley) King, Lana (Shane) Baker, Jonathan Fitzpatrick, Ginger Fitzpatrick, Kayla (Alex)Hart and Kelsey Grizzle; great grandchildren, Brendan and Camaron King, Vincent and Kristen Baker, Braylon, Brinley and Beckett Hart, and soon to be blessed with Baby Boy Hart; and one great-great grandchild; step-daughters, Barbara (Steve) Davis and Beverly (Greg) Davis; step-grandson, Ben (Mary Beth) Davis; sisters, Edwena Littlejohn of Iva, SC and Joyce (Melvin) Thompson of Charleston,

SC; and eleven nieces and six nephews.

In 1947, Bobbye graduated from Terry Business College in Atlanta with a Business degree. In high school, she was the President of Beta Club, class Secretary-Treasurer, member of the Who's Who, Aurora staff, and Glee Club. In 1945, during her senior year of high school, she was Voted Friendliest, Best All Around, Most Influential, Biggest Heartbreaker and Most Considerate.

Bobbye was the family matriarch. Her greatest joy was having her family together. Thanksgiving and Christmas were her favorite holidays and she was always happy to be the hostess. She will be greatly missed by her family and friends.

The family wishes to express their appreciation to the staff at The Gables at Cobb Village and Hart Care Center for their exemplary care and loving kindness.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mackey will be held in the Royston Baptist Church at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, February 3, 2020, with Rev. Carter Tucker and Dr. Hugh Kirby officiating. Interment will follow in the Rose Hill Cemetery in Royston.

The family will receive friends at Pruitt Funeral Home from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Sunday evening. The family is at their respective homes.

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

Cemetery Details

Rose Hill Cemetery

Burch Street
Royston, GA 30662

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Pruitt Funeral Home
47 Franklin Springs Street
P.O. Box 465
Royston, GA 30662
(706) 245-7234
pruittfh@bellsouth.net
<https://www.pruittfhroyston.com/>

Service

FEB 3. 2:00 PM (ET)

Royston Baptist Church
767 Church Street
Royston, GA 30662
<http://www.roystonbaptistchurch.org>

Tribute Wall



“ *Pruitt Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey*



Pruitt Funeral Home - February 02, 2020 at 02:15 PM

JC

*So very sorry for the loss of Aunt Bobbye. She was so special to me. I spent many summers with my cousins in Royston. Shirley , Eddie and I were closer in age so I always looked forward to my visit. Bobbye taught me to make pecan pie and to this day I get loads of compliments. She was the warmest person and always made you feel welcome. Hostess for many delicious holiday dinners that I was fortunate to attend. May you rest in the arms of the angels in heaven.
Jennifer Barber Carson*

Jennifer Carson - February 06, 2020 at 09:42 AM

LS

*We are sorry for the loss of Bobbye. She was a fun and loving person. I have fond memories of her, from many different times in my life. Let us take comfort knowing she is at peace now.
Laura Sellers*

Laura Sellers - February 07, 2020 at 10:09 AM

MA

“ Michele Anthony lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey



Michele Anthony - February 06, 2020 at 07:44 PM

JS

“ Janis Summers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey



janis summers - February 06, 2020 at 06:32 PM

BW

“ Billy And Jimmie Ann Weaver lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey



Billy and Jimmie Ann Weaver - February 06, 2020 at 12:29 PM

CK

“ Dear Cousins,
What a blessing to have had a Mother such as yours!
Even as children, our favorite times were summers when we spent
2 weeks with
Momma and Poppa Grizzle, and had the opportunity to bond with all
our many
cousins! Your Mom was one of the adults we were drawn to
because of her
warm and loving, as well as calm and serene character. She was a
magnet to
all in our expansive Grizzle clan in her welcoming, caring, and
gracious way of
sharing with us whatever was "in season"; be it pecans, or later, the
recipe for her
excellent pecan pie!
How wonderful that you four will perpetuate many of these
wonderful attributes
due to her parenting of you!
I continue to be grateful for the influence she had upon us as young
girls,
coming of age, as a grand example of the charm of a true Southern
Lady!
With sincere condolences; sharing in your loss and sorrow.
Much Love,
Connie (Barber) King

