



## Clara Wise

February 2, 1929 - January 4, 2019

Clara Davis Wise, February 2, 1929 – January 4, 2019.

Clara lived an extraordinary life. She was 1 of 14 children and was the daughter of Lee and Loula Davis. She grew up in the Great Depression and helped raise many of her brothers and sisters before she married Frank Wise in 1945 and had 3 children of her own over the next few years, James Wise (deceased), Dora Hensley, Betty Young, both of Kingston.

She faced adversity and hardship head on with grace and dignity. She has suffered loss and tragedy throughout her life and never let it hold her down for long. From the loss of her parents, most of her siblings, her husband, her son, and some grandchildren. She was a God fearing woman although the last many years of her life she was unable to attend church. She was a fantastic cook and didn't let people leave her house hungry when she was able bodied. She helped raise several of her grandchildren and was the cornerstone of her family. She had 9 grandchildren Jenny and Sandy Wise, Virginia Hensley, Melissa Scott, Julie Young, Sarah Nelson, Jimmy Wise, Steven Young and Jason Hensley (deceased), 11 great grandchildren and 4 great great grandchildren.

Funeral 2pm Monday, January 7, 2019 in the Kyker Chapel with Pastor Virgil Davis officiating. Burial in Tennessee Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 1pm until 2pm Monday at the Kyker Funeral Home in Kingston.



# Cemetery Details

## Tennessee Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery

184 Jennings Drive  
Kingston, TN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 7. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Kyker Funeral Homes  
OUR KINGSTON CHAPEL  
PO Box 69, 350 W Race St  
Kingston, TN 37763  
(865) 376-6531  
<https://www.kykerfuneralhomes.com/>

## Service

JAN 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

Kyker Funeral Homes  
OUR KINGSTON CHAPEL  
PO Box 69, 350 W Race St  
Kingston, TN 37763  
(865) 376-6531  
<https://www.kykerfuneralhomes.com/>

# Tribute Wall

KK

“ *RIP Beautiful my greatest memory when I got yo visit you and play in your yard Picked berries and your biggeat hugs that you gave me! I love you GMA CLARA Heaven gained a beauriful Angel I love you Kim,Brittani,Ashley*



kim koons - January 07, 2019 at 09:52 AM

EP

“ *So sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Everett and Carol (Crowe) Phillips - January 07, 2019 at 04:32 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Clara Wise.*



January 06, 2019 at 08:11 AM

JS

“ Too all of the family so sorry for your loss. I remember all the summers coming up there and Aunt Clara and Uncle Frank we always enjoyed ourselves. I remember 1 time especially when we were there that me and Virginia I think stole a horse from next door we spent so many hours trying to get this horse out to ride it we finally did. And rode it up to Aunt Claras Door. She said how did you get that horse? We told her and my mom came out yelling and told us to put it back. Aunt Clara told mom to calm down as we were putting the horse back the owners showed up and said we could ride the horse. Also I will never forget how sweet she was and caring and I loved pulling up and seeing her huge Sunflowers. We would eat so many of them. And her cooking was so good. I love you Aunt Clara and you will be missed. Say hi too Mom and Dad and you will be back with Uncle Frank.R.I.P. Love Julie Sellars



---

**Julie A Sellars** - January 05, 2019 at 12:04 PM