



## Rita Hazelrig Ellison

September 4, 1950 - April 24, 2021

Rita Ellison, 70 of Warrior passed away on April 24, 2021.

Rita was a lifetime member of the Sugar Creek Church of Christ, a devoted, faithful Christian woman who loved her family and was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Revis and Fay Hazelrig and one brother, Ronnie Hazelrig.

Survivors include her loving husband of 53 years, Donnie Ellison; their children, Angie (Melvin) Day and Lee (Dana) Ellison; four grandchildren, Brittany (Dusty) Harrison, Ashley (Joseph) Bussey, Anna Ellison and Kaylee Ellison; two sisters, Brenda Hazelrig and Cheryl Hudgins; two honorary children, Debbie Barber and Brandon Shelton and two honorary grandchildren, DaKota and Tanner Shelton.

Visitation will be held on Monday, April 26 at Gardendale Heritage Funeral Home from 6 – 8 PM. Chapel Services will be held on Tuesday, April 27 at 11AM at the funeral home and burial to follow in Sugar Creek Church of Christ Cemetery in Hayden.

# Cemetery Details

## Sugar Creek Church of Christ Cemetery

Hayden, AL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 26. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Gardendale Heritage Funeral Home  
2214 Decatur Highway  
Gardendale, AL 35071  
(205) 631-8810  
gardendalefuneralhome2@gmail.com

## Chapel Service

APR 27. 11:00 AM.

Sugar Creek Church Of Christ Cemetery

# Tribute Wall

NR

“ Thinking of all the family today as you bury my childhood friend. She was part of our little foursome of Joella, Rita, Patty and Nedra. We were such good friends throughout our high school days. So many memories are coming back to me as I think of our days at CHS. So sorry I cannot be there, Donnie and Brenda and the family, but you are in my thoughts today. I hope to put up some photos soon of those special days together. With love and caring thoughts, Nedra Hunt Robert's

N Roberts - April 27, 2021 at 10:39 PM

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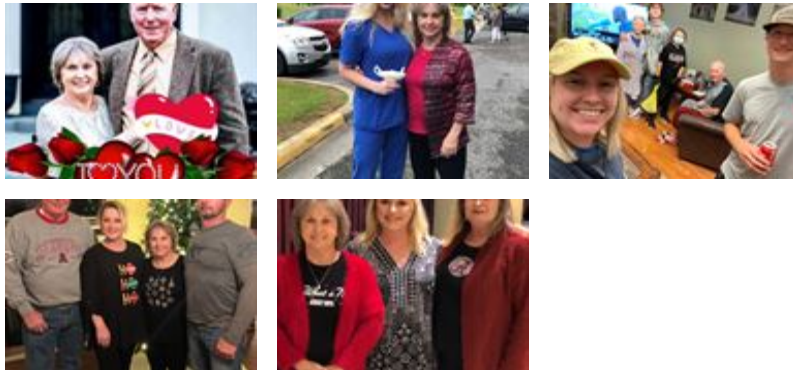
“ Gallimore family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Rita Hazelrig Ellison.



Gallimore family - April 27, 2021 at 09:33 AM



“ 43 files added to the album Life Tributes



Gardendale Heritage Funeral Home - April 26, 2021 at 04:31 PM

DC

*So sorry to learn of Rita's passing. We spent lots of days and notes watching her play ball. Lots of memories to look back on. May God bless you all and comfort you at this time as only He can. Donald and Sue Chambless.*

Donald and Sue Chambless - May 11, 2021 at 06:34 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Rita Hazelrig Ellison.*



April 25, 2021 at 07:30 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rita Hazelrig Ellison.*



April 25, 2021 at 06:56 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Rita Hazelrig Ellison.*



April 25, 2021 at 05:40 PM