



Joyce Yvonne Lee

October 5, 1934 - September 13, 2017

Joyce Yvonne Bilbo Lee, 82, of Graceville, FL went to be with the Lord on September 13, 2017. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, September, 16 at the Chapel of the Baptist College of Florida in Graceville with Rev. Tom Anderson officiating. Burial will follow in Marvin Chapel Cemetery with James & Lipford Funeral Home of Graceville directing. Family will receive friends at the funeral home Friday, 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Dr. J. W. and Joyce Lee Scholarship Fund at the Baptist College of Florida, 5400 College Drive, Graceville, FL 32440. Mrs. Lee was born on October 5, 1934 in Bogalusa, LA. After her marriage, she began attending Louisiana College, but soon her growing family took precedence over school. One accomplishment during this period was the establishment of a Kindergarten at First Baptist Church in Jennings, LA. Last year, that program celebrated its 50th anniversary. Once the children were older, Mrs. Lee graduated from Troy State University with a degree in education. She taught in Florida elementary schools for 25 years. Mrs. Lee ministered along with her husband, J.W. Lee, in numerous area churches and at the Baptist College of Florida. She continued to bless and serve others after he passed 12 years ago. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Graceville. She is survived by her three children, Jerolyn Barnhart (Tom), Jody Lee, and Jerry Lee (Peggi); five beloved grandchildren, Robert Barnhart, Lindsay Barnhart, Rebecca Barnhart, Jarrod Lee, and Jonnie Katherine Lee; and one great-grandchild, Ava Waller.

Tribute Wall

MP

“ *Jerolyn, I am just seeing this. I am so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. I will be keeping you and your family in my prayers. I ran into your mother some years ago at VF. She was telling me that y'all were wanting her to move closer to you.*

Margaret Pennington - September 16, 2017 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ *We were deeply saddened to hear this news. Jarrod, we will be praying for you and your family. We send our sincere condolences. ~Your friends at GS&P*

Amy Serles - September 15, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ *Jerolyn& Tom, Jody & Jerry & Peggi, Just read about Joyce in paper sorry can't come to funeral. We should have kept in touch time just gets away. All of you are in our prayers and thoughts if there is anything we could do for you please call. May God comfort and give you peace.*

Donald & Nina Moore - September 15, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ *What a great mom to you all. I have such great memories of her over the past 41 years. Ironically my wife of 30 years this past March was a student of hers while she was a student at Poplar Springs and also had great memories of her as well. your family will be in our daily thoughts and prayers. Our God will comfort y'all thru this time.*

Robert & Kim wood - September 15, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *A truly beautiful Christian lady who will be missed by all who were blessed to know her! A dear sweet lady may have left us but her spirit and Christian being will be with us forever.*

Mr. and Mrs. Jake clifford - September 15, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *Thoughts and prayers are with all of you. She was a great woman.*

Gary D Cantrell - September 14, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *Our sympathies to Joyce's family. She was a loving lady who loved her Lord, her family, and her church family. She was a friend and she will be greatly missed. But we know she is enjoying her heavenly rewards and reunions.*

Jerry and Jerry Mae Windsor - September 14, 2017 at 12:00 AM