



Mrs. Barbara Cofer Kirkland

March 8, 2015

KIRKLAND, Barbara Cofer, 82, of Plant City, Florida, entered into eternal rest on March 8, 2015. She was a member of Cork United Methodist Church where she was the pianist/organist for over 50 years, an auction clerk for over 40 years, and an award winning gardener. She loved her family and she enjoyed cooking and gardening. She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Willis S. Kirkland, Jr.; daughters Sherry Clenney (Roger), and Lori Der (Dennis); granddaughters, Erica Hall, Brittany Lopez, Kayla Clenney, and Lauren McNair; and great-granddaughter Gracie. She was preceded in death by her son, Foy Kirkland. The family will receive friends on Friday, March 13 from 6-8:00 P.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 CR 39 S, Plant City; where a Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, March 14 at 10:00 A.M. Interment to follow at Hopewell Memorial Gardens, Plant City. Memorial contributions may be made to the James Ranch, c/o MacDonald Training Center at <http://www.macdonaldcenter.org/>. Expressions of condolence at www.HopewellFuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Hopewell Memorial Gardens

6005 County Road 39 South
Plant City, FL 33567
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Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

MAR 14. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Barbara Cofer Kirkland



Hopewell Funeral Home - March 13, 2015 at 02:55 PM

RN

“ What wonderful supportive memories we have of Barbara And Willis! My father in-law was pastor of Cork years ago and I served in that area twice years back, every time we ran into any of the Kirkland's it was a blessing. Fantastic memories of Foy also, in the Loving arms of God!

Richard & Debbie Nichols - May 27, 2015 at 09:19 AM

DD

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Barbara was such a dear sweet lady, always so kind and sincere. I send my deepest sympathy and regards for Barbara's family. Donna Dean

Donna Dean - March 15, 2015 at 08:18 PM



“ Dear Lori and family...Please accept my deepest sympathies. Prayers are being said for all of you. May she rest in peace. Much love...Patricia Bifulco



Patricia Bifulco - March 15, 2015 at 05:15 PM



“ I'm so sorry to hear about you mother my prayers are with you.

lesua Pike - March 14, 2015 at 05:38 PM



“ Willis, so sorry to hear of your loss. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Former classmate,

Van Edith (High) Vaughn



Edith Vaughn - March 14, 2015 at 12:14 PM



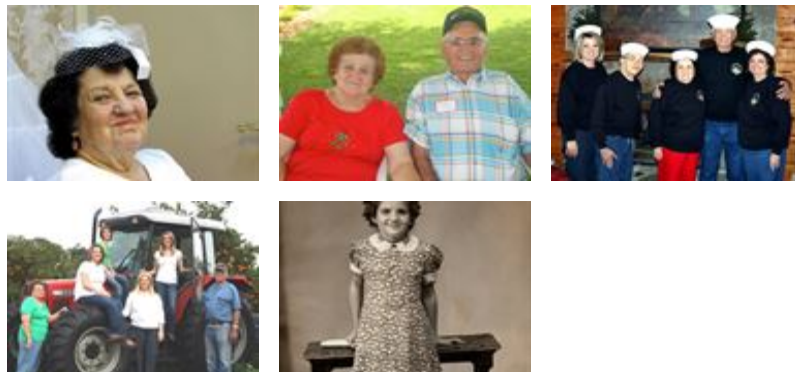
“ Ron & Bev Bailey purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Barbara Cofer Kirkland.



Ron & Bev Bailey - March 12, 2015 at 02:16 PM



“ 46 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Hopewell Funeral Home - March 12, 2015 at 01:08 PM

DH

“ *Dora & Hank Hickman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Cofer Kirkland*



Dora & Hank Hickman - March 11, 2015 at 09:27 AM

PM

“ *Ron and I will always hold your Mother in a special place. We are out of state and will not return for awhile so we wanted to let you know, while we may not be at any services in her honor, our hearts and minds will be with her and her family. You all are very special. We feel so sorry for Willis, your Daddy. He was her constant companion, love of her life and her special friend for so very many years. Our hearts break for him. Surely he knows God put things in order...Your Mom will have things all lined up for him when he arrives. Bless you all. We will pray for you.*

Pat & Ron Mason - March 10, 2015 at 08:23 PM



“ *My memories are of the wonderful family members she and her husband created. Lori Der and her wonderful daughters symbolize her success as a mother and grandmother. Please accept my sympathies and prayers.*
Patrician Bifulco



Patricia Bifulco - March 10, 2015 at 08:20 PM

WR

“ *We love this lady and her family, great friends, neighbors they hold a special place in our hearts. We shall see you at the great homecoming with our Lord and Savior. Your spirit will live on with us. Wanda Youmans Rimmer & Sandy Rimmer & Mark & Olivia Weaver.*

Wanda Rimmer - March 10, 2015 at 07:50 PM