



Mattie Mae Newman

May 16, 1935 - October 3, 2013

Mattie Mae Cook-Newman was born May 16, 1935 in Poplar Grove, Arkansas to the union of Mr. James and Mrs. Estella Cook.

On December 25, 1955, Mattie married L.C. Newman Sr. and their union was blessed with seven children.

Matt, as she was known by family and friends, was a loving and devoted wife and mother. She loved fishing and sitting on her front porch swing and watching the neighbors pass-by.

On October 3, 2013, Matt made her transition from an earthly life to an eternal life. Preceding Matt in death were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James and Estella Cook; her husband of 58 years, L.C. Newman Sr.; two sisters, Ora Lee Tate and Ula Mae Chambliss; two brothers, Walter Cook and Warren Cook; and three children, Maryann Newman, Jerry Newman and Paul Newman.

Matt leaves to cherish her memories, one brother, James Cook Jr.; four children, Carrie (Andre Sr.) Brown, Barbara (Albert) Nelson, Louis Newman Jr. and Jessie Newman; 10 grandchildren; 16 great grandchildren; 2 great-great grandchildren; two brothers-in-law, Westley (Ernestine) Newman and Don (Ann) Newman; eight sisters-in-law, Ruby Carr, Dorothy Thurman, Hazel Cook, Ernestine (John) Tolvert, Louise Jones, Beatrice (Bob) Kelly, Jean (Roy)

Young and Pearl Newman; mother-in-law, Mrs. Pearlene Newman; a very close friend, Mrs. Susan McGregor; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mattie Mae Newman*

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