



Mrs. Mary Nell Strickland

May 17, 1940 - January 9, 2024

Funeral service for Ms. Mary Nell Strickland, 83, of Opelika, AL will be held at 11:00 am Tuesday, January 16, 2024 at St. Paul AME Church with interment in Evergreen Cemetery. Rev. W. J. Lyles will officiate.

Ms. Strickland passed away Tuesday, January 9, 2024 at the Bethany House. She was a member of St. Paul AME Church. In 1958, she graduated from JW Darden High School.

Public viewing will be held Monday from 2:00-6:00 pm. Her remains will lie in state at the church one hour prior to the service.

She is survived by: one sister, Mary Elizabeth Strickland Durr of Opelika, AL; two brothers, Isaac Wayne (Phyllis) Strickland and Lawrence (Tawanda) Strickland both of Opelika, AL; a brother-in-law: Dr. Robert Bryant of Detroit, MI; two sisters-in-law, Mary Helen Strickland of Atlanta, GA and Blanche Strickland of Tallahassee, FL; a god-son, Victor Foster; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

1409 Monroe Avenue
Opelika, AL 36801

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **15**. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Peterson and Williams Funeral Home
1016 McCoy Street
Opelika, AL 36801
(334) 745-6473
pw1016mccoy@hotmail.com

Service

JAN **16**. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
713 Powledge Ave
Opelika, AL 36801

Tribute Wall

LF

“ All my condolences to the family of Mary Nell. Pray for peace and comfort that only God can give. Worked with her at Opelika Nursing Home. She could light up a room. God bless in days ahead. Larry Fogarty



Larry W Fogarty - January 20, 2024 at 04:31 PM

ST

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of Ms. Nell Strickland. James & Mary Stinson Family



Stinson - January 15, 2024 at 10:39 PM

MB

“ Wishing you comfort, peace, and hope during this time of sadness.

Mary Buchanan - January 15, 2024 at 09:34 PM

AF

“ Adam Lee Hatcher & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Mary Nell Strickland.

Adam Lee Hatcher & Family - January 15, 2024 at 09:05 PM



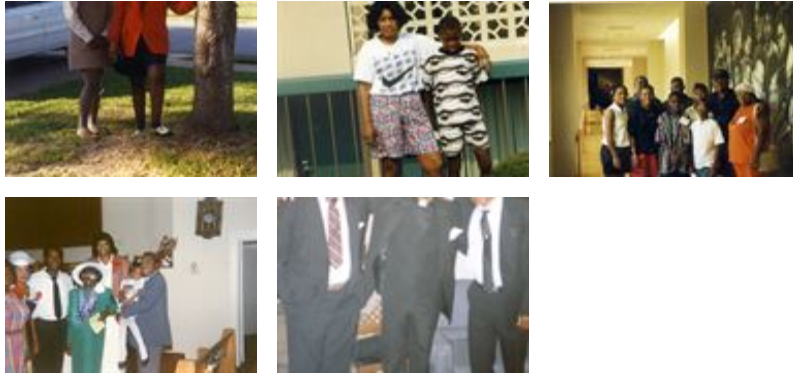
“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Nell Strickland.*



January 15, 2024 at 09:05 PM



“ *39 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Peterson and Williams Funeral Home - January 15, 2024 at 12:22 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Nell Strickland.*



January 14, 2024 at 09:36 PM

LC

“ Prayers and sympathies are extended to the family.
The Veasley Family
Gloria & Loretta

Loretta Veasley Cook - January 14, 2024 at 04:19 PM

CB

“ Chris, Megann & Maxwell Bryant planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Mary Nell Strickland.

Chris, Megann & Maxwell Bryant - January 13, 2024 at 09:19 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Nell Strickland.



January 13, 2024 at 09:19 PM

JL

“ Mrs. Mary Durr/Strickland Family,
May loving memories of Ms. Nell embrace
you in this season of your life. 🙏



judy Lockhart - January 13, 2024 at 07:10 PM

KW

“ *My heartfelt condolences to the family and prayers for peace, strength and comfort.*
Blessings K. L. Williams



Karen L Williams - January 12, 2024 at 07:20 PM

CE

“ *Constance Echols lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Nell Strickland*



Constance Echols - January 11, 2024 at 08:52 PM

JP

“ *My Dear Strickland Families and Relatives*

I am deeply saddened to hear about the passing of my beloved cousin, Mary Nell Strickland. Please accept my heartfelt condolences during this difficult time. Losing someone as special as Mary Nell is an immense loss, and my thoughts are with you and your family as you navigate through this period of grief and sorrow.

Mary Nell's warmth, kindness, and the love she shared with everyone around her will be dearly missed. Her memory will live on in the hearts of all who were fortunate enough to know her. May you find comfort in the cherished moments and beautiful memories you shared with her on Long Street, at J.W. Darden High School and beyond.

May her spirit continue to shine brightly in your lives.

Please know that I am here for you as I have knowledge and recent experience in the grief process, and if there is anything that I can do to support you through this time of mourning, please do not hesitate to reach out. Wishing you strength, peace, and the solace of fond memories as you honor and celebrate Mary Nell's remarkable life.

*With heartfelt sympathy,
Cousin James*

James W Strickland PhD - January 11, 2024 at 04:13 PM

VC

“ *So sorry for your loss. Praying for peace and healing, in Jesus name.*

The Colquitts

Viola Colquitt - January 11, 2024 at 03:13 PM

DL

“ Sending condolences and praying for the family! Love, The Lyles & Menifee Family

Deborah Lyles - January 11, 2024 at 02:19 AM

ML

I. Being. Knowing the. The family. Long time. We. Use. To. Live. Around the corner from each other. I'm. Sending. Prayers. And. Sympathy. To the. Family. Williard lewis

Minster. Williard lewis - January 11, 2024 at 12:03 PM

ML

I. Bening. Knowing the. Strickland. Family. Long. Time. We. Use. To. Live. Around the corner from. Each other. Minster. Williard lewis

Minster. Williard lewis - January 11, 2024 at 02:49 PM