



Mrs Mary Alice Searcy

August 4, 1922 - November 7, 2014

Let not your hearts be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions. If it were not so, I would I have told you, I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also. And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know. John 14:1-4

Mother Mary A. Searcy was born to the late Lizzie Thornton and Ed Mays, on August 4, 1922. She was later adopted by the Late John Albert and Emma Kimborough.

Mother Mary A. Searcy was called home to our Lord on Friday November 7, 2014. She was a dedicated employee of the Talbot County School System for sixteen years. She united with Shady Grove Baptist Church at an early age where she remained a faithful servant until her death. She married the late Thomas Harvey in 1944 and to this union 3 children were born: Mary Gold Ferguson (Willie), Sallie Emma Walker (Richard) , Barbara Ann Copeland (Leroy-Deceased), all of Atlanta, GA.

She married the late Willie "Big Baby" Searcy in 1958, and to this union one son was born, James M. Searcy, Of Talbotton, GA. She took under her wings six step-children; Barbara Searcy Cothran (Rev. Doctor Leroy) of Rome, GA/Dayton OH., Jacqueline Searcy Nicholls (Herbie) of Columbia, MD.,

Gregory Searcy of College Park, GA., Loretta Searcy Terry (Jerry) of College Park, GA., and Margaret Searcy Solomon (Kenneth) of College Park, GA. One grandchild and one great- grandchild preceded her in death. She leaves to cherish in her memory 20 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends. Special recognition to Louise Trice (Goddaughter)

Ecclesiasts 3:2 "A time to be born; and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted."

Cemetery Details

Smith Hill Cemetery

1 Smith Hill Road
Talbotton, GA

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **14**. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Shady Grove Baptist Church
195 Washington Ave
Talbotton, GA

Service

NOV **15**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Mrs Mary Alice Searcy

October 27, 2023 at 09:03 PM



“ "What is a Mother?"

*A mother is someone to shelter and guide us,
To love us, whatever we do,
With a warm understanding and infinite patience,
And wonderful gentleness, too.*

*How often a mother means swift reassurance
In soothing our small, childish fears,
How tenderly mothers watch over their children
And treasure them all through the years.*

*The hearth of a mother is full of forgiveness
For any mistake, big or small,
And generous always in helping her family
Whose needs she has placed above all.*

*A mother can utter a word of compassion
And make all our cares fall away,
She can brighten a home with the sound of her laughter
And make life delightful and gay.*

*A mother possesses incredible wisdom
And wonderful insight and skill-
In each human heart is that one special corner
Which only a mother can fill!
Author: Katherine Nelson Davis*

Loretta Terry - November 17, 2014 at 06:00 PM

PM

“ *My deepest condolences to my friend Loretta on the loss of your mother. It is hard to forget someone who gave you so much to remember. Your 5 G - Shorter College Alumna.*

Pauline Mansfield - November 17, 2014 at 05:43 PM

LT

Thank-you Pauline for being the friend that you are. Five G's forever.

Loretta Terry - November 17, 2014 at 05:48 PM

AN

“ *Alberta M. Nichols lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy*



Alberta M. Nichols - November 15, 2014 at 04:37 AM



“ We regret we’re unable to attend the funeral, but we’ll be with you in spirit. We pray that God will heal your broken hearts. We know that He will because He promised in His Word and He’s always faithful.

Not only was Cousin Mary Alice family, but she was a friend, too. Whenever I called her, she was very encouraging. She was so happy -- I loved her laughter. We talked about the Lord, Church and life. She loved God and got joy out of serving Him. She was devoted to family and friends. I know that her death is hard to bear. Our hearts are wounded also. But we do not mourn as others, as if we have no hope, our hope is in Jesus, (1 Thes. 4:13-18; Matt. 5:4; John 14:1-3; Ps. 23:1-6). Yes, she’s already missed! But just remember that there’s something that death cannot take away from us -- the wonderful memories and times we shared with her!! I remember her unselfishness in giving and caring for her family. We enjoyed her beautiful, anointed singing voice, and she certainly enjoyed blessing others with the gifts God blessed her with. Her life really mattered. In order to honor her life, we’ll continue to love and serve the Lord, and love and support one another. God bless and keep all of you!

*Love Always,
Cousins Estella Harvey Edwards and Tony & Susie Edwards Troxler*

Susie Troxler - November 14, 2014 at 06:34 PM

MA

“ Marilyn lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy



Marilyn - November 14, 2014 at 02:55 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy.



November 14, 2014 at 07:40 AM



“ Heartfelt prayers Loretta and family. Please know our loving thoughts embrace you.
Ronda Stephens-Auclair



Ronda Stephens-Auclair - November 13, 2014 at 02:52 PM



Thank you Rhonda. You are a true friend in my time of need. God bless you and your family as well.

Loretta Searcy Terry - November 14, 2014 at 12:55 PM



“ Ollie Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy



Ollie Sanders - November 13, 2014 at 02:36 PM



Than you Ollie for your kind words of inspiration. Be blessed.

