



Violet Jane Young

May 25, 1931 - April 23, 2024

Violet Jane (Barnes) Young left this earth to be with her Lord on April 23rd at 8:20 p.m. at the age of 92. Violet was born on May 25th, 1931, to Ruben Hiram Barnes and Lenner (Eason) Barnes near England, Arkansas, moving to Adona in her early teens. Violet was preceded in death by her parents, the love of her life Harold Edward Young Sr. (Buddy), and siblings, Goldie West, Frances Reeves and Delbert Barnes.

Violet lived life to the fullest. She and Buddy were incredible parents raising three sons in Little Rock and at their lake house on Harris Brake. They were a close family involved in sports, hunting and fishing. Violet was a stellar athlete playing guard for Adona High School where she was named All-State. Violet was raised on a farm and was a hard worker; there wasn't a job she couldn't or wouldn't do. She farmed fields and chopped cotton alongside men – beating them in cotton chopping contests. Violet and Buddy were devout Christians and raised their family in the Baptist Church. They were founding members of Wakefield Baptist Church. When Buddy passed away, Violet went to school to become a Psychiatric nurse at the Arkansas State Hospital where she worked for 22 years. Violet was known as a caring yet tough nurse and was respected by her patients and co-workers. When Violet retired, she moved from Little Rock to Morrilton and volunteered at the Hospital Auxiliary. Violet moved her letter to Calvary Baptist Church in Morrilton in 1998 and was active in their programs. Violet lived at Azalea Commons and later Springdale Health and Rehab, both in Springdale, Arkansas.

Violet was a very loved mother and leaves three sons to cherish her memory: Harold Young Jr., Morris Young (Dona) and Dennis Young (Kaye). Violet was a very involved grandmother and was blessed with five grandchildren who adored her: Melissa McClain, Harold III (Buddy) Young, Alan (Sonny) Young (Althea), Daniel Young, and Bryan Young (Caroline). She lived for her grandchildren and spoiled them rotten. Violet also has five great grandchildren who she loved dearly: Ethan Loomis, Cy Young, Emery Young, Kaylan Young and Rua Young.

Violet will be laid to rest next to her loving husband, Buddy, on Saturday, May 4th at 2 p.m. (graveside service) at the McGhee Cemetery on Highway 10 in Perry, Arkansas. Her nephew, Dr. Steve Young, will perform the service. Harris Funeral Home in Morrilton is handling the care and services.

Cemetery Details

McGhee Cemetery

1420 Highway 10
Adona, AR 72001

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAY 4. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

ML

“ I loved this women so much she always made my day . Will be very much missed also we miss seeing her son and kay her wonderful Daughter in law they would always help out with everything

Mabel Labra - July 03, 2024 at 12:18 PM

PH

“ Mrs. Young was one of the kindest women I've ever known. We considered her a member of our family. She was a compassionate nurse who touched many lives. Rest in peace, Mrs. Young. You will be missed.

Paula Bridges Holleman - May 13, 2024 at 11:04 AM

MR

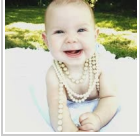
“ She was my mom's next door neighbor and a great friend to her. She was always there for us during mom's illness. She was the sweetest person to all of us especially my two young boys. During the day we would sit outside my mom's house with her and she always had little bottles of orange juice and snacks for my boys. She was such a giving, sweet spirit and we all loved her so much. She will be missed.

Melanie Russell - May 01, 2024 at 11:24 AM

JB

“ Such a sweet and wonderful lady & friend!
She was such a comfort and help to us during Mom's illness.

Jeannine Betts - May 01, 2024 at 09:17 AM



“ my wonderful Aunt Babe was a bright light in my life, I could feel her love, acceptance, support for me all my life....she encouraged me, unconditionally loved me.....I will miss my Aunt Babe....

Mary West - April 30, 2024 at 10:21 PM

AS

“ I remember Violet very well. She was always a sweetheart.

Alice Spires - April 29, 2024 at 05:37 PM

PF

“ Paul and Debbie Bridges & Family purchased the Multicolor Bright Sympathy Basket for the family of Violet Jane Young.



Paul and Debbie Bridges & Family - April 27, 2024 at 03:23 PM

SS

“ Sharon S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Violet Jane Young.

Sharon S. - April 26, 2024 at 02:49 PM

SS

“ Sharon S. purchased the Classic Sympathy Dish Garden for the family of Violet Jane Young.



Sharon S. - April 26, 2024 at 02:49 PM

TF

“ *The Jim Young family purchased the Lavender & White Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Violet Jane Young.*



The Jim Young family - April 26, 2024 at 02:35 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Violet Jane Young.*



April 26, 2024 at 02:27 PM