

The Alma Times

Gwendolyn H. Johnson

Gwendolyn H. Johnson, age 68, of Alma died at her son's home in Pearson after a short illness.

She was a native of Pierce County but had lived in Bacon County most of her life. Gwen was the daughter of the late Gordon Emerson Henderson and Wilda Fay Lynn Henderson and was also preceded in death by her husband, Jerry Mack Johnson; a daughter, Jerry Ann Johnson; two brothers, Norman and Raymond Henderson, and a sister, Mary Jean Williams.

Gwen and Jerry Mack were owners and operators of Johnson's Grocery on 12th Street for many years and Gwen had served as treasurer at Holton and Old Pine Grove Methodist Church and was a current member of Old Pine Grove Methodist Church.

Survivors include a son, Albert (Ted) Tanner, III and wife Patricia of Pearson; a daughter, Teresa T. Hobbs of Macon; a brother, Gary Henderson of Blackshear; and a sister, Patricia Carter of Hoboken; also five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren survive.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Old Pine Grove Methodist Church with the Rev. Roy Jacobs and the Rev. Donnie Young officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery.

Active pallbearers were: Gordon Henderson, Larry Tanner, Jerry Nettles, Edwin Lewis, Harry Johnson, James (Bab-Bo) Holton and Lanny Carter. Crosby Funeral Home was in charge of all the arrangements.