Connie Barber King - February 04, 2020 at 01:55 PM

LK

“ Laurie King lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Bobbie Grizzle Mackey



Laurie King - February 03, 2020 at 10:30 PM

SW

“ *Sara Baty White lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey*



Sara Baty White - February 03, 2020 at 01:23 PM

JD

“ *Joyce And David lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey*



Joyce and David - February 02, 2020 at 11:03 PM

JD

“ *We only knew Bobbye thru the words of Vivian. She must have been an amazing woman to have raised such a special daughter. We will remember Your Mother as well as the rest of your family in our prayers. We hope all the memories you treasure will continue to bring smiles to your faces each time you think of her!*

Joyce & David - February 02, 2020 at 11:01 PM

TS

“ Shirley: my condolences and prayers go out to you and your family. I am a person from your long-ago past. We attended Royston Elementary together back in the day. My family moved to Hartwell in 1969, so I did not attend FCHS. Maybe you will remember me. I have often wondered about you and where you live. I wish I could attend your Mama's service to renew our friendship. Since I cannot, I send my love and prayers. If you are on Facebook, please look me up. I remember you being such a tiny little girl, so pretty, dark skinned and just a little princess. I also remember you talking about your baby sister, Vivian. I have looked at the video and tried to figure out which one is you. It has been a long time for sure. May God comfort and sustain you during the days to come. Teresa Bennett Shirley.

Teresa Shirley - February 02, 2020 at 09:34 PM

PF

“ Pam Fleming sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey



Pam Fleming - February 02, 2020 at 07:35 PM

JP

“ Jeff Phillips lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey



Jeff Phillips - February 02, 2020 at 07:24 PM

JB

“ *My most heartfelt condolences.* ❤️

John Blackford - February 02, 2020 at 05:41 PM

KR

“ *Kayla Robison lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey*



Kayla Robison - February 02, 2020 at 03:47 PM

AK

“ *Alan And Phyllis King lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey*



Alan and Phyllis King - February 02, 2020 at 02:34 PM

DR

“ *Diane Rast lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey*



Diane Rast - February 02, 2020 at 02:24 PM

ES

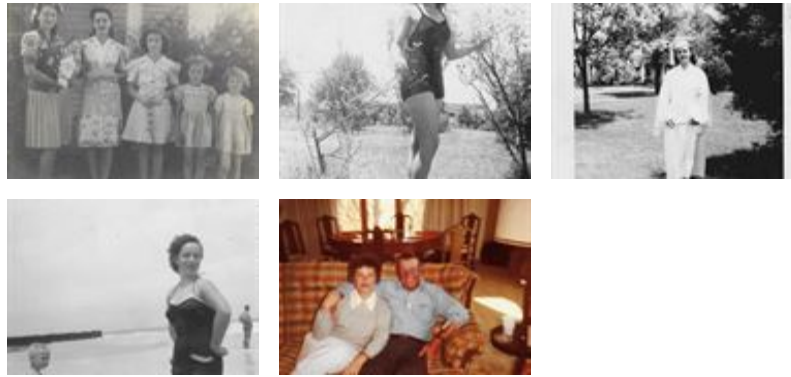
“ *Edwina Skinner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey*



Edwina Skinner - February 02, 2020 at 02:22 PM



“ *65 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Pruitt Funeral Home - February 02, 2020 at 02:02 PM

BD

“ *Beth Dalton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobbye Grizzle Mackey*



Beth Dalton - February 02, 2020 at 01:40 PM

GB

“ Greg & Barbara Beck lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bobby Grizzle Mackey



Greg & Barbara Beck - February 02, 2020 at 12:47 PM

JD

“ Jerry And Carla Drake sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Bobby Grizzle Mackey



Jerry and Carla Drake - February 02, 2020 at 12:33 PM

JD

Heaven certainly gained a fabulous angel!! She will never be forgotten!!!

Jerry and Carla Drake - February 02, 2020 at 12:35 PM