



Barbara Faye Atchley

April 7, 1938 - August 31, 2021

Barbara Faye Atchley, 83 of Guntersville, passed away on Tuesday, August 31st, 2021, at Hospice Family Care. Mrs. Atchley was born on April 7th, 1938, to Hartselle Schrimsher and Ethel Wales Schrimsher.

Mrs. Atchley is survived by her daughter Cindy Wynn; sons Wayne Atchley and Wendell Atchley (Katie); grandchildren Jessica and Breanna Easter (Adam Sayre), Addison Atchley, Jonathan (Audra), Thomas, and Jeremy Atchley; sister Charlotte Davis; brother Douglas Schrimsher; and several nieces and nephews.

Preceded in death by her parents; husband Leon "Boe" Atchley; and 7 siblings.

A graveside service for Mrs. Atchley will be Friday, September 3rd, 2021, at 2:30pm at Elkview Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Friday from 12:00-2:00pm at Limestone Chapel Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

JF

“ So sorry to see that part of my life pass away. Barbara and I were in the first grade together at East Limestone School. Good Memories!

Jerry Franklin - September 05, 2021 at 09:53 PM

BG

“ Wayne, Sincere condolences on the passing of your mom. She raised a sweet son. Praying for your family in the days ahead.

Barbara Goode - September 02, 2021 at 07:51 PM

WJ

“ Tootie, was the kindness, sweetest, loving, caring and funny, beautiful person anyone ever met. I can't imagine how broken hearted and lost Cindy, Wayne, and all the family are. She loved all unconditionally. Tootie, I will miss our talks, spending time together, especially our times on the river. You will always be in our hearts ❤️
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Wanda Johnson - September 01, 2021 at 04:34 PM

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“Honor of Barbara Atchley AKA- Granny After my mom passed, I thought it fitting to write my feelings on my mother-in-law, Mom Atchley. I remember that Mom Atchley didn't really care for me in the beginning. Then she loved me for being the mother of her grandchildren. We were very different, from two very different cultures. She tried hard to help me fit in by bringing me to her Baptist church and to family gatherings. When I had Jonathon, she volunteered to keep him while I worked. She kept him two days, and my parents kept him two days a week. She was a blessing. Everyone knows how expensive daycare is and all those illnesses babies bring home from day cares. Because of the hours I worked and the distance between our homes, she kept him overnight. Jonathon did not sleep through the night well, so I know now that she was very strong and devoted to care for him. She loved and spoiled her first grandchild for the several years that she kept him. When Thomas was born, she came and stayed overnight with us several times to help, so that I could sleep; as Thomas did not sleep through the night. When I had Jeremy, he was ill and ended up in the hospital. This is where she truly shows her Christian values. She lived in Athens and was afflicted with arthritis, but that didn't stop her from coming to the hospital in Huntsville to help watch him and send me to my mom's house to rest. Now, my mom lived in Huntsville, and while Mom Atchley was at the hospital, my mom was having a lunch party with friends. My mom didn't come and stay overnight when I had my children because she worked- but not on the weekends. She did watch her grandchildren on the weekends when I worked, and my dad often watched them and would meet Mom Atchley or myself halfway between Athens and Huntsville to pick up the kids. My mom didn't come to the hospital when Jeremy was there because I didn't ask her and she didn't volunteer. Mom Atchley was always there when I needed her. Sometimes I asked, but mostly she volunteered. She was there for me when my dad passed also. I know my kids will always remember her as the Granny that took them out to eat and to the movies. She loved them and spoiled them. She showed her Christian values by being there for me, even through the difficult times. For that I am truly honored

to call her Mom. I Love you, Katie

Katie Atchley - September 01, 2021 at 02:58 PM

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Cindy Wayne and Wendell and the entire family. Barbara was my next door neighbor and a very dear friend. God placed her in my life during a very difficult time for me she always knew how to make your life better with her little perks and laughs. I loved Barbara dearly, and she showed me that love in return Barbara had many good friends and neighbors, my family shared that love also for Barbara. I visited her quite often talked with her everyday and on Wednesday she would come visit me in my home I am truly going to miss my dear friend. "RIP" my precious friend Barbara !! I know that Barbara has many jewels in her crown until we meet again my precious friend I will truly miss you and I always love you rest in peace.*

Darlene Poe Maddox - September 01, 2021 at 01:49 PM

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“ *A beautiful lady inside and out. A truly good friend and next door neighbor for the passed 2 years. I have loved sitting on our porches and talking about different things and life as it has been for our many years. She had a few years on me but we grew up in the same generation. Had many stories to share with each other. I will miss her so much as I have already. Praying for all her family and her friends who I know are missing her also. Loved Ms. Barbara ❤️*
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Carolyn Lindsay - September 01, 2021 at 01:42 PM