



## Mrs Wilma Ruth Horn

May 28, 1930 - December 16, 2019

Wilma Ruth Horn

Wilma Ruth Horn, 89, a homemaker, died Monday, December 16, 2019 at Baptist Medical Center-Leake.

Visitation is 12 pm to 3 pm Tuesday, December 17 2019 at Wilcox Funeral Home. Services are 3:00 pm Tuesday, Dec. 17th with Rev. Randolph Scott and Rev. Dale Rogers officiating. Burial is in Leake Memorial Gardens. Wilcox Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Wilma Ruth Horn of Carthage, born, May 28, 1930, died December 16, 2019 surrounded by her family, at the age of 89.

She was a graduate of Carthage High School, 1949. Early in life she was employed at Carthage Corporation and a homemaker for the 26 years. "Maw Maw" was the loving backbone of The Eagles Nest Florist and Gift Shop. Ruth was a member of Trinity Baptist Church of Carthage and a loyal, dependable election poll worker.

Ruth was an avid supporter of the Mississippi State University Girls Basketball Team. She loved gardening and her azaleas were unbelievable.

Following the passing of her loving husband, James Perry Horn, "Maw Maw" dedicated every waking minute to the happiness of her four girls, grandchildren, and family.

Survivors include four daughters, Janis Newsom, Sherry Ellis, Sandy Chipley, and Kathy Osborn, all of Carthage; six grandchildren, Steve Newsom,

Carthage, Wendy Ellis Sallis of Carthage, Jereme Newsom, Brandon, Christopher Osborn, Hattiesburg, Shelly Osborn Noggle, Oxford, and Haley Chipley Johnson, Carthage; eight great-grandchildren, Logan Lambert Wilcher, Starkville, Jessica Smith, Carthage, Destany Phillips, Carthage, Kyle Newsom, Carthage, Gavin Johnson, Tyler Johnson, Brinley Johnson, Carthage, Carter Traywick, Brandon; five great-great-grandchildren, Braxton Alford, Sylis Smith, Klancy Kayte Smith, Mylie Phillips, and Maveryk Phillips; and a host of nieces and nephews that loved her dearly.

Pallbearers are: Steve Newsom, Jereme Newsom, Kyle James Newsom, Christopher Osborn, Butch Johnston, Larry Brown, Jody Johnson, and Bob Caston.

# Cemetery Details

## Leake Memorial Gardens

Hwy 16 East  
Carthage, MS 39051

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 17. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Wilcox Funeral Home  
106 S Jordan Street  
Carthage, MS 39051  
(601) 267-8081  
wilcoxfh@netdoor.com  
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## Service

DEC 17. 3:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I am so sorry for your loss She will be missed by many Will be lifting up Ms Ruth's family in our prayers Blessings to each of you

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**Wanda McHann** - December 17, 2019 at 01:01 PM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. She was a special lady. Clarice Lee

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**Clarice Lee** - December 16, 2019 at 10:15 PM