



## Mrs. Reva LaMerle Reese

February 12, 1939 - March 9, 2014

Mrs. Reva LaMerle Reese, 75, of Albany died Sunday March 9, 2014 at Phoebe Worth Medical Center.

The funeral service will be held at 3:00 PM on Tuesday, March 11, 2014 at Banks Funeral Home Chapel with interment to follow in the Hillcrest Cemetery. The Rev. Bobby Joe Brown will officiate.

Mrs. Reese was born on February 12, 1939 to Wiley Jordan and Ella Pearl Hull Pate in Wedowee, Al. She had lived in Worth County since 1980 after moving here from Columbus. Mrs. Reese was a homemaker who enjoyed cooking, gardening, growing flowers and keeping her grandchildren. She enjoyed listening to country and gospel music.

Survivors include her husband, William J. "Bill" Reese of Albany; daughter, Lynn Tomlinson (Kenneth) of Albany; son, Michael J. Reese (Haley) of Albany; grandchildren, Kyndall Tomlinson, Haley Reese, Reva Faye Reese, Alyson Nikkole Peak, Michael James Reese, Jr; brother, John C. Pate of Wedowee, AL; sisters, Eva Casteel of Phenix City, AL, Ida Waters of Columbus, and Myrtice Brockwell of Ellerslie, GA.

Mrs. Reese was preceded in death by her son, Danny Reese on August 31, 1997.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday March 11, 2014 from 2:00 PM until the service hour.

Please sign our online guest registry at [www.banksfh.com](http://www.banksfh.com) .

Banks Funeral Home of Sylvester is in charge of arrangements.

229-776-2055

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Reva LaMerle Reese*

January 28, 2023 at 12:53 PM



“ *She will be missed.*

**Stephen G Waters** - May 14, 2018 at 03:56 PM



“ *RIP Aunt Lamerle*

**Gary & Pam Pate** - May 14, 2018 at 03:56 PM



“ *So Many memories!*

**Gary & Pam Pate** - May 14, 2018 at 03:56 PM



“ *I will miss you a lot. Thank you for all the memories... we shared growing up together. I love you more than you will ever know and will always keep you close to my heart. You might be gone but you My Sister will NEVER ever be forgotton. You are in God's hands now, and I hope you are at peace there.*

*To your family.. I send my deepest regrets on their great loss..  
March 9, 2014. I love you all.*

**Ida M Pate Waters** - May 14, 2018 at 03:56 PM

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“ Growing up with your children you always treated me like one of your own. I will never forget you or the kindness you always had for my family and I. Rest easy.

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**Steven Keaton** - May 14, 2018 at 03:56 PM

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“ I will always love you. Thanks for the childhood memories and always welcoming me with open arms. Forever in my thoughts...

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**Kelley Taylor "Chichi"** - May 14, 2018 at 03:56 PM

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“ Death leaves a heartache no one can heal...but the love you gave to all leaves the memories that no one can steal! So many memories...so many good times...thanks Aunt Merle!

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**Chichi Taylor "Ida's Daughter"** - May 14, 2018 at 03:56 PM

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“ What moves through us today is silence...a burning heartache...and great sadness...longing for just one more year, day, or even minute to tell you we love you. We may not understand why you left this earth so soon, or why you left before we were ready to say good-bye...but little by little, we begin to remember not just that you died, but that you LIVED...and that your life gave us memories that we will never forget! We love you Aunt Merle!

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**The Taylor Family (Bayard, Chichi, Bayardcito)** - May 14, 2018 at 03:56 PM