

Opal Irene Sledge

January 12, 1944 - November 14, 2021

Opal Irene Sledge, age 77 of Sweetwater entered into her eternal home Sunday November 14, 2021 at Sweetwater Hospital.

She was born January 12, 1944 to the late Oscar Lafitte & Mabel Jessie Lee Standridge.

She is preceded in death by her husband Lowell Benjamin Sledge Sr,

Sons: Lowell Benjamin Sledge Jr & Thomas Earl Sledge

Sisters: Helen Mullins & Rachel Lowe

She enjoyed living life to the fullest, she enjoyed reading and playing cards with her friends. She never met a stranger and always had a kind word to say about everyone she met.

Opal is survived by her children & Spouse: Tammy Harmon, Fate Sledge, Barry Sledge,

Kevin (April) Sledge

Grandkid: Matt Martin

Grand Godson: Zack Potter

Great Grand Kids: Tara Martin, Sara Martin, Dakota Martin

Brothers and sister in laws: Oscar (Ruth) Standridge, Kenneth (Becky) Standridge, Neil Standridge

Sister: Beulah Torbett, Special nephew in which she helped raise: Jason

Standridge, several other nephews, nieces and friends. The family will receive friends on Thursday, November 18, 2021 at Kyker Funeral Homes,

Sweetwater from 5:00 P.M. until 7:00 P.M. with the celebration of life service to

follow at 7:00 P.M. in Kyker's Chapel with Rev. Dewight Torbett officiating.
Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater in charge of arrangements. www.kykerfuneralhomes.com

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **18**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Opal Irene Sledge*



Kyker Funeral Home - November 18, 2021 at 11:22 AM

MM

My friend and led me to my salvation by her example. You will be missed here. Rejoicing that you are in th arms of the angels.

Mary Mannjenders - November 18, 2021 at 10:28 PM

JS

“ *Aunt Opal, you will be so very missed by all whose lives you touched. You had a special way of bringing joy and happiness to everyone that you were around and I hope that all those you have left an impact on will hold those memories tightly. I know that we will see you again on heaven's streets of gold. Kevin and April, I am so very sorry for your loss and pray that you find peace and comfort as it is a winding path but love will guide you.*



Joseph Sturgill - November 18, 2021 at 08:10 PM

TS

“ I am so sorry kevin for your loss i love you and april so much i didnt know if you knew that i am aprils cousin tracy i am praying for you all.



Tracy schmitt - November 18, 2021 at 03:50 PM

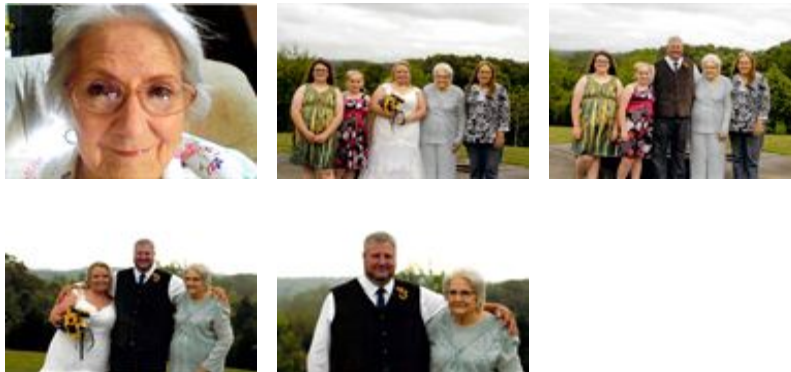
VL

It saddens my heart to hear Aunt Opal has passed she was a light in every life she touched ,I have always had great respect and admiration for her I hope in some ways to live my life as she did with love and kindness ,I was planning a trip up there to see her but God needed her more .I will always remember her as a true lady who's door was always open and you always felt welcome, I love you Aunt Opal and I'll see you again in heaven.

Vickey Mullins Longie - November 18, 2021 at 03:56 PM



“ 33 files added to the album Life Tributes



Kyker Funeral Home - November 18, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Opal Irene Sledge.*



November 16, 2021 at 07:54 PM



“ *Kevin, we are so sorry for the loss of you mom. You and your family will be in our prayers*

Shelia & Ronnie Colyer - November 15, 2021 at 09:38 PM



“ *Always a quite kind person. Was a joy to have here in my class during her school years. She was also a good student. May God rest his Almighty hand on her family feeling His peace comfort and mercy. See you on heaven , Opal*

John Sutton class of 1962 - November 15, 2021 at 08:04 PM