



## Margaret B. Thurman

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Beloved Mother, Grandmother, Aunt, and friend, Margaret Thurman peacefully passed away at home and now dwells in her heavenly home.

Margaret was born in Fort Payne, Alabama, to Irene and Clarence Bible. She graduated from DeKalb County High School in 1944. After her marriage to James Rice in 1945, she resided on the Rice Farm in Fort Payne. She loved her flower garden, her pets and entertaining family and friends. As a member of First United Methodist Church since she was 15 years old, she found strength from the Lord and her church family. She was a member of the Apharine Driskell Sunday School Class, United Methodist Women, CARE Group, and Happy Hands.

After the death of her husband James Rice, Margaret married Warren Thurman in 1976.

Margaret is survived by her children Patricia Haas Tcherneshoff and James Rice (Kathy); grandchildren Melissa Haas Kerley and Britt Haas (Susan Sparks) all of Fort Payne; Clint Rice, Margie Rockman (Ben), Ben Rice (Sarah) both of Florida; beloved great grandchildren and great-great-

grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents Clarence and Irene Bible, husbands James Rice and Warren Thurman, and sister Nadene Farley.

Memorial graveside services will be held 11 a.m. Tuesday, October 5, 2021 at Glenwood Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions be made to First United Methodist Church, 206 Grand Avenue NW, Fort Payne, AL 35967.

# Cemetery Details

## Glenwood Cemetery

1002 Grand Avenue SW  
Fort Payne, AL 35967

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

OCT 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

Glenwood Cemetery  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Margaret B. Thurman

January 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ I remember all of the sleepovers I had with Margie at her house when we were kids. She had the coolest house and we would run around the upstairs getting into all kinds of things. I remember she and Ben would have spitting contests off the upper balcony too. :) - Anna McCurdy



Anna McCurdy - October 04, 2021 at 05:05 PM



“ The McCurdy's (Robert, Bob/Andrea, Anna) purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Margaret B. Thurman.



The McCurdy's (Robert, Bob/Andrea, Anna) - October 04, 2021 at 04:59 PM