



Mrs. Mildred "Mickey" Sweeney Hale

May 20, 1941 - June 10, 2018

Mildred "Mickey" Sweeney Hale of Rainbow City, Alabama passed away in her river-home on the Coosa River in Ashville, Alabama on June 10, 2018 at the age of 77.

Mickey is survived by her husband of 60 years, Jerry Jackson Hale; 2 children, Krista Kay Hale and Dana Leigh Hale; a daughter-in-law, Susie Hale (Jerry Wyatt); 2 grandchildren, Jackson Hale (Courtney) and Josie Hale Phillips (Josh); 2 great-grandchildren, Wyatt Hale and Madelyn Phillips. She is preceded in death by her son, Jerry Wyatt Hale. She is also preceded in death by her grandson, Stephen Miles Lockey. Further, she is preceded in death by her father, J.W. Sweeney; her mother, Kathleen Sweeney; her sister, Judy Sweeney; her brother, Johnny Sweeney.

Early in life, Mickey worked in her parents' store, Sweeney's Grocery. Later, after having her children, she decided to stay home and devote her time to her family as Jerry's profession was as a long-distance truck-driver. She was truly very meek, kind, loving and led an exemplary life, always believing in God and making Him a priority in her home. It is evidenced now in her children and all of those grands who would light up her eyes. She was active in church over the years, and of recent years, she has been a member at Heritage Baptist Church. She has genuinely and graciously touched a multitude of lives and has shared her grounded faith as a beacon for Christ.

Visitation will be on Wednesday from 5 PM until 7 PM at Village Chapel. The funeral is scheduled for Thursday at 11 AM at Village Chapel, with a graveside

service to follow at Crestwood Cemetery. Reverend Allen "Buddy" O'Bryant and Reverend Glenn Works will officiate the ceremony. Pallbearers will be Jackson Hale, Josh Phillips, Barrett Johnson, Walker Price, Ron Flannegan and Tim Simonton. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Mickey's life. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the American Diabetes Association at www.diabetes.org. The family would like to thank all who visited, brought food, sent well wishes and assisted with her care. A special thanks is extended to the Price family, the Vaughn family, Doug and Sonya Matthews, Buddy and Betty O'Bryant and Glenn Works for their care, time and dedication.

Cemetery Details

Crestwood

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 13. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

JUN 14. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Village Chapel Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Mildred "Mickey" Sweeney Hale*



Village Chapel Funeral Home - June 13, 2018 at 09:47 AM

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Beautiful Precious Memories

Rhonda Flaming Willett - June 14, 2018 at 10:58 AM

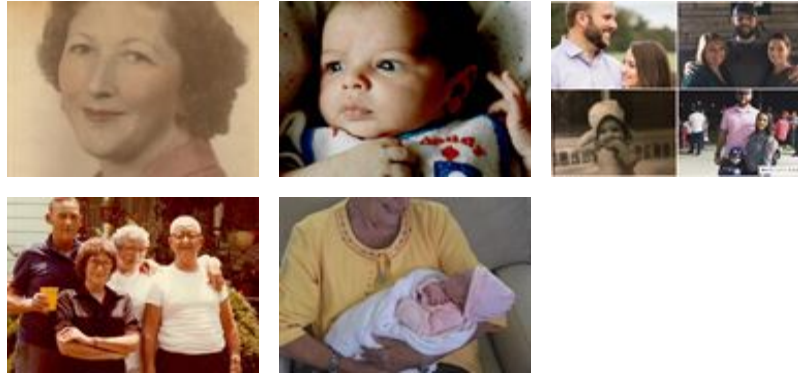
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“ *Dear Hale Family,
I are truly sorry to hear of the passing of your sweet wife/mother/grandmother. I only had the privilege of meeting her just a few time and also meeting with Mr. Hale a few time but they always had a smile on their face. She will truly be missed. One again sorry for your loss. Tommy Bonds (Riverview RMC)*

Tommy Bonds - June 13, 2018 at 04:12 PM



“ 91 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Village Chapel Funeral Home - June 13, 2018 at 08:41 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mildred "Mickey" Sweeney Hale.



June 12, 2018 at 09:09 AM



“ *Words cannot express how very much we will miss our "Meme". She was one of the most precious ladies we have ever know. Her love and kindness will never be forgotten. She opened her heart and her home and treated her neighbors like family. She was our "adopted" grandmother and the memories we made together will live on with "Pop", KK and Dana. We love you all and are praying for you during this difficult time of loss.*

Donna Price - June 11, 2018 at 08:47 PM

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“ *Wish I could tellyou all the PRECIOUS memories we had together beginning in grammar school. What a special friend and person Mickey was to me, one I will always remember. Please keep this family in your prayers, Jerry, Krista, Dana, Susie, Josie, Jackson. May God bless and comfort all of you during this time.*

Sonja Yother Matthews - June 11, 2018 at 06:08 PM

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“ *Dear Hale Family,
We are truly sorry to hear of the passing of your sweet wife/mother/grandmother. We only had the privilege of meeting her a couple of times, but her kind spirit radiated, and besides, we came to love her sweet daughter, Dana, and know she was just like her mother. Our deepest sympathy and love to each of you now,
Dave & Roberta Whitley*

Roberta Whitley - June 11, 2018 at 03:45 PM