

The LORD is my *Shepherd*;  
I shall not want.

He maketh me  
lie down in green pastures:

He leadeth me beside the still waters,  
He restoreth my  
*soul*:

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness  
for His name's sake. Yea though I walk through the  
valley of the shadow of death.

*I will fear no evil:  
for Thou art with me;*  
Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies

Thou anointest my head with oil; My cup runneth over  
Surely goodness & mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life;

And I will dwell in the house  
of the LORD *forever*.  
- Psalm 23



*What a comfort...*

For us to know that our burden of grief  
was shared by our family & friends.

*~ Thank You*



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*In Loving Memory of*

**Lucy Kate Alexander Pless**

April 24, 1934 - January 9, 2024





.Mrs. Lucy Kate Alexander Pless, 89, of Lonesome Dove Road, Elberton, wife of 70 years to Frank 'Grady' Pless, went to be with her Lord on Tuesday, January 9, 2024, at Pruitt Health at Spring Valley.

Mrs. Pless was born in Elberton on April 24, 1934, daughter of the late Henry Frank "Doc" Alexander and Alma Grace Holmes Alexander. She was a faithful follower of Jesus who enjoyed visiting nursing homes and singing gospel music. Lucy Kate read her Bible daily and enjoyed doing crossword puzzles.

She was an exceptional homemaker who prided herself in cooking three meals a day, making cornbread and biscuits each morning. Sunday dinners and every holiday were spent with the entire family gathering at her home, something she always looked forward to. Lucy Kate was a talented seamstress who made easter baskets for her family each year. She enjoyed spending time working in her gardens, and loved her family and friends dearly.

Surviving, in addition to her husband Grady, are her children: Ray Pless and his wife Linda of Dewy Rose, Deborah Thomas and her husband Jerry of Anderson, SC, and Judy Gaines and her husband Tony of Elberton; and brother, Wilton Alexander and his wife Linda of Hartwell. Granny also leaves behind nine grandchildren, thirteen great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild, and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

Along with her parents, she is preceded in death by an infant son, Mark Allen Pless; and siblings: Horace Alexander, George Alexander, Frank Alexander, Raymond Alexander, Willene White, and Alma Jo Carruth.

*Lucy Kate Alexander Pless*

**Date of Birth**

April 24, 1934  
Elberton, Georgia

**Date of Death**

January 9, 2024  
Elberton, Georgia

**Funeral Service**

2 o'clock in the morning  
Saturday, January 13, 2024  
Memorial Chapel of Berry Funeral Home

**Officiating**

Rev. Ken Buffington

**Interment**

Coldwater Methodist Church Cemetery

**Honor**  
*Loving Memory*

Don't think of her as gone away -  
her **JOURNEY'S JUST BEGUN**,  
life holds so many facets -  
this earth is only one.

Just think of her as resting  
from the sorrows and the tears  
in a place of *warmth*  
**AND COMFORT**  
where there are no days and years.

Think how she must be wishing  
that we could know today  
how nothing but our sadness  
can really pass away.

In the *Hearts* And think of her as living  
of those she touched  
For nothing loved is ever lost -  
And she was loved so much.  
- Ellen Brenneman