



## Sister Irene Chandler

January 30, 1929 - November 29, 2018

Funeral services for Sister Irene Chandler, age 89, are scheduled for 2 PM, Sunday, December 2, 2018 in the chapel of Pafford Funeral Home in Scotts Hill. Interment will follow in Chandler Family Cemetery. Sister Chandler passed away Thursday in Lexington. She was born January 30, 1929 in Perry County to the late Joe and Lottie Doyle Barham. Irene began her ministry by lay speaking in local churches in 1977 as she enrolled in school to become ordained in the Methodist Church. Five years later, she was appointed pastor to the Adamsville circuit, then the Saltillo circuit in 1990, and finally, the Sardis circuit in 1999. After 40 years of service, she retired in July of 2018. Irene was the epitome of selfless love and giving while expecting nothing in return. Whether as minister, counselor, comforter, artist, homemaker, friend, wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, or great great grandmother, she sacrificially gave of herself so that others might have a better life. Survivors include her son, Tracy Chandler (Pam); two daughters, Stella Pratt (Tony) and Carolyn Chandler; daughter in law, Sylvia Chandler and son in law, Andy Creasy, one sister, Geneova Stevens; thirteen grandchildren, Michelle Wyatt (Alan), Jenny Nowell (Chris), Clay Chandler (Leah), Misty Greenway (Wesley), Kristy Pruitt(Chris), Wendy Welch (Tommy), Jeremy Pratt, Nicholas Pratt (Meagan), Nicole Pratt, Jill Davis (Shannon), Jennifer Rikard (Jon), Isaac Bradbury, and Hannah Bradbury; twenty-two great grandchildren, Chelsea Wyatt, Katie Wyatt, Dillon Nowell (Brianna), Hunter Nowell (Stephanie), Madison Nowell, Jake Chandler, Alex Chandler, Chandler Pruitt, Aniston

Pruitt, Heath Greenway, Shana Welch, Shane Welch, Jared Welch, Madison Pratt, Brenden Pratt, Drea Stansell, Sebastain Pratt, Castiel Pratt, Ashlyn Davis, Micah Scates, Jayden Scates, Zayden Rikard; and one great –great grandchild, Rowyn Nowell. She was preceded in death by her husband, Mr. Mack Chandler; one son, Michael Chandler; one daughter, Velda Creasy; and two sisters, Ruby Jo O'Connor and Josephine Head.

# Cemetery Details

## Chandler Family Cemetery

2501 Tucker Rd  
Bath Springs, TN 38311

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 1. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Scotts Hill, TN  
Highway 100  
Scotts Hill, TN

## Visitation

DEC 2. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Scotts Hill, TN  
Highway 100  
Scotts Hill, TN

## Chapel Service

DEC 2. 2:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Funeral Home - Scotts Hill, TN  
Highway 100  
Scotts Hill, TN



# Tribute Wall



“ *Pafford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Sister Irene Chandler*



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**Pafford Funeral Home** - December 01, 2018 at 04:00 PM



“ *51 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Pafford Funeral Home** - December 01, 2018 at 02:55 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Sister Irene Chandler.*



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December 01, 2018 at 02:16 PM

SB

“ *Shelia Burnett Brantley lit a candle in memory of Sister Irene Chandler*



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**Shelia Burnett Brantley** - December 01, 2018 at 04:47 AM

DW

“ *Well done good and faithful servant.... enter into the joys of the Lord. My prayerful condolences to the family. I was blessed to know Sister Chandler, and was grateful to preach in a revival at a church she served near Scotts Hill while I was pastor at Parsons.*

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**Durwood Worley** - November 30, 2018 at 10:46 PM

MK

“ *Marvin and Peggy Kennedy*



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**Marvin Kennedy** - November 30, 2018 at 07:38 PM

MK

*Thoughts and prayers for the family of sister Chandler*

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**Marvin Kennedy** - November 30, 2018 at 11:19 PM

RB

“ Mrs. Chandler was a very important member of our community and impacted the lives of many by welcoming them into the church and spreading the word of God. She was a very loving and kind lady to all, and she always had a smile when she greeted me. She will be missed. My thoughts are with the family.



Robyn B. - November 30, 2018 at 03:11 PM

WW

“ I am so sorry for your family...  
She was a very dear friend of mine...  
I have so many memories of her...  
Talked to her just a few weeks ago...

Wanda white - November 30, 2018 at 03:07 PM

WW

“ Wanda White lit a candle in memory of Sister Irene Chandler



Wanda white - November 30, 2018 at 03:05 PM

NM

“ Nancye Morris lit a candle in memory of Sister Irene Chandler



nancye morris - November 30, 2018 at 01:01 PM

MS

“ *Mrs. Chandler was a very sweet lady that is going to be greatly missed. Rest in peace my friend. Prayers for all the family.*



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**Mike Singleton** - November 30, 2018 at 11:16 AM