

## Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes

January 27, 1938 - April 23, 2020

Mrs. Nelda Elizabeth Ward Hayes, 82, passed away on Thursday, April 23, 2020 at Lake Martin Community Hospital. She was born on January 27, 1938 in Alexander City, Alabama to Robert Palmer Ward and Myrle Eunice Buzbee Ward. She was an active member of Kellyton United Methodist Church and was heavily involved in all Kellyton community activities. Mrs. Nelda was a child care provider for many families in the area and dearly loved children. She was well known for her baking abilities and made delicious homemade bread and fried pies. She loved all of her family but her grandchildren and great grandchildren were the light of her life. The Hayes house was always open for everyone and many happy family gatherings were hosted there.

She is survived by her husband of 65 years, Charles Todd Hayes of Kellyton; son, Todd Hayes (Lynn) of Alexander City; daughters, Tracy Teel (Sammy) and Teresa Burns (Dale) both of Alexander City; grandchildren, Charles Todd Hayes (Jane), III, Al Teel (Elizabeth), Andy Burns (Kassey), Carter Hayes (Ric Miller), Austin Teel (Casey), Kristian Dean; great-grandchildren, Rachel Hayes, Alison Hayes, Gabriel Burns, Bryce Burns, Hunter Burns, Parker Dean, and James Teel; special niece, Rose Benton; and godchild, Kim Moseley Galloway.

She was preceded in death by her parents; and sisters, Frances Jones, Barbara Griffin-Smith, and Jan Keel.

The family will hold a private family service.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Kellyton United Methodist Church PO Box 279 Kellyton, AL 35089 or to the Kellyton Volunteer Fire Dept. PO Box 208 Kellyton, AL 35089.

All visitations and services will be held in compliance with the mandated rules from



Cemetery	Events	
Kellyton Memory Gardens	APR 25	Private Family Service 11:30AM
Kellyton, AL,		Kellyton Memory Gardens

Kellyton, AL, US

## Comments



**66** Elizabeth Lyndsley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



Elizabeth lyndsley - April 30, 2020 at 07:49 PM



66 Lisa Futral sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



Lisa Futral - April 30, 2020 at 04:52 PM



Randal & Angela Lucas lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



Randal & Angela Lucas - April 26, 2020 at 07:51 PM



I will miss this wonderful lady who I was lucky enough to call family. She was always so thoughtful and always went out of her way to be kind to me. I will miss her dearly. The world will be a lot different without her. Love, Heidi (Hallmon) Buske



Heidi Hallmon Buske - April 25, 2020 at 09:29 PM



66 Vickie Green lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



vickie green - April 25, 2020 at 08:09 AM



Nelda had the best 'laugh' in the world. She truly seemed happy every day. I've never known a more caring, loving person. Such fun to be in her presence. Nelda gave me such wonderful memories as a child.

Jeff sorrell - April 25, 2020 at 08:09 AM



Sherry Peavy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes





So sorry for your loss. Miss Nelda was a wonderful lady and will be missed. We sure did love her bread!



LD and Pam Benton - April 24, 2020 at 10:59 PM



**66** Lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes.



**Debra Dunn** - April 24, 2020 at 10:27 PM



Love Cindy and Rick Davidson purchased the Love Everlasting Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes.



Love Cindy and Rick Davidson -  $\mbox{\sc April}$  24, 2020 at 04:36 PM



Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes.



April 24, 2020 at 03:32 PM



I can still hear aunt Nelda's laugh, which was loud and very distinctive. She was a strong and principled woman who was loved throughout the community. I remember her putting me to bed at granny's house when I was around 3 or 4 years old and she would sing The B-I-B-L-E, Yes That's the Book for Me...may God rest her soul.

Jack Sorrell - April 24, 2020 at 01:46 PM



66 Amanda Sewell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



Amanda Sewell - April 24, 2020 at 11:37 AM



66 Brenda Grogan lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



Brenda Grogan - April 24, 2020 at 11:04 AM





Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes.



April 24, 2020 at 08:09 AM





66 Betty Tharpe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



Betty Tharpe - April 24, 2020 at 07:42 AM



**66** So sorry to hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Johnny & Terri Stewart

Teresa Stewart - April 24, 2020 at 03:02 AM





66 Martha Scott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



Martha Scott - April 24, 2020 at 01:34 AM





Danny And Cindy Whatley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



Danny and Cindy Whatley - April 23, 2020 at 10:56 PM



I am so sorry to hear about Mrs. Nelda. I have so many great memories. The Hayes Resteraunt for breakfast or any meal really. All the homemade bread. She made a difference in my life as well as many others.

Wayne Cowhick - April 23, 2020 at 10:03 PM



66 Kathy Cowart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



Kathy Cowart - April 23, 2020 at 07:19 PM



Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes.



April 23, 2020 at 07:05 PM



Nelda could make the best mints and bread .. if she knew I was coming into town to see mamma and my kids she always had me some bread made .. mamma ,Jan and Francis are all having a gossip sit around now .. God bless her soul

sharon griffin pennington - April 23, 2020 at 06:32 PM



66 Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes.



April 23, 2020 at 06:03 PM



Sweet loving lady. Prayers for Mr Charlie and all her family. Rodney snd Glenda Jones



Rodney Glenda Jones - April 23, 2020 at 05:49 PM



Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes.



April 23, 2020 at 05:44 PM





**56** Janet Henry lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



Janet Henry - April 23, 2020 at 05:38 PM



66 Nelda was a very sweet and loving person to everyone. May God Bless all of her family and dear friends.



Janet Henry - April 23, 2020 at 05:33 PM





I am sorry for your loss. God give you peace through this sad time and days ahead. Mrs. Hayes was such a kind person. I will keep you in my heart and prayers. Nancy Dodgen Crew



Nancy Crew - April 23, 2020 at 05:33 PM





66 Ann G Bradford lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nelda Ward Hayes



ann g bradford - April 23, 2020 at 05:01 PM