



Ms. Bettye Jane Thomas Crumbly

June 4, 1927 - February 1, 2026

Ms. Bettye Jane Thomas Crumbly, 98, of Scottsboro, passed away peacefully, February 1, 2026. Graveside services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, February 4, 2026 at Cedar Hill Cemetery with Rev. Shandy Dill officiating.

She loved her family, friends, and church family dearly. She would often be seen walking throughout downtown Scottsboro and visiting friends in the nursing homes every weekend.

She retired from Scottsboro City Board of Education in 1989 after 23 years of service and would often volunteer to help out in any way she could after retirement.

She is survived by her children, Thomas (Tommy) Crumbly; Martha Nixon Shelton (Tommy), grandchildren, Katie Crumbly Burke (Tim); Toby Crumbly (April); Stephanie White Hinkle (Joey); Shannon Nixon Kilpatrick (Jeremy); Ashley Nixon Ransom; several great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her daughters, Betty Nanette Crumbly; Florence Elaine White; parents, Bentley and Zelma Thomas; brothers, Tim Thomas; William Thomas; sisters, Mary Nell Shelton; Ruth Blythe, Ruby Butler.

The family would like to especially say thank you for the outstanding care that was given to our mother / grandmother by her in home caregivers: Marcella Pendergrass, Queen Humphrey, Sandy Culver and Irene Paradise.

The family would also like to acknowledge Highlands Nursing Home and Heartlite Hospice for the exceptional love and professional care mother received.

Arrangements Entrusted to Scottsboro Funeral Home

Cemetery Details

Cedar Hill Cemetery

210 South Cedar Hill Drive
Scottsboro, AL 35768
(256) 609-8166

Previous Events

Graveside Service

FEB 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry for your loss Mr. Crumby and Toby. You and your family are in my prayers. Sherry Crafton

Sherry Crafton - February 04 at 10:19 PM

HD

“ Mrs. Crumbly will forever hold a special place in my heart. I only knew her for a short time, but that time was precious to me and my daughter.

Prayers for peace and comfort to her family!

Heather Dohring - February 04 at 01:37 AM

TK

“ Tommy and Martha.....As lifelong friends I am sorry to hear of your mother's passing....God Bless you guys and hoping God helps you keep your Mom in your hearts as time passes.....Love Tommy Kennamer

Tom Kennamer - February 03 at 09:57 AM