



Mattie R. Vincent

January 6, 1931 - March 13, 2026

Mattie R. Vincent, a sweet soul, was born on January 6, 1931 in Anniston, Alabama to the parentage of Willie Meadows and Emma Cunningham Meadows. Mattie accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior early in life. She was a faithful member of Salem Baptist Church in Eastaboga until her health began to fail.

Mattie's warm spirit and kindness was a constant source of comfort for family and friends. She was a skilled seamstress and an extraordinary gardener. She could transform a piece of fabric into a work of art and coax a garden to bloom with her green thumb.

In 1961, Mattie married the love of her life, William Vincent, Sr., and together they created a home filled with love and laughter for 59 years. This union was blessed with a wonderful son, William Vincent, Jr.

On Friday, March 13, 2026, Mattie R. Vincent answered the Master's call and peacefully entered eternal rest in the comfort of her home. She was preceded in death by her husband, William Vincent, Sr.; her parents, Willie and Emma Meadows; siblings, Molly Sterling, Alice Smith, Betsy Meadows, Martha McLaughlin, Alfonso Meadows, and Willie E. Meadows.

Mattie's legacy of love, strength, and perseverance will be carried forward by

her son, William Vincent, Jr.; grandchildren, Ebony A. (Na Na) Bekoe, Ashley O. Vincent, and William J. Vincent; and great-grandchildren, Nolan Vincent and Efy Bekoe. She is survived by her sister, Addel Battle; brother-in-law, Edward (Bonnie) Vincent; and a host of nieces, nephews, and other family members.

As we reflect on Mattie's incredible 95-year journey, let us remember her not with sorrow but with smiles and joy, celebrating the vibrant life she led and the warmth she brought to all. Rest dear Mattie - you will be deeply missed but never forgotten.

Cemetery Details

Forestlawn Gardens

730 Golden Springs Road
Anniston, AL 36207

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR 19. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

S.M. Goodson Funeral Homes and Crematory- Anniston
830 Noble Street
Anniston, AL 36201

Celebration of Life

MAR 20. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Sorry for you loss...Condolencees from the family of the Late Rev John D. Smith.

Melvin Smith - March 18 at 12:09 PM

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“ So sry for your loss. Condolence from the Carter Family.....Tangelia Carter-Williams, Phronia -Carter Christian, Gwen Carter Smith. God's blessings

Tangelia Carter-Williams - March 17 at 12:03 PM