

In Loving Memory



A Celebration of the Life of
Mary Callaway Thaxton Pittman

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Rev. Marc Lhowe Officiating

Proverbs 31

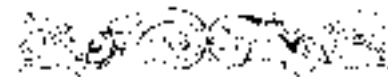
Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies.
The heart of her husband doth safely trust in her, so that he shall have no need of spoil.
She will do him good and not evil all the days of her life.
She seeketh wool, and flax, and worketh willingly with her hands.
She is like the merchants' ships; she bringeth her food from afar.
She riseth also while it is yet night, and giveth meat to her household, and a portion to her maidens.
She considereth a field, and buyeth it: with the fruit of her hands she planteth a vineyard.
She girdeth her loins with strength, and strengtheneth her arms.
She perceiveth that her merchandise is good: her candle goeth not out by night.
She layeth her hands to the spindle, and her hands hold the distaff.
She stretcheth out her hand to the poor; yea, she reacheth forth her hands to the needy.
She is not afraid of the snow for her household: for all her household are clothed with scarlet.
She maketh herself coverings of tapestry; her clothing is silk and purple.
Her husband is known in the gates, when he sitteth among the elders of the land.
She maketh fine linen, and selleth it; and delivereth girdles unto the merchant.
Strength and honour are her clothing; and she shall rejoice in time to come.
She openeth her mouth with wisdom; and in her tongue is the law of kindness.
She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness.
Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her.
Many daughters have done virtuously, but thou excellest them all.
Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the Lord, she shall be praised.
Give her of the fruit of her hands; and let her own works praise her in the gates.

King James Version (KJV)

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Prelude	Susan Higdon
Processional	Susan Higdon
<i>"How Great Thou Art"</i>	Paul Jackson
Welcome	Rev. Marc Lowe
Scripture	Rev. Marc Lowe
<i>Her Light</i>	Brenda Moon
<i>"Amazing Grace"</i>	Paul Jackson
Message	Rev. Marc Lowe
<i>"It Is Well With My Soul"</i>	Paul Jackson
Closing Prayer	Rev. Marc Lowe
Recessional	Susan Higdon
Postlude	Susan Higdon

**Interment Services at
Greenlawn Cemetery**
Union Point, Georgia



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

Amazing Grace

*Amazing grace! how sweet the sound,
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.*

*'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!*

*Thro' many dangers, toils and snares,
I have already come;
'Tis grace hath bro't me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.*

*When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we first begun.*

Mary Callaway Thaxton Pittman

Mary Callaway Thaxton Pittman, age 91, of Union Point, GA died Wednesday, March 2, 2016 at Rockdale Medical Center in Conyers, GA. Mary was born on November 23, 1924, in Washington, Georgia, one of thirteen children and the daughter of the late Robert Thomas Callaway and Nellie Carlton Callaway. She grew up and attended school in Washington, GA. In 1945 she moved from Wilkes County to Union Point where she worked for Chipman Union as a looper for thirty-three years. As an active and faithful member of the First Baptist Church of Union Point, she held numerous positions on different committees. Over the years she cared for many of the elderly in the community allowing them to stay in their homes. She enjoyed sewing on plastic canvases, crocheting, quilting and working sudoku puzzles.

She is survived by a daughter, Janice Moon of Conyers, GA; a son, Douglas Thaxton of Augusta, GA; three granddaughters, Amy Mayo, Jennifer Moon and Brenda Moon; siblings, Ella Nell Mines of Union Point, GA, Ellie Jones of Lincolnton, GA, Evelyn Bridges of Sandy Cross, GA and Otis Callaway of Washington, GA. In addition to her parents and a son, Gerald Thaxton, she was preceded in death by her siblings, Rachel Johnson, Rollin Callaway, Herbert Callaway, Orlando Callaway, Priscilla Nunn, Vera Jones, Lila Mae Swanson and Shelby Callaway.

Funeral Services will be held Saturday, March 5, 2016, at 11:00 a.m. at Callaway Chapel, 208 N. Rhodes Street, Union Point, GA 30669 with Rev. Marc Lhowe officiating. Interment will follow at Greenlawn Cemetery, Rhodes Street, Union Point, GA 30669. Serving as pallbearers are: Ricky Callaway, Brian Callaway, Tommy Swann, Ricky Newsom, Dee Lindsey, Eric Jacoby and Gene Lindsey. The family will receive friends from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Friday, March 4, 2016 at Callaway Funeral Home, 208 N. Rhodes Street, Union Point, GA 30669. The family requests any memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church, 206 Thornton St., Union Point, GA, 30669. Callaway Funeral Home, 208 N. Rhodes Street, Union Point, GA, (706) 486-4138, is in charge of arrangements. Visit us at www.mccommonsfuneralhome.com to sign the online guest register.

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