



## Billie J. Hughey

October 28, 1939 - August 15, 2023

Billie Childs Hughey went home to be with the Lord at the age of 83 on August 15, at Tippah County Hospital in Ripley, MS. She was born on October 28, 1939 to Corwin and Lucille Childs.

Billie married Wayne Hughey on June 6, 1958. Billie graduated from Mississippi State with a BS degree in Business. She began her career in banking at First National Bank in Blue Mountain, MS. She retired from The Peoples Bank in 2003. She was a member of Palmer Baptist Church.

Billie was a loving wife and mother who loved spending time with her family and friends. She enjoyed cooking and traveling. Mama Billie taught her children and grandchildren how to love the Lord and to turn to Jesus for their strength. She always encouraged her family to "Take Time to Smell the Roses" on their journey through life.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one son-in-law, Terry Smith.

Billie is survived by her husband of 65 years, Wayne Hughey; a daughter, Phylis Smith of Blue Mountain; a son, Michael Hughey (Tonya) of Brookhaven; four grandchildren, Leigh Lovell (Kate) of Blue Mountain, Josh Smith of Olive Branch, Britt and Carson Hughey of Brookhaven. Billie is survived by two sisters, Linda Gunn (Jimmy) of Walnut; Martha Tomlinson of Walnut; one

brother, Charles Childs (Gara) of Ripley.

McBride Funeral Home is in charge of the services. The funeral service will be at 2:00 p.m., Sunday August 20 at McBride Funeral Home Chapel with burial in the Hughey Family Cemetery. Visitation is from 11:00 a.m. until the time of service. Officiating the service will be Bro. Don Wilson and Bro. Richie Lockhart.

Pallbearers will be: Josh Smith, Britt Hughey, Josh Locke, Roger Childs, Joe Childs, and Jimmy Gunn.

The family wishes to thank all who have prayed and cared for Billie during this time especially Amber Burge and the staff of Gentiva Hospice, Tippah County Hospital and McBride Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Hughey Family Cemetery

3271 Hwy 368  
Blue Mountain, MS

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 20.** 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

McBride Funeral Home, Inc.  
206 N. Commerce St  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Billie J. Hughey*

October 05, 2023 at 12:14 PM



“ *Stephanie McClintock lit a candle in memory of Billie J. Hughey*



Stephanie McClintock - August 29, 2023 at 04:06 PM



“ *She was a very nice lady and always willing to help. Very professional. So sorry for your loss.*

Beverly A Thompson - August 17, 2023 at 09:41 PM



“ *Sharon Tatum Anderson and Family purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Billie J. Hughey.*



Sharon Tatum Anderson and Family - August 17, 2023 at 02:40 PM

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“ Sharon Tatum Anderson and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Billie J. Hughey.

Sharon Tatum Anderson and Family - August 17, 2023 at 02:40 PM

MF

“ Mt Zion Church Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Billie J. Hughey.



Mt Zion Church Family - August 17, 2023 at 11:25 AM

PS

“ Polly & Jackie Stokes lit a candle in memory of Billie J. Hughey



Polly & Jackie Stokes - August 17, 2023 at 11:17 AM



“ Stephanie McClintock lit a candle in memory of Billie J. Hughey



Stephanie McClintock - August 15, 2023 at 11:36 AM