



## Thelma Jo Emerick

July 1, 1934 - September 13, 2023

EMERICK - Thelma Jo (Kirk) Emerick, age 89 of Monroe, GA, passed away on Wednesday, September 13, 2023. A Funeral Service will be held at 3 PM on Saturday, September 16, 2023 in the Monroe Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home with Richard Jenkins officiating. Interment will follow at Center Hill Baptist Church Cemetery, 2940 Gratis Road, Monroe, GA 30656. Thelma Jo was a member of The Monroe Church and formerly of Faith Baptist. She was previously employed by Walton Clothes, Covered Wagon and Campton Restaurant prior to retiring. Her hobbies were going to Bible Study, listening to gospel music, talking with friends, watching the Braves play, playing Bingo and going to the casinos. Thelma Jo was born to the late Homer and Senie (Childers) Kirk. She was born and raised in Monroe, GA. She was married to the late Travis Emerick and had 3 children of their own and raised one as their own. Thelma Jo was preceded in death by her husband, Travis Emerick; parents, daughter and son-in-law, Deborah and Bennie Harkins; grandson, Bryan Mitchell, siblings, Louise and Robert Harrison, Frances and Howard Mooney, Leonard and Christine Kirk and RB Kirk, Berthalene and Clayton Dorsey, Lanier Roberts. She is survived by her children, Wanda and Steve Walter of Baltimore, MD, Ricky and Mary Emerick of Monroe, GA, Sherry and Kenneth Dobbs II of Winder/ Cleveland GA; former son-in-law, Marvin Looney and Carol Giles and many grandchildren, but her world revolved around a few, Briana Jameson and David Stewart "DJ", Britne Jackson and Jared "Bud" Jackson, Aubrie Dobbs, Angela Goodsir and Shane Goodsir, Brandon Norris,

and many great great grandchildren, but these made her heart beat and put a smile on her face each day, Landon Barker, Jaxon Morris, Truitt Stewart, Charlie Jackson, Levi Jackson, Lyrik Stewart, Makayla Reese, and Sophia Reese; sister, Grace Roberts and several nieces and nephews and numerous family and friends. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Childrens Healthcare of Atlanta, 1687 Tullie Circle NE, Atlanta, GA 30329. The family will receive friends from 5 PM - 8 PM on Friday, September 15, 2023 at Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 209 South Hammond Drive, Monroe, GA 30655. (770) 267-2594. Please sign the online guest registry at [www.stewartfh.com](http://www.stewartfh.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Center Hill Baptist Church Cemetery

2940 Gratis Road  
Monroe, GA 30656

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **15**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Monroe  
209 South Hammond Drive  
Monroe, GA 30655

## Funeral Service

SEP **16**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home Monroe  
209 South Hammond Drive  
Monroe, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Thelma Jo Emerick*



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**Tim Stewart Funeral Home** - September 15, 2023 at 10:40 AM

JR

“ *Love & prayers for this precious lady's family! She was an angel to Cindy Carlton, & my self at Park Place! One of the most loving & caring person I ever met! I know she is in Heaven! June Rentfrow*



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**june rentfrow** - September 17, 2023 at 09:30 AM

VB

“ *Jo was a good friend. We had many conversations that I always enjoyed. Sending sympathy and prayers to her family. Vida Broach*

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**vida broach** - September 16, 2023 at 11:29 AM



“ 122 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - September 15, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of *Thelma Jo Emerick*.

September 15, 2023 at 09:32 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden* was purchased for the family of *Thelma Jo Emerick*.



September 15, 2023 at 09:32 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of *Thelma Jo Emerick*.



September 15, 2023 at 07:11 AM

SU

“ Susan lit a candle in memory of Thelma Jo Emerick



Susan - September 14, 2023 at 09:45 PM

TJ

“ Thelma Jo was my great aunt. She will be missed dearly. Rest in peace now in heaven. My thoughts and prayers are with the family in this time of sorrow. Love from Tracey, Bob, and Charlotte Jerrell in Arizona



Tracey J Jerrell - September 14, 2023 at 08:46 PM

NM

“ Thelma Jo was a special friend. She will surely be missed, especially here at Park Place. Soar High my friend. May God comfort the family in this trying time.

Nancy McCants - September 14, 2023 at 04:18 PM



Granny ws a very great lady and will sure be miss by many of used around her. There wasn't a day go by that she didn't call me and talk to me. My prayers are with my family and friends.

Brandon Norris - September 14, 2023 at 05:42 PM