



Mary L. Forrester

August 21, 1921 - December 20, 2017

Mary Lois Forrester, 96, of High Springs, passed away December 20, 2017.

Mrs. Forrester was born in Plant City, Florida, on August 21, 1921, to James and Lettye (Walker) Douglas. She enjoyed traveling, writing local history, church work and genealogy. She was a charter member of High Springs Garden Club, a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and was a member of the High Springs Church of Christ.

Mrs. Forrester is survived by a daughter, Mary F. (Stacey) Gay of High Springs, Florida; Daughter in-law Brenda Forrester of Gainesville, Florida sons, Jim (Martha) Forrester of High Springs, Florida and Ray (Dian) Forrester of Rainbow City, Alabama; thirteen grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Baxter Forrester and son, Bill Forrester.

Funeral services for Mrs. Forrester will be held on 11:00 AM Saturday December 23, 2017 at the High Springs Church of Christ, with Bro. Tim Spivey presiding. The family will receive visitors at the church one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow at Newnansville Cemetery in Alachua, Florida.

Flowers are welcomed, but those who wish, may make donations to, Florida

Bible Camp or Haven Hospice.

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

Cemetery Details

Newnansville Cemetery

12519 W State Rd 235
Alachua, FL 32615

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

High Springs Church of Christ
18567 NW US HWY 441
High Springs, FL 32643

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary L. Forrester*

October 08, 2023 at 10:03 PM



“ *Mary L. Forrester*

January 30, 2023 at 01:26 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Mary Lois' passing. I know she is rejoicing now with her Savior in heaven along with her husband Baxter. I have sweet memories of Mary Lois from many years ago. She helped me through a very difficult time and I will never forget her for that. She was a fine example of strength and kindness. My condolences to all the Forrester family in High Springs. Sarah Forrester, Clearwater, FL*

Sarah Forrester - December 29, 2017 at 01:49 PM



“ *Larry Franklin purchased the Reunion Memorial Framed Art for the family of Mary L. Forrester.*



Larry Franklin - December 23, 2017 at 09:29 AM

LF

“ *Larry Franklin sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary L. Forrester*



Larry Franklin - December 23, 2017 at 09:02 AM

LF

The Creede Church of Christ has and will always have fond memories of Mary Lois and her husband Baxter as being part of our church family.

Larry Franklin - December 23, 2017 at 09:05 AM

LP

“ *High Springs now has a void that cannot be filled. I loved Mary Lois and will always treasure her memory. My hugs and prayers to her family. Linda Petteway*

Linda Petteway - December 23, 2017 at 08:28 AM

DG

“ *Mary, Jim, and Ray, we are so sorry to learn of the passing of your mother. You are truly blessed to have been raised by such wonderful folks as your mom and dad. I didn't get the chance to know them directly but I still feel like I know how loving, kind, and generous they were by my long friendship with Ray and all that he has meant to our family, including my beloved departed wife, Joan. Please accept our sincere condolences and prayers at this time of grief. -- Andrew, Ashley, and David Godwin.*

David Godwin - December 22, 2017 at 11:29 PM

GP

“ *This is Geraldine Perry. I worked for this Mary Louis for a while at her home in High Springs. I love her very much we became the best of friends .I will miss her very much she is a jewel diamond in the rut. I was glad when I met her and I will dearly deeply miss her. with all my love GeraldinePerry.*

Geraldine Perry - December 22, 2017 at 08:42 AM