



Mrs. Alice R. DeLaney

November 28, 2016

Mrs. Alice R. DeLaney, 76, died Monday, November 28, 2016 at her home in Olive Branch, MS.

Alice was born in Carroll County, MS on May 12, 1940. Alice was number eight of nine children born to loving parents, Willie and Betty Willhite. Being raised in a large family, this instilled deep rooted family values in Alice. These values continued on through her life, and led her to the day she met the love of her life, Ron and immediately knew this is the man she'd spend the rest of her life with.

She would have celebrated her 59th wedding anniversary on November 30, 2016. Alice and her husband Ron had lived in Missouri most of their lives. During their early years together, they owned and operated two separate businesses. One being a liquor and sporting store, located in Wright City, MO. The other being a grocery store which was located in New Melle, MO. After many years, the couple decided to purchase and operate a motel on the beautiful Lake Ozark. Alice loved this area, and before becoming ill in health, she was able to retire on Lake Ozark. She absolutely loved the lake and living on it. She had always enjoyed family outings with Ron, Mike and Tim to include camping, boating, and especially jet skiing. Alice adored her grand children and great grandchildren.

Visitation will be held Friday, December 2, 2016, 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 8455 Germantown Road, Olive Branch, MS 38654. Mass will also be held Friday, December 2, 2016 at 12:00 p.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Graveside service will be held Friday, December 2, 2016 immediately following the mass, at Memorial Park Southwoods, 5485 Hacks Cross Rd, Memphis, TN 38125, Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include her husband, Ronald D. DeLaney of Olive Branch, MS; one son, Michael (Kim) DeLaney of Annada, MO; three brothers, James (Alene) Willhite of Breshears, TX; George (Lurlene) Willhite of Independence, MS; Noble (Peggy) Willhite of Independence, MS; three grandchildren Michael DeLaney Warrenton MO, Mary DeLaney of Sedalia, MO, Eli Aronoff of Tupelo, MS and three great-grandchildren, Madison, Cale and Lyman along with a host of nieces and nephews.

Her parents, Willie L. and Betty V. Willhite; her son, Timothy W. DeLaney; her two sisters, Beatrice O'Barr and Lucille Meredith; and two brothers, Lee Willhite and Frank Willhite preceded Alice in death.

Online condolences may be left on the Tribute Wall at www.colemanfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Alice R. DeLaney



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See you in Glory Aunt Alice

Steve Willhite - December 02, 2016 at 01:03 PM

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“ With deep sympathy, your sorrow is shared. Jesus said to her "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who exercises faith in me, even though he dies, will come to life. " John 11 : 25 The resurrection hope is reassuring and comforting.

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“ *This is such a sweet tribute to Alice. She is my aunt but only 13 years older than me. I always thought she was so cool. I remember thinking as a young pre-teen that I wanted to be her. Always sweet and always pretty.*

Jane Meredith Robbins

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