

Mellon S. Cline

Mellon Mae Stewart Cline, 76, of Liberty, died July 14, 1997, at Southwest Mississippi Regional Medical Center.

Visitation is from 6-8 p.m. today at Peoples Undertaking Co. Services are at noon Saturday at Tickfaw Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Percy Veals officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.



Mrs. Cline was born June 1, 1921, in St. Helena Parish, La., the daughter of James McClinton and Nancy Miller McClinton.

She was a homemaker and a member of Tickfaw Missionary Baptist Church, where she taught Sunday School and was a church group captain.

She was preceded in death by her husbands, Garrett B. Stewart and Altie Cline; two children, James Weldon and Mary Stewart; one step-daughter, Lillian Brown; and two step-sons, Alphonse Stewart and Aubrey Stewart.

Mrs. Cline is survived by five daughters, Rutha M. Dunn and Wilhelmenia Stewart, both of Cleveland, Ohio, Climentine S. Taylor of New Orleans, Nancy Johnson of Magnolia and Edna Stewart Deer of McComb; three sons, George Stewart and Louis Stewart, both of New Orleans, and Ellis R. Stewart of Magnolia; 15 step-children, two of whom she reared, Earlis Stewart of Magnolia and Hollis Stewart of Chicago; one brother, Vernell McClinton of Metairie, La.; one uncle, John McClinton of New Orleans; 33 grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, 30 step-grandchildren and 34 step-great-grandchildren.