



## Merle Cockfield

September 16, 1926 - January 5, 2020

Nobles Funeral Home and Crematory announces the services for Mrs. Merle Craven Cockfield, age 93, who passed away Sunday, January 5, 2020. She was a native of Appling County living in Jesup for over 60 years, a graduate of Georgia Teachers College in Statesboro and a retired English Teacher at Wayne County High School. Mrs. Cockfield was a member of Jesup First United Methodist Church and the Joy Sunday School Class. She loved playing bridge, traveling and staying at her second home on St. Simons Island.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Johnnie and Neta Thomas Craven.

Survivors include her husband of 62 years, Tim Cockfield, Sr.; son and daughter in-law, Tim and Laurel Cockfield, Jr.; granddaughter, Julia Cockfield all of Jesup; two special nieces and caregivers, Sherrie and Johnny Beecher and Dixie and Ricky Houston both of Baxley; daughter in-love, Ginger Aspinwall Adams and Douglas of St. Simons Island; host of nieces, nephews and extended family also survive.

Memorial services will be held Tuesday, January 7, 2020 at 11am from the Jesup First United Methodist Church with Pastor Rebecca Duke-Barton officiating.

Musical selections will be by Dr. Creston Groover, Reverend Tim Horne and Eric Parker.

The family will receive guests one hour prior to services at the church.

In lieu of flowers donation may be made to Jesup First United Methodist Church at 205 East Cherry Street, Jesup, GA 31546.

Friends and family may sign the online guest book at [noblesfh.com](http://noblesfh.com).

Nobles Funeral Home and Crematory is honored to serve the family of Mrs. Merle Craven Cockfield.

# Tribute Wall

RC

“ *My condolences to the family. I attended junior & high school at the old WCHS and I remember her and her husband very well. I graduated in 1955.*

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**Roy Clark** - January 10, 2020 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *Loretta Boykin lit a candle for*



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**Loretta Boykin** - January 08, 2020 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ *I loved Merle Cockfield and her positive spirit! Every time I talked with her, she always lifted my spirits. She was always very complimentary! I grieve her lost along with her family.*

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**Linda Fountain** - January 08, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ *What a memory she will leave behind!!! Our thoughts and prayers are with you and yours*

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**Joe and Tempie Davis** - January 07, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Merle was an amazing woman and educator. I have great memories of her. Thoughts and prayers for all of you! Jamie Fraley Segear*

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**Jamie** - January 07, 2020 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ *Merle was such a good friend and a joy to be around, she will be missed by many friends and loved ones. May her loving family be comforted by our Heavenly Father.*

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**Sara Reynolds** - January 07, 2020 at 12:00 AM

RL

“ *Our prayers are with the family. Such a loss. Paula took care of Mrs. Cockfield in the hospital a few years ago. Just to show u her heart she insisted we enjoy one of her homes on the island for a weekend. We finally took her upon it and enjoyed ourselves. The condo was decorated just like her. We laughed and had a memory forever. Thank you Mrs.Cockfield.*

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**Roger and Paula Lewis** - January 07, 2020 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ *I will miss you and Sherry coming to marshside. Your smile and happiness were contagious, and though I hadn't seen you in a while, I will miss you.Love, Cindy Supernaw.*

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**Cindy Supernaw** - January 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ *We are thinking about you and your family at this time love Grace and kim Williams*

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**Kim Williams** - January 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *Mr. Tim and familyYou are in our thoughts and prayers. We adored Miss Merle and know that she will be missed by all that knew her.John and Marcia Carter*

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**John and Marcia Carter** - January 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

RL

“ *What a lady and what a joy to be around! So sorry to hear this. Our sympathy and love to Tim, Tim Jr., Laurel and Julia.*

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**Robert and Jimmie Ann Lamb** - January 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ *Dear family, so sorry for your loss. Ms Merle was a special lady! Our thoughts and prayers are with you!*

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**Danny and Glenda Stephens** - January 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ *Laurel, Tim Jr , Julia and Tim Our thoughts and prayers are with you*

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**Carolina and Richard Dear** - January 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ *So sorry for your loss. She was a beautiful, sweet lady and will be missed by many.*

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**Gene and Donna Rinehart** - January 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

BI

“ *What a legacy she leaves behind! She was an exquisite jewel of a rare kind. Praying for Mr. Tim and the family. May God comfort yall in the coming months. Becky and Wesley Wilder*

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**Becky Is ilder** - January 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM