



## Betty Nell Mills

August 13, 1943 - December 31, 2017

Betty Nell Mills, 83, of Cross City passed away December 31, 2017.

Mrs. Mills was born August 13, 1934 to the late Minnie and Herbert Langston, Sr. in Cross City where she spent most of her life. She was the owner of the Langston Insurance Agency in Cross City for several years. Mrs. Mills was active with United Christian Services and was awarded Mentor of the Year at Dixie County High School. She was an active member at the First United Methodist Church in Cross City, where she served in many capacities including treasurer.

Mrs. Mills is survived by her sons Drew Mills, III and Doug Mills, her grandchildren Steven Toothman, Brian Toothman, Breanne Mills, and Taylor Mills, her brother Herbert Langston, Jr., her sisters Phyllis Stopford and Susan Langston, numerous nephews, nieces, and other extended family members. She was preceded in death by her husband Ira Drew Mills, Jr., her daughter Kelli Mills, and her brother Stephen Langston.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mills will be held 11:00 AM Saturday, January 6, 2018 at the First United Methodist Church in Cross City. Interment will follow at Cross City Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Friday evening from 6 – 8 PM.

In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial donations be made to the Florida United Methodist Children's Home in Enterprise, Florida.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of Rick Gooding Funeral Home, Cross City, Florida, 352-498-5400 and Chiefland, Florida, 352-493-0050. Please sign the online guest book at [rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com](http://rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Cross City Cemetery

127 SE 289 St  
Cross City, FL 32628

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 5. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City  
16984 SE Hwy 19  
Cross City, FL 32628  
(352) 498-5400

## Service

JAN 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

First United Methodist Church Cross City  
22 NE 138 Street  
Cross City, FL 32628

# Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Nell Mills*

October 08, 2023 at 10:03 PM



“ *Betty Nell Mills*

January 30, 2023 at 01:26 AM



“ *As a childhood friend of Doug, Betty Mills opened her home up to me constantly during the 3 years I lived in Florida. I always knew I was welcomed there. My condolences to the family during this difficult time. Tim Files*

**Tim Files** - January 05, 2018 at 04:43 PM



“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Betty Nell Mills.*



January 05, 2018 at 10:17 AM

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“ Betty Nell will certainly be missed. She was a supportive member of the Dixie County business community, a stalwart servant to the mission of United Christian Services and dedicated in her service to the Cross City First United Methodist Church. She was a true Christian believer and certainly enjoying eternal peace and resting in heaven today. Jim & Marie Wright

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**Jim Wright** - January 04, 2018 at 04:14 PM

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“ Our sincerest sympathy to the family. She will always be fondly remembered for her dedication to family . Love, Steve and Barbara Wheeler

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**Steve and Barbara Wheeler** - January 04, 2018 at 04:10 PM

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“ As Betty Nell's former pastor and wife, we want her family and friends to know that we will miss her, too. She was a wonderful, Christian lady and served the Lord with everything she had. Please know we are thinking of you and praying for you during this time. Rev. Fred & Mary Ellen Gardner (Clearwater, FL)

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**Fred & Mary Ellen Gardner** - January 04, 2018 at 09:13 AM