



## Alma Mackie Sears

December 19, 1920 - January 26, 2017

Mrs. Alma Mackie Avera Sears, age 96, of Douglas, GA passed away Thursday, January 26, 2017 at Suwannee Valley Care Center in Lake City, Columbia County, Florida following an extended illness. Mrs. Sears was born December 19, 1920 to the late William Henry Avera and the late Mackie Nicholls Avera. Other than her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Roger Sears; one daughter, Betty Phillips and 2 Grandchildren, Christi Douglas and Cameron Blasingame.

Mrs. Sears, a native of Nashville, Berrien County, Georgia was a retired salesclerk with B. C. Moore & Sons of Douglas and Nashville, GA.

Mrs. Sears was an active member of both Pine Grove Baptist Church and the Red Hat Society.

Survivors include:

2 Sons, William D. (Ann) Bailey and Tony (Carol) Bailey both of Douglas, GA

2 Daughters, Ann Jenkins of Live Oak, FL and Carolyn (Troy) Blasingame of Douglas, GA

13 Grandchildren

Numerous Great Grandchildren

Several Nieces, Nephews, Other Relatives and Friends.

Funeral Services were held Sunday, January 29, 2017 at 3:00 P.M. at Pine Grove Baptist Church with Rev. John Carver, Rev. Marshall Adcock and Rev. Emanuel Ellison officiating. A Poem was given by Tony Bailey. The interment followed in Satilla Memorial Gardens.

Active Pallbearers were: Tony Bailey, Dillon Ellis, Roger Blanton, Brooks Adcock, Thad Nobles, Paul Schneider and Chris Hutto.

Honorary Pallbearers were members of the Red Hat Society.

Special Musical Selections, "How Great Thou Art" and "Amazing Grace," were presented by the Soloist and Pianist, Alison Adcock. "Pre-Lude" and "Post-Lude" soft hymns were rendered by the Pianist, Patsy Evans.

Condolences may be left at [www.ricketsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.ricketsonfuneralhome.com). Ricketson Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Satilla Memorial Gardens

5701 U.S. Hwy. 441 South  
Douglas, GA 31535

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 29. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Pine Grove Baptist Church  
101 Pine Grove Church Road  
Nicholls, GA 31544

## Funeral Service

JAN 29. 3:00 PM (ET)

Pine Grove Baptist Church  
101 Pine Grove Church Road  
Nicholls, GA 31544

# Tribute Wall



“ *Alma Mackie Sears*

November 08, 2022 at 06:41 PM



“ *Jo Ann Stephens lit a candle in memory of Alma Mackie Sears*



**Jo Ann Stephens** - February 10, 2017 at 09:29 PM



“ *Roy Cato lit a candle in memory of Alma Mackie Sears*



**Roy Cato** - January 30, 2017 at 10:52 PM



“ *Debra Harrell lit a candle in memory of Alma Mackie Sears*



**Debra Harrell** - January 28, 2017 at 07:10 PM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alma Mackie Sears.*



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January 28, 2017 at 02:26 PM



“ *Prayers and deepest condolences.*



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**Tammy Rewis** - January 28, 2017 at 10:08 AM



“ *Deborah Boyd lit a candle in memory of Alma Mackie Sears*



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**deborah boyd** - January 27, 2017 at 09:08 PM