



Mrs. Clara Melvina Thompson Sumner

April 2, 1915 - April 3, 2011

Mrs. Clara Melvina Thompson Sumner, 96, of Sylvester died Sunday April 3, 2011 at Pine Shadows Retirement Manor.

The funeral service will be held at 3:00 PM on Wednesday April 6, 2011 at Banks Funeral Home Chapel with interment to follow in the Hillcrest Cemetery with Rev. Wallace Willis and Rev. Jason Jones officiating.

Mrs. Sumner was born April 2, 1915 in Worth County to the late Lamar Proctor and Nellie Blye Gay Thompson. She lived in Worth County all of her life, was a member of Sumner Baptist Church, a homemaker, and excellent seamstress. Her family was her life.

Survivors include daughters Gwenelle S. Calhoun of Sylvester, Latrelle S. McCrary of Sumner; son Roy H. Sumner Jr. (Ann) of Sylvester; grandchildren Karen C. Denning (Charles), Kathy C. Baker (Chris), Beth C. Elsenrath (David), Amy C. Stone (Mike), Tom Sumner (Teresa), Eve M. McKelvey (Sam), Molly M. Dudick (Mike) and Paul S. McCrary; great grandchildren Sumner & Julia Dudick, Anna & Caroline Baker, Patrick & Elise McKelvey, Will Stone, Andrew, Robert, Mary Day & Clara Beth Elsenrath and Drew Sumner. In addition to her parents Mrs. Sumner was preceded in death by her husband Roy H. Sumner Sr, siblings Elizabeth Raines, Lavon Seago, Monroe Thompson and Julian Thompson.

The family will receive friends Tuesday from 6:00 until 8:00 PM at Banks Funeral Home.

For those desiring memorials may be made to The Gideons International

P.O.Box 5303, Sylvester, GA., 31791

Sign our online guest registry at www.banksfh.com

Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester is in charge of the arrangements.

229-776-2055

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Clara Melvina Thompson Sumner*

January 28, 2023 at 12:53 PM



“ *I remember being in school with Roy and Latrelle at Sylvester High School. I remember their father as a school bus driver. My wife and I send our sympathy in the death of their mother.*

Landis Cameron - May 14, 2018 at 05:09 PM



“ *Latrelle and Roy, so sorry to hear about the loss of your Mom. Joy and I have you and you family in our thoughts and prayers.*

Allen (LeRoy) Sellers - May 14, 2018 at 05:09 PM