



## Dorothy Rowland

March 19, 1915 - February 12, 2014

Dorothy Reece Rowland, a resident of Carrollton Manor and formerly of Bowdon, Georgia, passed away on February 12, 2014. She was 98.

Mrs. Rowland was born on March 19, 1915 in Ellijay, Georgia to the late William "Bill" and Martha Forrester Reece. She worked at Sewell's Manufacturing and was a clerk at Walston's Gift Shop. She was a devoted member of Bowdon Baptist Church where she volunteered her time in many ways, but she especially enjoyed working the other ladies in the church preparing the Wednesday night fellowship meal. She was a devoted wife, mother, and friend. She was an excellent cook and always enjoyed working in her vegetable and flower gardens. She will be missed greatly.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Claude Rowland.

Survivors include her children, Carole Rowland Benefield and Steve and Teresa Rowland; her grandchildren and their spouses, Debbie and Tim North, Leesa and Steve Estes, Lee and Stephanie Benefield, Brian and Dawn Rowland, and Lori Rowland; her great-grandchildren, T.J. North, Tucker North, Dixiana Benefield, Drake Estes, Cassidy Estes, Talley Estes, Hunter Rowland, and Brittany Rowland.

Funeral services will be held on Sunday, February 16, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. at Bowdon Baptist Church. Dr. Ron Huggins and Rev. Pete Bingham will officiate. Music will be provided by Rev. Benny Boggus. Pallbearers will be Brian Rowland, Lee Benefield, T.J. North, Tucker North, Drake Estes, and Tim North. Interment will follow in Bowdon City Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Saturday, February 15, 2014 from 4:00 until 7:00 p.m.

# Cemetery Details

## Bowdon City Cemetery

Johnson Street  
Bowdon, GA 30108

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **15**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Rainwater Funeral Home  
317 North Carroll Street  
Bowdon, GA 30108  
(770) 258-7239  
info@rainwaterfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.rainwaterfuneralhome.com>

## Service

FEB **16**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Bowdon Baptist Church  
205 Mill Street  
Bowdon, GA 30108

# Tribute Wall

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“ *I am so sorry to learn of you Mom. My thoughts are with you all during this time of sorrow. May God's love comfort you.* ”

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**Elizabeth Holland Holbrood** - February 16, 2014 at 09:27 AM