



## Mary Lou Bankson Mackey Bentley

December 2, 1931 - December 2, 2012

Mrs. Mary Lou Bankson Mackey Bentley, age 81 of Cedar Bluff, passed away Sunday, December 2nd at Cherokee Health & Rehab. Funeral services will be 1:PM Wednesday, December 5th at Perry Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Chad Brown officiating; burial will follow in Unity Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 11 until 1:PM Wednesday. Pallbearers include Doug Bankson, Bill Bankson, Sam Mackey, Lee Hughes, Scott Woodall and Jerry Woodall. Honorary Pallbearers will be Kevin Porter, Samuel Mackey, Richie Grimes, Keith Battles and Wayne Wilson. Survivors include sons, Greg (Staci) Mackey of Cedar Bluff and Randy Mackey of Cedar Bluff; daughters, Martha Jean (Orban) Elders of Cedar Bluff, Donna Faye (Alton) Woodall of Cedar Bluff, Shirley (Kenneth) Woodall of Gaylesville and Sheila (Harlan) Starr of Cedar Bluff; brother-in-law, Jody Cook of Lyerly, GA; 8 grandchildren; 13 great grandchildren; 1 great great grandson; several nieces & nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph Mackey; brothers, B.L. Bankson, Billy Bankson, Jack Bankson, Ted Bankson; sisters Jean Rowe, Betty Cook and Dixie Mackey Peckham. Mrs. Bentley was a native of Cherokee County, the daughter of the late Samuel Sheldon and Lena Mae Morrison Bankson.

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *My thoughts are with the Bentley family. May the words in Acts 24:15 give you confidence in the resurrection.*

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**Barb Layton** - January 31, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *We are so sorry to hear about Mrs. Mary's passing. You all will be in our thoughts and prayers. May The Lord give you strength and peace during this difficult time. Nancy, Pam and Jeff*

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**Nancy Steele, Pam and Jeffrey** - December 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Aunt Martha, I'm so sorry about your mother's passing. I'll be praying for you and the family. May God bring you comfort through the memories that you have. I love you, Chandra*

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**Chandra Norton** - December 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM