



Mrs. Clara Chapman McGowan

May 22, 1938 - March 26, 2021

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday, March 29th, 2021, at Village Chapel for Clara Chapman McGowan, 82, of Gadsden, who died Friday, March 26, 2021. Bro. Bart Watts and Pastor Tommy Marshall will officiate. Burial will follow at Rainbow Memorial Gardens. Village Chapel Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of arrangements.

Clara was a strong believer of Jesus Christ and an avid Alabama Football fan. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jerrell McGowan; mother, Minda Chapman; brother, Eulas Cromer; and twin, Clarence Chapman.

Clara is survived by her sons, Frank Martin, Dale (Lisa) Price, Rick (Penny) Price, and Ralph (Deonna) Davis; daughters, Pam (Kenny) Griffith, Angela Hindman, and Kimberly Malcom (Mike); chosen children, Carol Griffith, Sherry McGowan, Felecia Jenkins, Rachel Parham, and Terry Chapman; grandchildren, Nicole, Tyler, Trey, Pace, Camron, Jayda, Jason, Tiffany, Ricky Shawn, Crystal, Blake, Kevin, Michael Blake, Kaleb, MaryAnna, Morgan, Elijah, Minda, Courtney; chosen sister of 68 years, Betty Cromer; a host of great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchild, nieces, nephews; and another great-grandchild is expected.

Pallbearers will be Blake Griffith, Nathan Kilgore, Ricky Shawn Price, Jason Price, Tommy Winn, Kaleb Davis, Tyler Martin, Camron Faulkner, Zack Reeves, Michael Blake Lecroy, and Kevin Fox.

Special thanks to Belinda Rollins of Oasis Hospice, and to Deonna Davis for her care and kindness.

The family will receive friends Sunday from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. at Village Chapel Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Rainbow Memorial Gardens

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 28. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

MAR 29. 2:00 PM (CT)

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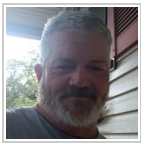
Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Clara Chapman McGowan.*



March 29, 2021 at 08:40 AM



“ *You and your amazing family took me in and made me feel like family. When i lost my mom in 2010, i gained a mother and i love you more than you know and will miss you every day. See you again MOTHER! I love you!*

Mike Nelson - March 28, 2021 at 08:53 PM



“ *89 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Village Chapel Funeral Home - March 28, 2021 at 12:33 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Mrs. Clara Chapman McGowan.*



March 28, 2021 at 11:29 AM



“ *I'm so broken, I just want to call you mother and you tell me it's ok it will all come out wash day ... I love you and miss you so bad mom*

angela hindman - March 28, 2021 at 11:19 AM

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“ Every time I smile,
Every time I sigh,
I think of your face,
And a tear escapes my eye.

You were my world,
My inspiration and my heart,
But when you left me,
I thought I would fall apart.

You were my best friend,
My one true confidant,
And that's not all you were.

You were also my mother, the best mother anyone could ever have,
I can't believe you are gone. It's so hard mom , Waking up without
you here.

I didn't want to live without you,
But you would have wanted me to,
And if there's anyone I want to make happy,
That anyone is you.

I would have given anything to have you back,
But I know now that it was meant to be,
For you are still watching from up there,
And I know you're watching me.

I'll make you proud, Mom.
I'm going to fulfill your wish.
You're going to see me and smile.
That's a promise ... I miss you so bad and I love you so much
mom....I had a cup of coffee for you this morning...

angela hindman - March 28, 2021 at 10:58 AM

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“ I love you Mother and I’m gonna miss you so very much. I don’t know how to live life without you. I just pray I have the strength to make it ,I’ve always have been strong but this has broken me.



Pam Griffith - March 28, 2021 at 09:21 AM

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“ Deonna Davis purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Mrs. Clara Chapman McGowan.



Deonna Davis - March 28, 2021 at 02:49 AM

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“ Deonna Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clara Chapman McGowan



Deonna Davis - March 28, 2021 at 12:05 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Clara Chapman McGowan.



March 27, 2021 at 07:11 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Clara Chapman McGowan.



March 27, 2021 at 06:08 PM



“ *Fairest of All* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Clara Chapman McGowan.



March 27, 2021 at 03:50 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Clara Chapman McGowan.



March 27, 2021 at 01:51 PM