



Vernie Asher

April 7, 1930 - June 1, 2018

Vernie Asher was born April 7, 1930 in Bixby, Missouri to Henry Preston and Girtie Luvinia (Stricklin) Asher and passed away June 1, 2018 in Fredericktown, Missouri at the age of eighty-eight years.

Vernie taught 100's of students starting out in a one room school and ending her 40 plus years teaching at South Iron School District. Although she had no children of her own, she helped raise her siblings and offered a helping hand to her nieces and nephews. Sissy, as she was fondly known, enjoyed gardening, knitting, crocheting, quilting and flowers. She was a member of Hickory Grove Assembly of God. Vernie preached for 65 years and was a pastor almost 30 years. She was saved in October, 1948.

Preceding her in death were her parents; sisters, Della Walker and Mabel Asher; brothers, Herman Asher and Montie Asher.

Survivors include her brothers, Jackson Asher and wife, Ruth, St. James; Emmett Asher, Bixby; Vernon Asher and wife, Mary Lou, Caledonia; sisters, Goldie Keister, Des Arc; Helen Walz, Viburnum; several nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

Vernie will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her.

Funeral service for Vernie Asher was held Wednesday, June 06, 2018 at Wilson Mortuary Viburnum Chapel with Bro. Paul Davis officiating, special music was provided by Sharon Hedrick and Andrea Bumpus. Serving as pallbearers were, Henry Asher, Randy Asher, Jeff Asher, Nathan Asher, Gary Asher, Josh Campbell and Mike Thompson, honorary pallbearers were, Kenneth Asher and Jay Seely. Interment was in the Crocker-Stricklin Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

BS

“ Our sincere sympathies for the loss of one so special in all our lives and hearts. Vernie was a very important part of my life since 1958! She was of course my first and second grade teacher and taught me many life lessons. I will never forget those lessons. They have shaped my life in many ways and I am very thankful that Vernie and Mabel were such a big part of my life. I will miss her! Love and prayers to all of you. Bonnie Strass

Bonnie Strass - August 31, 2018 at 09:09 AM

RS

“ My condolences to all of Sis Vernies family. She was my my third grade teacher at Hazel Creek Missouri. We have remained Friends ever since. She has always been such an inspiration to me. I love her dearly She always sent me a Christmas card with a letter from Her and Mabel. I will always remember Her.

Rosemary Stroup - August 31, 2018 at 09:08 AM

BP

“ Goldie and family sorry to hear about Vernie , We didn't know until last night. I know she and Mable were a big part of your life. Thinking of you all Tell Emmitt why we didn't come to the funeral home, prayers Bill and Judy;

Bill and Judy Prater - August 31, 2018 at 09:08 AM

LH

“ I was so sorry to read in the paper of Ms. Asher's passing and wish to extend my condolences to her family. She was my first grade teacher in a one-room school house on Upper Carver Creek. She was a wonderful teacher, and I credit her with a lot of my success in life. I continued to occasionally see her and Mabel over the years, and they always knew me, and we would catch up with news. May our loving Lord grant all of the family His strength and comfort during this time.

Lynn Ehlert Hughes - August 31, 2018 at 09:08 AM