



Mary Gladys Young

January 28, 1943 - March 16, 2017

Mary Gladys Young, 74 of Ozark, Arkansas, died Thursday, March 16, 2017 in Ozark. She was a retired teacher tech at Franklin County Learning Center in Ozark, a member of Arkansas Cattlemens Association, on the Franklin County Fair Board and an avid gardener. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church and taught Sunday school. She was born January 28, 1943 in Ozark to Olen and Mary Johnson Wisdom. She was preceded in death by her parents; an infant daughter Tisha Young and a brother Johnny Ray Wisdom. Mary is survived by her husband of fifty four years Jim Young of Ozark; two daughters, Roxie Hall and husband Clinton of Ozark, Tiffine Shaffer and husband Jerry also of Ozark; three sisters, Barbara Johnston and husband Don of Ratcliff, Arkansas, Betty Clower and husband Freeling of Clarksville, Arkansas, Lorreta Rippy and husband Kenneth of Booneville, Arkansas; five grandchildren, Austin, Morgan, Daxton Shaffer, Raelynn and Jameson Hall; special family friend, Donna Patton.

Serving as Pallbearers are Brian McCormick, Johnny Mitchell, Billy Sawitsky, David Tencleve, Lonnie Turner, and Robbie Woolsey.

Honorary Pallbearers are the members of Calvary Baptist Church.

Family will visit with friends from 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM Friday, March 17, 2017 at Shaffer Funeral Home Chapel

Funeral service will be held 2:00 PM Saturday, March 18th at Calvary Baptist Church with Coyce Couch, Bill Kuykendall, Jeff Jackson and Freeling Clower officiating under direction of Shaffer Funeral Home, 2315 West Commercial

Street in Ozark.

In lieu of flowers the family would like contributions to be made to the Franklin County Learning Center.

To leave online condolences visit our website shafferfuneralhomeweb.com.

Cemetery Details

Highland Cemetery

Highway 64 West
Ozark, AR 72949

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Shaffer Funeral Home
2315 West Commercial Street
PO Box 680
Ozark, AR 72949
(479) 667-4147
shafferfuneralhome@gmail.com

Service

MAR 18. 2:00 PM (CT)

Calvary Baptist Church
1504 West School Street
Ozark, AR

Tribute Wall



“ *Shaffer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Gladys Young*



Shaffer Funeral Home - March 16, 2017 at 09:56 PM

MR

Gladys was a wonderful, caring person who will be greatly missed! She has touched many lives throughout her life. I am so blessed to have worked with her and got to know her! Prayers for the family during this time of loss! The Frank & Marla Reardon Family

Marla Reardon - March 17, 2017 at 10:53 AM



World lost a bright star that made this world a better place. She touch so many lives and made ech one better

Sharon Kay Mobarak - March 17, 2017 at 12:55 PM

GH

My deepest and heartfelt sympathy and love to the family. Love Mrs Glenda Horn 🌹🌹🌹

Glenda Horn - March 17, 2017 at 10:33 PM



This has got to be the most beautiful sweetest tribute I've ever seen

Maria Di Ross - March 21, 2017 at 03:16 PM



“ *Mary Gladys Young*

January 30, 2023 at 02:28 AM



“ *Jim and family we just recently learned of Gladys' death. We are so very sorry. She was a wonderful person. We remember her most from school in Ozark. She was always such a joyful, kind and loving person. Because of Jesus we surely know where she is. What a wonderful promise. We just wanted to express our sincere condolences to you at this hard and sad time. We are so very thankful we have a Savior, Jesus Christ, to help us thru times like these. "Let not your heart be troubled, you believe in God believe also in ME, for in my house are many mansions, if it were not so I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you, and if I go to prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to myself that where I am there you may be also." John 14: 1-4. Memorized this scripture long time ago and it means so much to both of us and know it does to you also. Sincerely in JESUS' Name, Larry and Jeania Brown*

Larry and Jeania Brown - April 09, 2017 at 03:26 PM



“ *Dear Family, What a wonderful Godly Women Your Wife, Mother, Grandmother, Aunt, Cousin, Friend Gladys Young - Wisdom was. She always made us feel loved & welcomed when we came to visit Arkansas with my Daddy, Her Bro Johnny, We loved Going out on the farm chasing the cows or looking at the garden, going to church & oh could she cook!! She had such a servants heart & loved the Lord! I am praying for all of you! God bless Sissy, Dawn Goodfallow - Wisdom*

Dawn Goodfallow - March 20, 2017 at 02:12 AM

SW

“ Gladys,
I remember her smile as a bright light in some of my more difficult days. It was there to greet me every morning! She will be missed and not forgotten by many. However, I'm thankful that she is not suffering anymore and is now rejoicing in heaven!
Fondly,
Sonja Wickens

sonja wickens - March 18, 2017 at 01:55 PM

WD

“ Truly a woman that loved the Lord. When she would sing, whether from the choir, or just standing in her pew, she was singing to her Lord, with head a-bobbing, foot a-tapping, and a smile from ear to ear.

