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# *Funeral Services*

*for*



Mrs. Mary Elizabeth "Ann" Shipmon Irving

Thursday, August 29, 1985 — 3:00 p.m.

Tabernacle Baptist Church

Bulloch Street, Statesboro, Georgia

Rev. R. H. White, Officiating

Rev. J. C. Brown, Pastor

Interment — Eastside Cemetery



*A Final Tribute — A Service By Payton's Mortuary, Statesboro, Ga.*

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# Obituary

Mary Elizabeth "Ann" Shipmon Irving, the daughter of Hattie Mae Baldwin Shipmon and the late Timothy Shipmon, was born on November 18, 1946, in Bulloch County, Georgia. She departed this life on August 24, 1985, at Beth Israel Hospital, Newark, New Jersey.

At an early age, she joined the Hodges Grove Baptist Church of Statesboro, Georgia, where she faithfully served until moving to East Orange, New Jersey, where she joined the Roseville Calvary United Methodist Church.

She leaves to cherish her memory, a devoted husband, Sidney Irving of East Orange, N.J.; two sons, Wiley Shipmon of Statesboro, Ga., Kennard Maurice Irving of East Orange, N.J.; a daughter, LaWanda Irving of East Orange, N.J.; her mother, Hattie Mae Shipmon of Statesboro, Ga.; one grandson, Quince Sina Shipmon of Statesboro, Ga.; three sisters, Betty Sue Harvey and Lucy Johnson both of Statesboro, Ga., Edoritha Eason of Boston, Mass., and one adopted sister, Chevelle Shipmon of Statesboro, Ga.; four brothers, George Baldwin, William Henry "Sonny" Shipmon both of East Orange, N.J., U.S. Navy Aviation Technician 3rd Class Michael Shipmon, San Diego, Calif., Robert Lee Scott of Brooklet, Ga., one adopted brother, Phillip Shipmon of Statesboro, Ga.; five aunts, Annie Hodges, Clara McCormick both of Statesboro, Ga., Minnie Lee Simpton of East Orange, N.J., Leola Standley of Claxton, Ga., Johnnie Mae Bangs of Savannah, Ga., eight uncles, Henry and Louis Baldwin both of Orlando, Fla., Charlie Baldwin, Bobby Baldwin, James Samuel Baldwin all of Statesboro, Ga., Robert Lee "Steve" Baldwin of Savannah, Ga., Cranston Shipmon of Statesboro, Ga., Callister James Shipmon of Brooklet, Ga.; several nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

*You passed away so quietly  
But God knew what was best  
He knew you were tired and weary  
So He took you home to rest.  
Your gentle face and patient smile  
With sadness we recall,  
You had a kindly word for each  
And died beloved by all.*

# Order of Service

PROCESSIONAL

PRESIDING ..... Rev. Issiah McCormick

SELECTION ..... Payton's Choir

SCRIPTURE

INVOCATION ..... Rev. Joe Herrington

SOLO ..... Mrs. Clyde Wiggins

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS ..... Mrs. Vedora Merritt

SELECTION ..... Payton's Choir

EULOGY ..... Rev. R. H. White

RECESSIONAL



## Honorary Pallbearers

Deacons of The Hodges Grove Baptist Church

## Active Pallbearers

Michael Shipmon  
Benjamin Jackson  
Willie Baldwin

Thomas Jackson  
Harry Baldwin  
Henry Baldwin

## Floral Attendants

Letha Mae Florence  
Francise Alexander  
Mattie Harris  
Petronia Dixon  
Brenda Baldwin  
Minda Jackson

Glenda Jackson  
Lois Jackson  
Michelle Harvey  
Donna Baldwin  
Christine Baldwin  
Jacquelyn Williams



With deepest gratitude, the family wishes to acknowledge the many expressions of sympathy shown to them through your prayers, flowers, cards, telegrams, phone calls, visits and the many other kindness during their hours of sorrow. May God bless each of you.

The Family