



## Martha Jo Williams

January 21, 1936 - February 19, 2024

Martha Jo Williams, 88, of Bushnell, Florida passed away in Lecanto, Florida on February 19, 2024. She was born in Esto, Florida on January 21, 1936 to Curtis and Lockie Kirkland. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Bushnell, Florida. Mrs. Williams was retired as the Sumter County Clerk of the Court. She was also a teacher's aide from 1960-1968 at Bushnell Elementary School. She loved gardening and volunteering at the Hope Center. She also sang in the church choir. She is survived by her sons: David (Donna) Williams of Webster, Florida, Kenneth (Elana) Williams of Clermont, Florida, and Anthony (Jennifer) Williams of Orlando, Florida; 4 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; sisters: Mary (Mike) Howell of Birmingham, Alabama and Joan (Wayne) Watkins of Esto, Florida. A service will be held Friday, February 23, 2024 at 11 AM (visitation from 10-11 AM) at Purcell Chapel in Bushnell, Florida with pastors Casey Ferguson and Doug Watkins officiating. Interment will follow at Evergreen Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be sent to First Baptist Church of Bushnell, Florida (First Baptist Church 125 W. Anderson Ave. Bushnell, FL 33513). Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.purcellfuneralhome.com](http://www.purcellfuneralhome.com). Arrangements have been entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home- Purcell Chapel, Bushnell, Florida.

# Previous Events

## Service

FEB 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

Beyers Funeral Home & Crematory - Purcell Chapel

114 W Noble Ave

Bushnell, FL 33513

(352) 793-4531

# Tribute Wall



“ *Beyers Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Martha Jo Williams*



**Beyers Funeral Home** - February 22, 2024 at 11:18 AM

MP

“ *Mrs. Williams was such a fine person. I always admired her. She faced adversities in life, but always held her family together and raised three fine sons. I shall always fondly remember her. Marsha Woodard Perkins*

**Marsha Perkins** - February 26, 2024 at 09:13 PM

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“ *Our heartfelt prayers go out to her family Ed & Carol Revis*

**CAROL REVIS** - February 20, 2024 at 01:21 PM

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“ *Clinton, Jenny, Katie, & Natalie purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Martha Jo Williams.*



**Clinton, Jenny, Katie, & Natalie** - February 20, 2024 at 06:55 AM

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“ In the years I worked at the courthouse, it was always pleasant to run into Mrs. Williams because she always had a little smile on her face when greeting you. I have no doubt that she has that same smile on her face as she greets her husband in their reunion. May her family find peace and comfort during this difficult time losing a loved one.

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**James Guy Simmons** - February 19, 2024 at 06:23 PM

JH

We met Martha at Church in summer of 1972 when we moved to Bushnell, Florida. She was from Esto which is in West Florida so that made her attractive to us, but in a very short time just being "Martha" made her a special friend. Martha has been a special friend all these years as we have shared much. She will be greatly missed. Julian and Mary Harrison

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**Julian & Mary Harrison** - February 20, 2024 at 05:19 PM

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We are sorry to hear about Mrs Williams. Our prayers are with the family. Harold and Cheryl Ingold

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**Cheryl Ingold** - February 20, 2024 at 07:22 PM