



Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman

October 28, 1940 - May 24, 2024

Statesboro, Georgia

Mrs. Earnestine Goodman, age 83, entered rest Friday evening, May 24, 2024, at the East Georgia Regional Medical Center.

The Bulloch County native was the daughter of the late Clarence and Eloise Jones Thomas.

Mrs. Goodman received her formal education in the Bulloch County School System and was a member of the Saint Paul Missionary Baptist Church.

She worked for many years at Bulloch Memorial Hospital before being employed by East Georgia Regional Hospital, from which she retired.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband, Rufus Goodman, Sr, a son Randy Goodman, her siblings, Laura Nixon, Josephine Edmond, Betty Williams Drummer, Emma Jean Weaver and George Thomas

Those left to cherish her memories are: her children, Cathy (Dan E.) Jackson, Sherry (Zacchaeus) Grant, Rufus (Vivian) Goodman, III. and Ricky Goodman, all of Statesboro, GA., a daughter-in-law, Patricia Goodman, Portal, GA; her brothers, Clarence Williams of Statesboro, GA; Otis (Vernita) Williams of

Metter, GA; and Ronald Williams of Savannah, GA; sisters, Janice Williams Respres, Atlanta, GA; Helen Thomas, Willie Mae Thomas and Mattie (David) Byrd; a brother-in-law, William (Jessie) Goodman, Elmont, NY, a sister-in-law, Melissa Goodman (Russell) Bennett, Statesboro, GA, grandchildren whom she raised, Antonio T. Goodman and Micky Burchell; a 13 grandchildren, a host of great grandchildren, several great-great grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

A viewing for Mrs. Earnestine Goodman will be held Thursday, May 30, 2024, from 4 P.M. to 7 P.M., at Hill's Mortuary, Inc.

The funeral service for Mrs. Goodman, will be held, at 11 A.M., Friday, May 31, 2024, at the St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church, with the Rev. Maurice Hill, officiating. The burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Final rites have been entrusted to Hill's Mortuary, Inc.

Previous Events

Viewing

MAY 30. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hill's Mortuary
58 Packinghouse Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Funeral Service

MAY 31. 11:00 AM (ET)

Saint Paul Baptist Church Cemetery
Register, GA 30452

Burial

MAY 31 (ET)

Saint Paul Baptist Church Cemetery
Register, GA 30452

Tribute Wall

RH

“ We wish the entire family peace, comfort, and love during this time.



Regency Southerncare Hospice - May 30, 2024 at 10:35 PM

NM

“ Prayers and love to the family



Nicoll Gilbert and Kay Meridy - May 30, 2024 at 09:18 PM



“ Love you best friend 🦋💜



C - May 30, 2024 at 07:25 PM

LS

“ Sending heartfelt prayers and condolences to the family 🙏



Lavern Smith - May 30, 2024 at 03:21 PM

SH

“ I am sorry for your loss. Ms. Earnestine was such a sweet woman whom I enjoyed talking with anytime God would allow our paths to cross! Praying for strength, comfort and peace for all of those who had the pleasure of knowing her.
Heaven has gained another Angel 🙏💕😊

Shantell Henry - May 30, 2024 at 03:00 PM

CC

“ Charlene Conley purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman.



Charlene Conley - May 30, 2024 at 10:51 AM

JM

“ My children and I had the pleasure of living next door to this wonderful lady by the Sheriff's Dept many years ago. She was always the kindest and sweetest person.
Deepest condolences to her family. She was an angel walking on earth and will remain an angel watching over her loved ones.

Jeanette Medina - May 30, 2024 at 10:50 AM

VE

“ Vernessa Ellis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman



Vernessa Ellis - May 30, 2024 at 09:27 AM

SF

“ Stacey Irvin-Lockhart & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman.

Stacey Irvin-Lockhart & Family - May 30, 2024 at 05:50 AM

SF

“ Stacey Irvin-Lockhart & Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman.



Stacey Irvin-Lockhart & Family - May 30, 2024 at 05:50 AM

LR

“ So sorry for your loss, with deepest condolences 🙏
Linda Ramey and the Whitfield Family



Linda Ramey - May 29, 2024 at 10:23 PM

ML

“ To The Goodman Family: Our thoughts and Prayers are with you All. Love You Family.

Minister Velma Littles - May 29, 2024 at 08:34 PM

ML

“ *Minister Velma Littles lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ernestine W. Goodman*



Minister Velma Littles - May 29, 2024 at 08:32 PM

QJ

“ *Quinn Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Ernestine W. Goodman*



Quinn Jackson - May 29, 2024 at 07:22 PM

AP

“ *Arnold Perkins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ernestine W. Goodman*



Arnold Perkins - May 29, 2024 at 05:39 PM

GS

“ *Georgia Sampson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ernestine W. Goodman*



Georgia Sampson - May 29, 2024 at 04:25 PM

SR

“ Sharon Miller/Terry Rogers sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman



Sharon Miller/Terry Rogers - May 29, 2024 at 04:19 PM

SR

“ Condolences to the Goodman Family. From Terry an Sharon Rogers



Sharon Miller/Terry Rogers - May 29, 2024 at 04:18 PM

LW

“ Lynette Jones Wilcox lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman



Lynette Jones Wilcox - May 29, 2024 at 03:42 PM

BL

“ BETTY A Lewis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman



BETTY A Lewis - May 29, 2024 at 10:27 AM

JW

Earnestine was a sweet kind lady, she will be missed by many, you have my deepest . God be with this family in their time of sorrow.

julia williams - May 30, 2024 at 07:08 AM

CC

“ *Charlene Coleman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman*



Charlene Coleman - May 28, 2024 at 09:36 PM

SI

“ *Stacey Irvin-Lockhart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman*



Stacey Irvin-Lockhart - May 28, 2024 at 06:44 PM

DD

“ *Danlyn Brown Devine lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Earnestine W. Goodman*



Danlyn Brown Devine - May 28, 2024 at 05:53 PM

LS

My deepest condolences to the families of Ms. Earnestine (Tack) she was truly an angel, always kind hearted, and a sweet spirited person you all are going to have some rough days ahead, but earth has no sorrow that Heaven cannot heal. Now is the time to love each other with all your heart and soul it's nothing like losing a mother. May God Be With You All Is My Prayer Linder B Shatteen

Linder Humphries Shatteen - June 07, 2024 at 12:03 AM