



## Bernice Eugene Michaels

February 22, 1950 - September 8, 2024

Augusta, GA – Bernice Eugene Michaels, 74, wife of the late Jerry J. Michaels entered into rest on Sunday, September 8, 2024, at her residence.

Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Chance and Hydrick Funeral Directors, on Thursday, September 12, 2024, at 11:00 AM, with the Reverend Katrina Salter-Wood officiating.

Interment will follow in Bellevue Memorial Gardens.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM on Wednesday, September 11, 2024, at the funeral home.

Bernice, born in Aiken, SC, was the daughter of the late Samuel E. Benson Sr. and Irene B. McNeely Leverett. She retired from Huddle House as part of their management team. She was of the Baptist faith. A lifetime member of The American Legion and Auxiliary President.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by her siblings, Edward E. Benson, A. Louis Benson, Reba “Gussie” Whitaker, Samuel E. Benson Jr. and Samuel Sampson Benson.

Survivors include her children, Martin E. Sullivan Sr. (Carolyn), MSG (Ret.), Jo’Be L. Sullivan (Chrissy), Jon L. Sullivan (Miranda); Michelle Sullivan as a daughter-of-love; her grandchildren, Martin E. Sullivan Jr., Brittany S.

Broadbent, Amanda S. Shelnut, Lindsy P. Sullivan, A. Paige Sullivan, Jackson L.S. Whitten, Alexa Beckett; her great grandchildren, Martin E. Sullivan III, Hunter S. Sullivan, Stormi R. Sullivan, Caroline G. Broadbent, Carrington J. Broadbent, Dakota-Raye Sullivan, William Sawyer Shelnut; great-great

grandchildren, Miley Jane Sullivan, and Waylon Long.

The pallbearers will be Dakota Brown, Tavaris Maxwell, Marty Sullivan Jr., Hunter Sullivan, Kevin DeLaigle, and Will Shelnett.

The American legion Post #192 of Evans, GA will be providing a meal for the family after the services.

Chance & Hydrick Funeral Directors, 2502 Richmond Hill Road, Augusta, GA, 30906.

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# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

SEP **11.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral

SEP **12.** 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Chance & Hydrick Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Bernice Eugene Michaels*

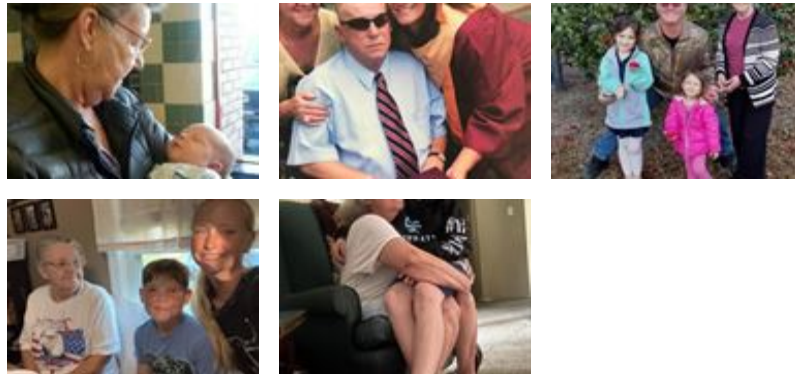


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**Chance & Hydrick Funeral Directors** - September 11, 2024 at 06:47 PM



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**Chance & Hydrick Funeral Directors** - September 11, 2024 at 02:32 PM

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“ *Only met Grandma a time or two. She always had a smile for me and loved watching the kids play. So sorry for the loss. Is always hard but she's no longer in pain and is at peace. Hugs to you all*

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**Charlotte Sewell** - September 10, 2024 at 07:58 PM



*Thank you so much.*

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**Jobe Sullivan** - November 01, 2024 at 09:03 AM