



E. Ruth Shortnacy Hay

December 25, 1925 - March 28, 2015

Funeral will be 3pm Monday March 30, 2015 at New Hopewell Baptist Church for E. Ruth Shortnacy Hay age 89 of Ashville who passed Saturday morning March 28, 2015. Reverends Dwight Gary and David Roberts will officiate. Burial at New Hopewell Baptist Cemetery. Village Chapel Funeral Home and Cremation Services is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Hay was a lifelong resident of St. Clair County. She was a country girl, raised on a farm, loved fishing and gardening and was a member of New Hopewell Baptist Church. Ruth spent most of her life caring for others and will be dearly missed. She was preceded in death by her parents, Thomas Jefferson "Bragg" Shortnacy and Mattie Viola Shortnacy, husband, Julius "Zeb" Hay; brothers, Vernon, Silas, Lester, Ross, Calvin, and Bob; sisters, Gladys, Velma, and Pluma; grandchildren, Ginger, James, Zebedee, and Angela.

She is survived by her son, Jimmy Hay; grandchildren, Brandy (Chad) Stephens, Derrick Willis, Ashley Hay, and Jacob Hay; great-grandchildren, Brayden Baker, Mason Reece, and Bella Reece, Kolten Willis, and Carson Leeks; nephew, Mark Shortnacy ; niece, Mary Ross Shortnacy, Debra Kuhn. Family and friends will serve as pallbearers.

The family wishes to express a special thanks to Lawley Hospice, McGuffey Health Care, Reverend Dwight Gary and Reverend David Roberts.

Visitation will be 1-3pm, Monday at New Hopewell Baptist Church.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 30. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

New Hopewell Baptist Church

Service

MAR 30. 3:00 PM (CT)

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