



Cleata Reynolds

December 15, 1927 - November 19, 2019

Mrs. Cleata Dell Reynolds, age 91, passed away at her home in Rainsville November 19, 2019. Mrs. Reynolds spent 52 years as an elementary teacher beginning her career at Sylvania School, then moving to Rossville, Georgia, then to Lebanon, Tennessee. She received a certificate of service for being one of the longest serving elementary teachers in the state of Tennessee. She received her Bachelor of Science Degree in elementary education from Jacksonville State University.

Mrs. Reynolds was a prolific artist and created many outstanding works of art. She won many ribbons in the Wilson County Tennessee Fair. She also had her work displayed in the office building of the Tennessee Department of Education in Nashville, Tennessee. Her artistry also included many arts and crafts, particularly making jewelry.

Services will be November 21, 2019 at Rainsville Funeral Home. Visitation from 11:00 a.m. until 12:50 with the funeral at 1:00 p.m. in the Chapel. The Reverend Rock Stone of Trinity United Methodist Church officiating. She will be interred at Trinity United Methodist Church Cemetery (Burnt Church).

Mrs. Reynolds is survived by:

Sister-in-Law: Ina Carlyle

Ten Nieces and Nephews: Mary Jo Juni , Carolyn Davidson, Tonie Niblett (Terry), Linda Millican, Mave Narup, Gary Carlyle (Cathy), Angela Smith (Gary), Felicia Ingram (Stan), Emily Reed (Joey), Beth Arnett (Chuck), One Godson: Adam Niblett (Kristen), and a host of Great Nieces and Nephews and

Great-Great Nieces and Nephews

Proceeded in death by:

Husband of 62 years: James Gordon Reynolds

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ernest Carlyle

Sisters: Oval Millican, Avil Dupree, Marie Wisner, Flora Ashworth

Brothers: J Carthel Carlyle and Joseph Junior Carlyle

Nephew: Rickey Wisner

Cemetery Details

Trinity Cemetery

Sylvania, AL

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 21. 11:00 AM - 12:50 PM (CT)

Rainsville Funeral Home
498 Mccurdy Ave N
Rainsville, AL 35986
(256) 638-2122
<https://www.rainsvillefuneralhome.com>

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Cleata Reynolds*

August 29, 2022 at 05:15 AM



“ *Sorry to hear of her passing. Lost a dear sweet friend that we had known for several years. Met Cleata & Jim at TN School Plant Mgrs. conferences and loved them both. She is now reunited with Jim.*
Bobby & Brenda Owen

Brenda Owen - December 02, 2019 at 04:46 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Cleata Reynolds.*



November 21, 2019 at 09:56 AM



“ *Such a sweet friend. We taught together for many years. We share d a love of art . My prayers for your family.*

Nancy Brandon - November 20, 2019 at 07:53 PM

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“ *Dave & Kathy Lawrence purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Cleata Reynolds.*



Dave & Kathy Lawrence - November 20, 2019 at 02:15 PM

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“ *Today I lost my dear sweet friend. Cleata D Reynolds recieved her keys to Heaven and is reunited with her wonderful husband, Jim. She was my Lebanon, TN friend, church partner, artist & crafter buddy, teaching friend, and family. There will never be another one like her. God watch over her. 🌹🌹🌹*

Gwen Richards - November 20, 2019 at 09:48 AM