



## Mrs. Celestine Elizabeth Shockley

September 10, 1928 - November 10, 2024

A celebration service will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, November 13, 2024, at Village Chapel Funeral Home for Celestine Elizabeth Shockley, 96, who went Home to be with her Lord and Savior on November 10, 2024. Rev. Roger Beshears will officiate. Burial will follow at Williams-Southside Memorial Park. Celestine, most commonly known as “Sis”, was a beloved wife, mother, sister, grandmother, friend, and a devoted follower of Christ. She attended Mt. Carmel Baptist Church and loved her church very much.

She made the most delicious biscuits. She rolled them out with her hands, and she used to let all of her grandchildren play in the flour and help make them. Her eyes always lit up with joy seeing all of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren, who affectionately called her “Mawmaw”.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Rev. Elbert W. Shockley; son, Kenneth Shockley; grandson, Nathan Payton; four brothers and three sisters. Mrs. Shockley is survived by her four sons, Jerry Wayne Shockley, Randy (Dianne) Shockley, Rick (Karen) Shockley, and Mike (Pam) Shockley; daughter, Trena (Richard) Rutledge; grandchildren, Amy (Justin) Duncan, Tina (Phillip) Murray, Christina Shockley, Eric (Angela) Shockley, Eli (Casey) Shockley, and Anna (Brittany) Shockley; great-grandchildren, Landon Duncan, Payton Shockley, Emma Shockley, Coleman Shockley, Leah Shockley, and Willow Shockley; and a host of extended family and friends.

Pallbearers will be her grandsons.

Flowers are welcome, or donations may be made to Mt. Carmel Baptist

Church, 1402 Kyle Ave, Gadsden, AL 35901, or to any favorite charity.  
The family will receive friends from 12 p.m. until 2 p.m. Wednesday at Village Chapel.

# Cemetery Details

**Williams Southside Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

NOV 13. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Village Chapel Funeral Home  
101 Vandell Blvd  
Gadsden, AL 35904  
(256) 547-5557  
<https://villagechapelfuneralhome.com>

### Service

NOV 13. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“*Mrs. Shockley exemplified the definition of a Christian woman! Through the years, I enjoyed talking with her, exchanging cards with her, & just being in her presence. This world will miss this amazing woman of God, & my heart goes to her family whom I am praying as they move forward in life. What rewards she has now received in the presence of Jesus!* □□□

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**Connie Heald** - November 12, 2024 at 09:50 PM

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“*Kevin and Donna Wilson purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Mrs. Celestine Elizabeth Shockley.*



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**Kevin and Donna Wilson** - November 11, 2024 at 11:59 PM