



Mavis Thigpen Benefield

February 27, 1937 - October 22, 2014

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Mavis Thigpen Benefield, 77, died Wednesday with all her family by her side in Vidant Edgecombe Hospital.

Funeral service Thursday at 7:30 PM at Unity Fellowship Church, 697 Community Drive, Goldsboro. The Rev. Kelvin Gurley will officiate.

The Family will received friends at Unity Fellowship Church from 6:30 to 7:30. Committal service will be Friday at 1:30 PM at Evergreen Memorial Cemetery, 3888 Hwy 70 West of Goldsboro.

Surviving is a son; Al Cotter (Lauren) of Rosewood, daughters; Phyllis Spence of Lexington, SC and Sherry Tedder (Donald) of Wilmington. A brother, Billy Thigpen (Susan) of Shelby. Five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Mrs. Benefield was preceded in death by her parents Ruth Mara Owens Thigpen and Woodrow Thigpen, her husband, Richard P. Benefield. She was a member of Whitley Pentecostal Holiness Church.