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Dr. Robert Whitmire and
Dr. Craig Williamson Officiating

She Loved

Someone once asked
If only you knew
How short life would be
What would you do?
What would they say
When God called you home?
What would they engrave
Once you were gone?

I hope they would see
What I've done in my life
Who I've cared for
And how I survived
I hope they'd say

She loved more than anything else She loved with all of her heart She loved everyone she believed in She loved, oh she loved

She loved the Lord And served all her life A sacrificial mother And an honorable wife She gave all she had And through every trial Made life much sweeter Because of her smile

Everyone will see
What she's done in her life
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I'm sure they'd say

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Prelude Susan Higdon

Processional Susan Higdon

Prayer Dr. Craig Williamson

Scripture Dr. Craig Williamson

"She Loved" by Jeff and Sheri Easter

Message and Words of Comfort Dr. Robert Whitmire

Closing Prayer Dr. Craig Williamson

Recessional Susan Higdon



The family thanks the many friends and relatives who have offered their love and support.

Twenty-Third Psalm

The Lord is my Shepherd: I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me: thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:

thou anointest my head with oil:

my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.



Emily Cosby Vaughn

Emily Cosby Vaughn, age 89, after a short illness, went home to be with her Heavenly Father, on Thursday, May 25, 2023 surrounded by her two daughters. Born in Washington, Georgia on August 10, 1933, she was the youngest daughter of Thomas Blakey Cosby, Sr. and Sally Witcher Cosby. She graduated from Washington High School, Class of 1950. She lived in Washington until she started her married life and business with her husband. Emily was a member of First Baptist Church of Union Point where she taught the smallest children in the Nursery Department as long as her health permitted. She was also involved in the food ministry of the church, card ministry and the Van McAlpin Mission Group.

Emily had a wonderful childhood in the country where she learned some of her talents from her Mother. This followed her throughout life until her eyesight failed. She learned to cook and sew and one of her favorite past times was embroidery. Her daughters, as well as her three granddaughters, each have some of her beautifully embroidered pillowcases to enjoy. Another of her early past times was gardening where she gave her daughters their love of flowers and how to take care of various types of plants.

After high school graduation, Emily married John Durham (Jack) Vaughn on Christmas Eve, 1950 and they worked together over the years at Jack's Place. First, they served teenagers with curb service under the big pecan trees. Later, Jack's Place was a restaurant, gas station and grocery store. In later years, customers came from all around to buy their work boots and cowboy boots.

Emily is survived by her two daughters, Phyllis Vaughn Blanton (Terry) of Greensboro, GA and Susan Vaughn Spradley (David) of Watkinsville, GA; her three grandaughters, Dr. Jessica Spradley of Watkinsville, GA, Rebekah Daniell (Brad) of Dunwoody, GA, and Jennifer Paulk (Andy) of Dacula, GA; ten nieces and nephews; and a number of other relatives and friends. Emily was predeceased by her husband, Jack Vaughn, in 2007; her sister, Mary Cosby Edmunds, in 1964 and her brother, Tom Cosby, Jr. in 2001.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, May 31, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Union Point with Dr. Robert Whitmire and Dr. Craig Williamson officiating. Interment will follow at Greenlawn Cemetery in Union Point. Serving as pallbearers are: Paul Jackson, Joel Gunn, Tommy Swann, Mark Higdon, Josh Gunn, and Keith Eley. The family will receive friends at the church one hour before the service. Flowers will be accepted or memorials may be made to First Baptist Church of Union Point, 206 Thornton Street, Union Point, GA 30669. McCommons Funeral Home, 109 W. Broad St., Greensboro, GA, (706) 453-2626, is in charge of arrangements. Visit us at www. mccommonsfuneralhome.com to sign the online guest register.

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