



Gloria Collins Hinson

February 2, 1938 - July 20, 2025

Mrs. Gloria Hinson, 87 of Graceville, Florida, went home to be with our Lord and Savior on Sunday, July 20, 2025.

Mrs. Gloria was born in Bonifay, Florida on February 2, 1938, to the late William Walton Collins and Inez Peters Collins. After attending Poplar Springs High School, Mrs. Gloria married the love of her life James “Don” Donald Hinson. In years past she was a youth sponsor, Sunday School Teacher, and choir member at Damascus Baptist Church where she is a longtime member. She worked alongside her husband as they started the tape ministry at the church for the shut-ins whether home or in the nursing home. Even upon his passing, she continued the ministry until she was unable. She was a kind and loving true southern lady who enjoyed her family and grandchildren, as they affectionately called her “Gran-Gran”

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband and one brother Donald Collins.

She is survived by her children Teresa Hinson Creel (James), Timothy “Tim” Don Hinson, three grandchildren Gabriel Drew Creel, Ashley Summer Reynolds (Colby), Easton Hinson (Aliesha), two great grandsons James William Reynolds, Bryar Weston Hinson, four siblings Ray Collins (Betty Ann), Bruce Collins (Sue), Patsy Hawkins, Sylvia Collins, several nieces, nephews

and cousins.

A Home-going service will be 11 a.m., Tuesday, July 21, 2025, at the Chapel of James & Lipford Funeral Home with Rev. Chester Padgett officiating, James & Lipford Funeral Home directing. Burial will be in Damascus Baptist Church Cemetery.

A visitation will be at the chapel, 10:30 until the time of the service.

For those wishing, flowers will be accepted or make memorials to the Damascus Baptist Church Youth Fund 5083 Hwy. 77 Graceville, Florida 32440.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **22**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

CL

“ She was a very sweet lady. Always had a positive attitude about everything. So glad to meet her and we will be meeting her in heaven some sweet day.

Casey Laycox - July 25, 2025 at 04:42 PM

CS

“ She was a dear friend and my mom's roommate. At the Mariana Health and Rehab. She would always smile and have the sweetest spirit and love to reach up and hug you. A very kind lady. She loved the Lord with all her heart and the Lord would just shine through her eyes. We will see you soon, dear friend.

Cheryl Hightower/ my mom is Esther Smith - July 24, 2025 at 01:59 PM

RB

She is sweet lady I enjoy taking care of her her always tell me how sweet I'm and I'm good nurse I'm going miss her

Rita Bryant - July 24, 2025 at 09:35 PM

JC

“ I met sister Gloria in the Mariana home my best friend mom was her roommate everything we went in I would all love on her an she was so sick an I helped her an my sis got a nurse.we been praying for her an her family it was so good to meet her sister an sister in law.we are heartbroken but we know she was a Christian lady she's singing an shouting Hallelujah.i will miss her an I know everyone will.



Janice cone - July 24, 2025 at 01:56 PM