

Celebration of Life



*Ruby Mae
Parks*

*August 12, 1922
May 9, 2022*

IN MEMORY OF

Ruby Mae Parks

DATE OF BIRTH

August 12, 1922

ENTERED INTO REST

May 9, 2022

CELEBRATION OF LIFE

10:00 AM - May 14, 2022

Pickens Cemetery - Green Forest, AR

OFFICIATING

Rev. Van Edwards

Rev. Nester Rivera

BEARERS

Austin Allen

Kyle Allen

Caden Carter

Keaton Carter

Toby Franklin

Blake Thomson

INTERMENT

Pickens Cemetery - Green Forest, AR



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In Loving Memory
Ruby Parks

August 12, 1922 - May 9, 2022



Ruby Mae Parks, age 99 of Green Forest, passed away Monday, May 9, 2022, at Harrison, AR She was born August 12, 1922, in Doyle, TN, daughter of Ezra and Viola (Reavis) Barger.

Ruby grew up on a farm in Tennessee along with three brothers and graduated from Pleasant Hill Academy in Pleasant Hill, Tennessee. She moved to Detroit, Michigan and worked as an aircraft riveter during World War II.

On June 6, 1946, she married Walter Parks who preceded her in death in 2019. Ruby and Walter moved to Green Forest in 1952.

She was quiet and unassuming and meticulous about everything she did. She enjoyed visiting with family and friends, taking care of her home, doing yard work and was an excellent seamstress. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Green Forest where she attended for over 50 years.

She is survived by two daughters, Linda Thomson and husband Bob of Green Forest and Angie Huff and husband Kenny of Osage; Grandchildren Kim Allen and husband Michael of Green Forest, Crystal Carter and husband Scott of Tallahassee, FL, Jared Thomson and wife Leslie of Tonitown, AR, Susan Fancher and husband Joe of Rudd; Great grandchildren, Austin Allen and wife McKenzie of Harrison, Kyle Allen and wife Shayln of Green Forest, Allison Fancher of Rudd, Caden Carter of Tulsa, OK, Keaton, Crete, Keleigh and Kiara Carter of Tallahassee, FL, Blake, Melina and Dawit Thomson of Tonitown, AR, and 1 great-great grandson Walker Michael Allen of Harrison.

Graveside service will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, May 14, 2022, at Pickens Cemetery.
Rev. Nester Rivera and Rev. Van Edwards will officiate with interment following.