Wendy (Grant) Denton

Wendy Denton - March 18, 2017 at 12:31 PM

DB

“ Condolences
Danny & Brenda Bearden

Danny Bearden - March 18, 2017 at 11:15 AM

DD

“ Jim, Roxie & Tiffine, We have fond memories of you and Gladys. The times that we visited Arkansas, the meals that Gladys would prepare and invite us to eat with you, The times that you would come with the teens to Louisiana and Charles would Bar B Cue for all of you. The visiting that we would share at these times are precious memories. Wish we could be there with you at this time, just know that you and the girls are in our prayers. Charles & Dorothy Duncan
Monroe, La.

Dorothy Duncan - March 17, 2017 at 02:11 PM

DS

“ I have to say first that I admired Gladys' joyful spirit. Always smiling ! Being her neighbor for 50 years I can tell you she was a hard working woman. She was active with their dairy farm and found time to garden and can veggies in the summer. She loved her flowers and was often on her knees in her flower beds when I would pass. I'll always be grateful to her for taking my oldest girls to Vacation Bible school before I was a Christian. She introduced them to Jesus when they were tiny. She fought a good fight and is now rejoicing with Jesus. Family....you were very blessed to have had a Godly wife, mother, grandmother, and sister. My prayers are with you. I pray you would receive the oil of joy for mourning because precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. Let His arms comfort you now. Love, Dana and Billy Joe

Dana Sawitsky - March 17, 2017 at 02:02 PM

KB

“ Jim, Roxie and Tiffine, we are so sorry for your loss. Mrs. Gladys was such a special lady who touched so many lives with a powerful impact for God's kingdom. We loved her and we're thankful that Brandon was blessed to have her as a Sunday School teacher at such a young age and we were blessed to know her. You are all in our prayers for Gid's peace, comfort and grace.
We love you,
Kim, Brandon & Derek Bolin

Kim Bolin - March 17, 2017 at 12:17 AM



“ Mrs. Gladys was one of the sweetest ladies I know. She will be missed by many. My thoughts and prayers for your family during this difficult time. May God's peace comfort you all.

Cheryl Davis - March 16, 2017 at 08:31 PM

DP

“ Jim and family, so sorry for your loss. You and your family will be in our thoughts and prayers. Dub and Reba Pfeiffer

Dub & Reba Pfeiffer - March 16, 2017 at 08:30 PM

BL

“ Deepest sympathy to Gladys' family. She was truly one of a kind and full of life, I loved to see her eyes sparkle as she talked. She was my son, Jeremy's, first teacher and she loved him like she loved so many children at Franklin County Learning Center. She was loved in return. I also worked with Gladys for many years and she was very special to me.

Beverice Line - March 16, 2017 at 08:24 PM

WC

“ Although I will be unable to attend the funeral of Mary Gladys (Gladys), I pray that God will grant her family peace and understanding. Gladys loved her family exponentially. Every year Gladys sent out a Christmas letter expressing her love for Jim, Roxie and family and Tiffany and family. I looked so forward to getting caught up on their lives. Gladys had a beautiful smile and personality (on top of being pretty). She seemed to be so very happy. Jim and Gladys dated in high school and got married right out of school. It was obvious how much they adored each other. Gladys, you will be missed. She was so loved by all that came in contact with her. Farewell my friend.
Wanda Tucker Crouch and Ron Crouch

Wanda Crouch - March 16, 2017 at 08:15 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Gladys Young.



March 16, 2017 at 08:11 PM

AC

“ She always had a smile that shines so bright! She has a heart of gold who cares about everyone! Her singing was the voice of an angel!! She will truly be missed! Prayers to all the family and friends!

Ashley Cook - March 16, 2017 at 04:31 PM

DM

Roxie and family, So sorry for your loss. Prayers going up. But one day, not too far away, a thought, a good memory of Mary Gladys will cross your mind and bring a smile. It will be like a brief visit from her. And those visits will continue, because that is the part of her that you will never lose. David and Lisa

David McElroy - March 16, 2017 at 05:51 PM

TT

She was my daughter's first teacher and she taught me to be a better mother to my daughter

Tina Thronebury - March 16, 2017 at 08:45 PM