



Dessie Mae Stokes

February 3, 1925 - August 16, 2015

Mrs. Dessie Mae Chaney Stokes, age 90, of Douglas passed away Sunday, August 16, 2015, at the residence of her son, Verlon Wendell Grantham, following an extended illness. She was born February 3, 1925 to the late Warren Chaney and the late Ethel Stokes Chaney. Mrs. Stokes, a native of Jeff Davis County, was a Seamstress at the Federal Corset Factory. She was also preceded in death by her late husbands, Dewey W. Grantham and Dewey W. Stokes. Mrs. Stokes was a member of the West Ward Street Church of God. Survivors include: 1 Son: Verlon Wendell (Linda) Grantham of Douglas, Ga.; 2 Sisters: Myrtle Burris of Waycross, Ga., and Dene Butler of Warner Robins, Ga.; 1 Brother: Edward Chaney of Blackshear, Ga.; 4 Grandchildren, 2 Step-Grandchildren, and 14 Great Grandchildren. Several Nieces, Nephews, Friends, and Other Relatives. Funeral Services were held Wednesday, August 19, 2015, at 2:00 P. M., at the West Ward Street Church of God, with Rev. Britt Peavy officiating. The Interment followed in the Douglas City Cemetery. Active Pallbearers were: Shaun Grantham, Darryl Smith, Jesse Jowers, Julius Busby, Johnny Wayne Jowers, Wendell Grantham, and Peter Cothorn. Members of the Adult Sunday School Class served as Honorary Pallbearers. Special Musical Selections, "Amazing Grace / My Chains Are Gone", and "Beulah Land", were presented by the Soloist, Derek Soles, with CD Music. "Pre-Lude" and "Post-Lude" were presented by Olin Greer, at the Piano. Ricketson Funeral Home was in charge of the Arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Douglas City Cemetery

1622 North Gaskin Avenue
Douglas, GA 31533

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 18. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Dessie Mae Stokes*

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