



## Frances Hesson Poynter

September 15, 1941 - September 8, 2023

Mrs. