



## MARY CHRISTINE "MRS. MARY" HICKS

December 22, 2017

Mary Christine Ezekiel "Mrs. Mary" Hicks, left this earth to go to heaven and be with Jesus, her loving husband and son. She was also preceded in death by her brothers and sisters, and her parents. She is survived by her daughters Kris Love (Bob), and Anja Crews (Dwight); grandchildren whom she adored, Amelia Hatcher, Matt Love, Gerrad Hicks, Casey Crews, Cale Crews; her great grandchildren Payton Gulley, Gracen Gulley, Eason Hicks, Kinley Hicks, Knox Hatcher, and Maddox Love; sister Sherry Fields (Dennis); and the rest of her loving family.

She was a member of Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church. Mrs. Mary started her Kindergarten in 1959 and taught for 48 years doing what she loved so much. She loved life to the fullest enjoying Acteens, Hobby Club, Hueytown Citizen of the Year, Grand Marshal of the Christmas Parade, Meals on Wheels, and BPW. But most of all she loved her Lord and Savior, and shared that love with her family, and her Kindergarten children.

The visitation will be from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM Tuesday, December 26, 2017, at Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church. The funeral service will be at 11:00 AM, Wednesday, December 27, 2017, at the Church, with Rev. Grady Covin officiating. Burial will follow at Pleasant Ridge Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorials be made to Gideon Bible and the Alzheimer's Association.

# Tribute Wall

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“*Mrs. Hicks was my kindergarten teacher, and I have many happy memories of her. She gave me my first introduction to education and socialization, and was an important part of my upbringing. I am very sad to learn of her passing, but what a wonderful contribution and difference she made to so many people.*

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**Deborah Bledsoe Degnan** - December 24, 2017 at 11:35 AM

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“*I will forever remember Mrs. Mary as a champion for Jesus and children of Hueytown. She touched the lives of my children as if they were her own. God bless you Mary Hicks and I can't wait to see you in heaven.*

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**Betty and Mike Roberts** - December 23, 2017 at 09:20 PM

JA

“*Ms Mary was one of the finest Christian ladies it has been my honor to have known and worked with. She was a great Acteens leader, and so funny at times. Who else but MS Mary can go around a curve like she did; or end up on the wrong subway platform? I'll leave it to the Acteens or other Leaders for more . Praise the Lord for children in Hueytown or in far flung places that she told about the love of God!She has already met some in heaven and will soon meet many others. To God be the Glory for Her Life!*

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**Jackike Ammons** - December 23, 2017 at 09:16 PM

BM

“ *Anja and Chris, My thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. Your mom was such a special person. I have the fondest memories of our Acteen adventures.*  
*Love, Beth*

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**Beth Chambers Moore** - December 23, 2017 at 09:07 PM

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“ *I'm sorry to hear this! I was one of her Kindergarten children.*  
*Prayers for her family!*

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**Laurie Sellers** - December 23, 2017 at 08:40 PM

BF

“ *Had mrs Mary 75and76. She was so good I went two years! I Remember our train ride, bring your pet day, Easter egg hunts, Christmas parade floats and graduation at PRBC! Great lady!*

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**Billy Fisher** - January 01, 1753 at 08:32 PM