



Mildred Addie Copeland

July 29, 1923 - May 31, 2019

Mildred D. Copeland, affectionately known as “Millie,” died on May 31, 2019, at the Davis Community, Wilmington, NC. Mildred was born on July 29, 1923 in Newnan, GA, one of eight children of the late James Leon Davis and Drucilla Warren Davis. Over her lifetime, she lived in Bowdon, GA, Birmingham, AL, and in central Florida. In 2005, following the death of her husband of almost 60 years, William Grady Copeland, Millie moved to Wilmington, NC, to be nearer to her daughters’ families.

Mildred was preceded in death by her brother Harold (and his wife, Ola); her sisters Girlilee Davis Thomason (and her husband, Paul), Jimmie Davis McGhee (and her husband, Bill), Willene Davis Styles (and her husband, Marion), and Wawena Davis Phillips (and her husband, Kenneth); by her brother-in-law C.B. Crow and by her sister-in-law Jean Grafton Davis. Brother James Leon Davis and sister Frances Davis Crow survive her.

Everyone loved this quiet, little woman referred to as “Sunshine” by her family: She was ever patient, cheerful, kind, fun-loving, fair-minded, and courageous when facing life’s challenges. Cherishing her memory are her two daughters, Donna Copeland Doughty (Gary) and Susan Copeland Ermer (Bill); three grandsons (Matthew Doughty, Michael Doughty, and Brett Ermer); and many wonderful nieces, nephews, extended family members, and friends.

A gathering to celebrate and remember the life of this gentle lady will be held at 10:00 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. Wednesday, June 5, 2019, at McKoon Funeral Home in Newnan, GA followed by a graveside service at Oak Hill Cemetery beginning at 11:00 am.

The family would like to thank the staff and caregivers at Champions and the Davis Community for their care of "Miss Millie". In lieu of flowers, please consider a memorial contribution to the Lower Cape Fear Hospice Foundation, 1414 Physicians Drive, Wilmington, NC 28401.

Condolences may be sent to the family online at www.mckoon.com.

McKoon Funeral Home 38 Jackson Street Newnan, GA

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

96 Jefferson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-3744

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 5. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com

Service

JUN 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

Graveside Oak Hill Cemetery
96 Jefferson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall

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“ We remember such a sweet lady, full of grace and class. Our condolences to the whole family. Chuck and Colleen Burlingame

Chuck/Colleen Burlingame - June 02, 2019 at 09:22 PM



“ Rebecca Oltman purchased the Sweet Solace Spray for the family of Mildred Addie Copeland.



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“ We sure will miss Our Sweet, Soft spoken "Yahtzee Queen". We still recall the last time we all got together & watched You & Sister Wawdee (as you would say) in action to see who the next Yahtzee Queen would be. Such Sweet Memories, soooooo many loving memories of you...Gone but Not Forgotten & Forever in Our Hearts.
Sending Love & Prayers out to Our Extended Family- From Becky & Bob Oltman, Kenny & Donna Phillips, The Hulbert Family & Barry & Christina Phillips (and of course the Late Wawdee) who I am sure was waiting for you with Open Arms to welcome you Home along with many more of our Loved ones, gone to soon.



Rebecca Oltman - June 02, 2019 at 08:57 PM