Loretta Searcy Terry - November 14, 2014 at 03:22 PM

CS

“ *Share a memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy or send condolences to the family.*



Corey & Keiyonna Solomon - November 12, 2014 at 10:21 PM

GS

“ *Goddess Maria Searcy-Kimbrough lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy*



Goddess Maria Searcy-Kimbrough - November 12, 2014 at 08:43 PM

GS

My best memory of cousin Mary Alice is when we came to Talbotton as children the best food a sister could throw down. Breakfast and dinner. WOW...Rest in Peace dear cousin!!!

Goddess Maria Searcy-Kimbrough - November 12, 2014 at 08:49 PM

MS

“ *A memory that I have with my mom is when would always watch the movie "Imitation of Life" together and cry. Never forget your mother you only get one. Love, Margaret*

margaret solomon - November 12, 2014 at 07:24 PM

AM

“ *Ava Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy*



Ava Marshall - November 12, 2014 at 06:31 PM

PW

“ *Loretta,*

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May God continue to bless you and strengthen you.

Love,

Phyllis Walton



Phyllis Walton - November 12, 2014 at 10:10 AM

LT

Thank you Phyllis. God is good and he never makes a mistake. Our mom fought a good fight and now she will get her reward in heaven.

Loretta Searcy Terry - November 13, 2014 at 03:49 AM

PW

“ *Phyllis Walton lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy*



Phyllis Walton - November 12, 2014 at 10:09 AM

KN

“ Karen Nelson lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy



Karen Nelson - November 11, 2014 at 05:00 PM

AC

“ Alexis Craig lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy



Alexis Craig - November 11, 2014 at 09:43 AM

LT

Thank you Alexis for you thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Loretta Searcy Terry - November 12, 2014 at 03:20 AM

JH

“ Jennifer Hudson lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy



Jennifer Hudson - November 10, 2014 at 06:32 PM

JH

“ God Blessed her so much, 92 years, sleep on Mrs. Searcy, JoAnn Harp

JoAnn Harp - November 10, 2014 at 12:44 PM

LT

Joann you have been a friend of mine since we met over 40 years ago at UPS. Thank you so much for being a true friend now.

Loretta Searcy Terry - November 12, 2014 at 03:13 AM

BJ

God bless the family of the late Mrs Mary A. Searcy A great soul has gone on too be with the Lord , Beulah Jackson Jones /Winter Haven ,Florida

Beulah Jones - November 12, 2014 at 01:58 PM

MA

*Loretta,
May God bless you and strengthen your family as you go through this difficult time.
Marilyn & Lewis*

Marilyn - November 14, 2014 at 02:57 PM

LT

Thank you so much Marilyn & Lewis for being with us as we celebrated our mom's home going on Saturday. Its nice to know that we have people like you who care. Thanks again.

Loretta Terry - November 17, 2014 at 05:53 PM

RH

“ Sincere and heartfelt condolences to the family and friends of Mrs. Searcy, in particular our beloved Sorors who are members of this wonderful family. Please know that you are in our prayers as you celebrate her life, and in the days to come. Our God promised to never leave us or forsake us, continue to lean on Him.

*Ramona Hambrick
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.
Rome Alumnae Chapter*

Ramona Hambrick - November 10, 2014 at 09:35 AM

KN

The love and support of a mother can never be replaced, but we hope you find some strength, in the love of family and in the warm embrace of your Sorors.

Karen Nelson - November 11, 2014 at 05:04 PM

RH

“ *Ramona Hambrick lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy*



Ramona Hambrick - November 10, 2014 at 09:26 AM



“ *34 files added to the album Memories Album*



Royal Funeral Home - November 10, 2014 at 08:53 AM

TC

“ *Tracey Crosby lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy*



Tracey Crosby - November 10, 2014 at 08:41 AM

LT

Thank you so much Tracey. I have never met you in person but know you only through my Avon business. Thank you so much for your continued prayers during this difficult time in my life.

Loretta Searcy Terry - November 12, 2014 at 03:15 AM

EH

“ *Our staff will continue to keep your family in our prayers. We thank you for allowing us to serve your family.*

Evergreen Funeral Home

Evergreen Funeral Home - November 10, 2014 at 06:30 AM

CM

“ *Barbara, you and your family are in my prayers. I think of Tamela Mann's song "I Can Only Imagine". Your mom no longer has to "imagine". Love you, Carole*

Carole McCreia - November 09, 2014 at 09:26 PM

DH

“ *My heart and prayers go out to my Soror Barbara Cothran and family on the passing of Mrs. Searcy: beloved mother and grandmother. May the grace of God comfort you during this time and lighten your burden of your hearts. Love Drucila Henry*



Drucila Henry - November 09, 2014 at 08:26 PM

TA

“ I'm sending my heartfelt condolences to my dear Soror Barbara Cothran and her family on the loss of your mother. Please know that I am praying God's peace, comfort, and strength for you and your family. May your mother live on in your hearts and precious memories. Love, Tatanya Aker

Tatanya Aker - November 09, 2014 at 08:12 PM



“ Share a memory of Mrs Mary Alice Searcy or send condolences to the family.



Lily Miller - November 09, 2014 at 07:49 PM



May you find peace in all the wonderful memories you have of your mother. Knowing she is at peace should be of great comfort. My love and prayers go out to you and your family and may God keep his arms around you as you grieve your loved one.

Lily Miller - November 09, 2014 at 07:54 PM



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