



## Bernice L. Thompson

February 28, 1941 - November 5, 2019

Thompson – Bernice L. Thompson age 78 of Covington, passed away on Tuesday, November 5, 2019. A funeral service will be held 2:00 PM, Friday, November 8, 2019 in the Lawrenceville Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home, with Karen Thompson officiating. The burial will follow at East Shadowlawn Memorial Gardens, Lawrenceville. Mrs. Thompson was a bus driver with the Gwinnett County Board of Education. She was preceded in death by her husband, Wallace Thompson; parents, Wilson & Maggie Long, Sr.; brother Wilson Long, Jr. She is survived by daughter, Karen Thompson, Covington, GA; brother & sister-in-law, Wesley & Linda Long, Sr., Gadsden, AL; grandchildren, Justin Atkins & Danielle Hart; Paige & Stuart Somervail; Austin & Daisy Phillips; Chandler Phillips, and numerous other family and friends. The family will receive friends, 4:00 to 8:00 PM, Thursday, November 7, 2019 at Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 300 Simonton Road, S.W., Lawrenceville, GA 30046. 770-962-3100. Please leave online condolences at <http://www.stewartfh.com>.

# Cemetery Details

## East Shadowlawn Memorial Gardens

87 Scenic Highway  
Lawrenceville, GA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 7. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville  
300 Simonton Road SW  
Lawrenceville, GA 30046

## Funeral Service

NOV 8. 2:00 PM (ET)

Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville  
300 Simonton Road, S.W.  
Lawrenceville, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Bernice L. Thompson*



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**Tim Stewart Funeral Home** - November 06, 2019 at 03:26 PM

JS

*Ms Bernice will certainly be missed. She was a very caring and giving lady. When my aging parents lived across the street from her in Covington, she did so many wonderful things for them. My sisters and I will always be grateful for the way she loved and checked up on them. I always enjoyed the sausage biscuits she made for us, when I was in town.*

*Jim Stanley, son of Jack and Bea Stanley*

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**Jim Stanley** - November 09, 2019 at 02:13 PM



“ *Bernice L. Thompson*

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October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Bernice L. Thompson.*



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November 08, 2019 at 10:06 AM

YB

“ Oh Karen, so sorry to see this.....your mom was so incredibly helpful to me back when we were driving together in Grayson! We had some wonderful times together and I think of her often. I'm sad that we drifted apart the last few years as she touched my heart in ways that it still brings me joy when I remember them! She loved you so much and wanted you to be happy more than anything. Do you remember the time we did the makeup thing at your house? I loved working with your mom, I loved the friendship we had at work and outside of work. She's now one of God's precious Angel's. I pray that God gives you the comfort to help you and your family in this sorrowful time. Thinking of you and sending prayers.... Yvonne Brown

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**Yvonne Brown** - November 07, 2019 at 08:10 PM

 Lisa Pociask

“ Ode to Aunt Bernice

*Today I stand alone absent from one who's love has guided me and molded me all the days of my life,one though poor gave to us unselfishly all the riches of her heart. To us she gave the one true treasure of life= love*

*Mark Long (posted for him by Lisa)*



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**Lisa Pociask** - November 07, 2019 at 12:48 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bernice L. Thompson.



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November 07, 2019 at 12:06 PM

HC

“ *I am in shock....going to miss you.  
You weren't suppose to die.  
We were growing old together.  
Enjoyed our time together reminiscing our childhood, relatives, jobs,  
boyfriend's etc.  
Rest in Peace Cuz*

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**Hilda Crim** - November 07, 2019 at 11:06 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the  
family of Bernice L. Thompson.*



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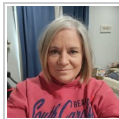
November 07, 2019 at 10:12 AM

 Lisa  
Pociask

“ Karen, I wanted so badly to come in person to say my goodbyes and to offer you my support and love. Bernice was a wonderful aunt and she and Wallace always loved all of us so much. Through all the highs and lows in life, Bernice was always there and I will forever and always appreciate that she took such good care of her Mama (our precious Oma). Bernice and Wallace took me in when my life was falling apart in the Cove and gave me the opportunity to change my life forever. For that too I will be eternally grateful. I know I was not easy to live with back in that day. Bernice always tried to give the best to all that crossed her path. She had a kind and beautiful heart that was always open. When we would come down from Green Bay to visit, she always opened her home to us and my son and grandchildren. We had hard times through the years, but we also had lots of laughs. I just had a flashback of you and I when we were children sitting on the well house in our yard singing "D I V O R C E." Probably shouldn't have put that here but it crossed my mind and I wanted to share with you that innocent moment in our lives. Yes, we thought we could be country stars. Karen, you were always a star in your mom's heart and I am sure her and Wallace are together now still holding you as the most precious thing they ever had. She is now wrapped in divine love. I am truly sorry for your loss. Losing Mama is not easy. May the peace of God that passes all understanding engulf you at this time and the rays of his love give you strength and solace.  
Lisa Long Pociask

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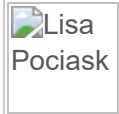
**Lisa Pociask** - November 07, 2019 at 09:06 AM



Love you and I appreciate you. Life will be different, her spirit will live on and be with us always.

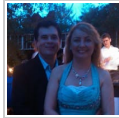
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**Karen Thompson** - November 07, 2019 at 09:41 AM



*I emailed Mark and asked if he wanted to write something for me to post. I have posted it and it is something he wrote.*

**Lisa Pociask** - November 07, 2019 at 12:50 PM



*I am so sorry for your loss. Karen, you and your family will be in our prayers.*

**Robert Perschall** - November 07, 2019 at 01:39 PM



*“ Charles and Joann Queen & Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Bernice L. Thompson.*



**Charles and Joann Queen & Family** - November 07, 2019 at 08:55 AM



*“ Lisa (Long) and Ronald Pociask and Mark Long purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Bernice L. Thompson.*



**Lisa (Long) and Ronald Pociask and Mark Long** - November 07, 2019 at 08:45 AM

SW

“ Dear Karen, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Will continue prayers for comfort and peace. Bernice was a sweet and dear friend and will be missed by all who knew her.

Much love,

Shirley Waddell Wright

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Shirley Wright - November 06, 2019 at 05:26 PM



Thank you for the kind words

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Karen Thompson - November 07, 2019 at 09:40 AM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bernice L. Thompson.



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November 06, 2019 at 05:05 PM



“ 60 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



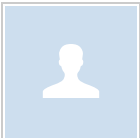
Tim Stewart Funeral Home - November 06, 2019 at 03:21 PM



“ Janet Swetmon lit a candle in memory of *Bernice L. Thompson*



Janet Swetmon - November 06, 2019 at 12:32 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of *Bernice L. Thompson*.



November 06, 2019 at 12:13 PM