

**FIDELLIA BAKER
THOMPSON**

Jasper

Fidellia Baker Thompson was born April 27, 1915, in Hopewell to Willie Baker and Daisy Baker Reece. She grew up and went to school in Hopewell. She met and married Harrison Thompson on April 19, 1967. Fidellia continued to live in Hopewell until her health failed and she was moved to the Whitehall Nursing Center in Crockett. It was at Whitehall Nursing Center that her struggle with life ended on Jan. 18, 2001.

Mrs. Thompson is survived by one sister, Caroline Taylor

of Crockett; two daughters, Aline Epps and Margaret Horace both of Crockett; one son, James Runnels of Hopewell; 17 grandchildren, 42 great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Thompson is preceded in death by her husband, Harrison Thompson; and two children, Gladys Close Warren and Clifford Close.

Funeral services for Mrs. Thompson were held Saturday, Jan. 28 at 11 a.m. in the Hopewell Baptist Church with the Rev. Frank Kennard and the Rev. Henry Lovelady officiating. Interment followed in the Jasper Cemetery.

Barkley Mortuary