



Betty Owen Long

August 14, 1929 - May 3, 2020

Betty Owen Long, 90, passed away Sunday, May 3 at Dogwood Plantation Assisted Living, New Albany, MS. She was born August 29, 1929 to Samuel Erst Long, Sr. and Lavonia Owen Long in Ripley, MS.

She attended Rhodes College in Memphis, Tennessee and Belhaven College in Jackson, Mississippi. In 1952, Betty also served as Miss Hospitality for Ripley, MS.

After working at Tippah Wholesale in Ripley, MS, she moved to Algoma, MS where she helped run Longview Farm. Later she returned to Ripley MS where she was a member of First Presbyterian Church.

Her family includes: four nephews: Mike Long (Barb) of Ripley, MS; Ray Long (Lorraine) of Meridian, MS; Sam Long (Frances) of Meridian, MS; Randy Long (Penny) of Corinth, MS; one niece, Susie Marshall (Bob) of West Point, MS. Mimi Long Hobson and Witt Long (Pat) are a great niece and great nephew of Ripley, MS. Betty also has ten great nieces and nephews and twenty-four great, great nieces and nephews.

The family greatly appreciates the amazing, loving care provided to Betty by Michelle Walker and the staff at Dogwood Plantation.

A private family graveside service will be held Tuesday, May 5, 2020.

Burial is in Tippah Memorial Gardens with Reverend Bill Connolly officiating.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAY 5.

Tippah Memorial Gardens
Hwy 370
Ripley, MS

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Owen Long*

October 05, 2023 at 12:14 PM



“ *Lois Watson lit a candle in memory of Betty Owen Long*



Lois Watson - May 04, 2020 at 10:38 AM



“ *WEST RIPLEY BAPTIST CHURCH sent a virtual gift in memory of Betty Owen Long*



WEST RIPLEY BAPTIST CHURCH - May 04, 2020 at 09:35 AM