



Imogene Ballard

June 23, 1934 - May 21, 2016

Imogene Ballard of Newport went to be with the Lord on Saturday, May 21, 2016. She was a member of the Dutch Bottoms Baptist Church and in later years attended Rankin Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband Billy "Neil" Ballard, her parents Burnett Douglas and Pearl (Stuart) Douglas, brothers in law Joe Ballard , Wayne Ballard and Frank Russell; niece, Dawn Smithpeters.

Family was Imogene's pride and joy. She is survived by and was affectionately known as "Mamaw Imo" to her niece and nephew in law Wendy and Eric Ball, great-nieces and nephew Emma, Ryan and Elaina Ball. Also holding a special place in her heart was her great-great- nephew Logan Knight. Other survivors include her brothers and sisters; Marie Erby of Newport, Charles (Sherry) Douglas of Morristown, Jane Smithpeters of Newport, Ella (Wayne) Harrell of Talbott, Ronnie (Phyllis) Douglas of Newport, and Darlene Sisk of Newport; former brother-in-law, Tommy Sisk who was a true friend and brother to Imogene in later life; also several nieces, nephews, and extended family members.

The family would like to say a special "Thank You" to Smoky Mountain Home Health and Hospice, especially Abby Provenciel and Charlie Grooms.

Family will receive friends from 5-7 on Monday May 23, 2016 with services following at 7 pm in the West Chapel of Manes Funeral Home. Rev. James Seals and Rev. Josh Black will officiate.

Burial will be held 11 am, Tuesday in the Douglas Cemetery at Rankin Baptist

Church.

Family and friends may sign online at: www.manesfuneralhome.com

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Imogene Ballard*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Much love and prayers for each of you! I love you Marie, Darlene, and Wendy. I'm sorry I couldn't be there.*

Shea Fancher - May 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sending Condolences to you and the your family in your time of loss. From all the girls in sanding and table tops. Michelle, Marie, Deb, Brenda, and Kristal. We are so sorry for your loss.*

Michelle Lauderback - May 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Wendy, I have spent this school year with you as you dealt with many things. Your grandmother being on of them. The grace and love you have shown has been amazing. I am praying for you and your family. I love you dearly and I am here for you anytime. Lov*

Tanya Harden - May 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *I'm sorry to hear the loss of this special lady. She was truly a gem! I have known her pretty much all my life. Go rest high!!! I pray that God will wrap his arms around each one of the family members and friends of the family and give you all peace an*

Lois Higginbotham - May 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ So sorry for your loss.

Reathel Mae and Reathel Ann Campbell - May 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ Wendy, I am so sorry for your loss. Love, Penny

Penny Chrisman - May 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Imogene Ballard

Melissia R. Ball - May 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

WF

“ Love you all dearly. I have always considered you all my family and always will. Love you!

Wendy Franklin - May 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ Love you guys. Please call us if you need anything! -- Megan, Arlenea, & Hayley

Megan Davis - May 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ With our sympathy and prayers!

Rob and Lisa Myers - May 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ In deepest sympathy in your loss. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.

Sherrie Dillard - May 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM