



Sara Davis Newsome

January 28, 1922 - February 22, 2015

Sara Davis Newsome, 93, of Piedmont passed away Sunday, February 22, 2015 at the Piedmont Health Care Center. Mrs. Newsome was born January 28, 1922 in Wadley, Alabama. A graduate of Wadley High School, she married her husband of 58 years that same year, 1940. Mrs. Newsome is an honoree at the World War II Memorial in Washington D.C. for her contributions on the home front. During the war she assembled charges for 105 mm howitzers at a munitions plant near Talladega, Alabama. At the end of the war she and her husband moved to Gadsden, Alabama where they owned and operated Newsome's Savette and Laundry Mat for many years. Mrs. Newsome loved to fish, work in her garden, and travel with her husband and daughter, particularly to the western U.S. and to the Florida Keys where Mr. Newsome had been stationed during World War II. Preceded in death by her brothers and sisters, she loved her siblings and missed them, but enjoyed her nieces and nephews and their visits to her home and later to Dugger Mountain Assisted Living where she had enjoyed living the past few months, before her final illness. She was a member of Dailey Street Baptist Church. She is preceded in death by her parents, Joe and Odessa Davis; and her husband, Gordon Newsome. She is survived by her daughter, Debbie Goss and her husband Jerry of Piedmont; a grandson, Andrew Donald Wheeler and his wife Gina, a great grandson, Davis Andrew Wheeler all of Miramar Beach, Florida; step-grandchildren, Tammie Goss of Alexandria and Brian Goss and his wife Tanya of Ashville, North Carolina; step great-grandchildren, Austin Goss,

Derek Del Buono, Kayla Howard, Mitchell Howard and his wife Erica, and a special friend Bill Kinsey. Services will be held at Thompson Funeral Home at 1 p.m. Wednesday, February 25, 2015 with visitation Wednesday from 11:30 a.m. until time of services. Burial will follow at Piedmont Memory Gardens. Pallbearers will be grandsons and great grandsons, Doug Martin (nephew) and close friends, Gary Quarles and Scott Maddox. Flowers will be accepted or donations may be made to the Piedmont Rescue Squad. Special thanks to the Rescue Squad for all of their help, the staff of Dugger Mountain Assisted Living and Piedmont Health Care Center for their care and Jim and Tammie Thompson.

Tribute Wall

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“ We are Praying for all of you. We loved her very much a precious lady.

Larry and Pam Tarrance - June 20, 2018 at 04:11 PM

GQ

“ Debbie, Jerry, Andy and Gina, We are so sorry for the passing of our dear Sara. Knowing God will be with you during this very difficult time. Also knowing that sweet Sara is with the Lord and those who have gone on before her.

Gary & Tina Quarles - June 20, 2018 at 04:11 PM

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“ Debbie and Family.. I am very sorry to hear of Mrs Newsome passing on to be with our heavenly Father. May GOD be with you all. You are so blessed to have had her for many years. Sara and your Dad were a real blessing to my family. My mother Mary Barton kept an account at the store and me or my boys never lacked for food because of your parents. They were a blessing to so many people who lived in Myrtlewood and I am so glad I was able to say Thank you to your mother at the Myrtlewood Reunions. Please let me know if you need me for anything. Hope you will be able to attend the reunion this year on the first Saturday in May. I pray GOD will give you peace.

Sheila Barton Erwin - June 20, 2018 at 04:11 PM

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“ So sorry to hear about your loss. we had every intention of coming up there today to represent mother family but the weather has us a little worried. It was last year this month that we got iced in at Anniston for three day while I was at A doctor appointment. Anyway you are all in our prayers and if there is anything I can do to help I will be glad to help. We will remember all the memories. Love you all Carey

Carey & Gaynelle Nunn - June 20, 2018 at 04:11 PM



“ Debbie, sorry for the loss of your mother. I know how it feels,my parents passed in 1988 and I still miss them terribly. Remember 5th Avenue? You were a wonderful neighbor. Love, Marie Hooper

June 20, 2018 at 04:11 PM

RS

“ Debbie & family I am so sorry for the loss of your Mother. Sounds like she was a wonderful, sweet lady. I have thought about you occasionally and wondered if you were still in Gadsden. It's been many years since Gadsden High School.

Rhonda (Gray) Scruggs - June 20, 2018 at 04:11 PM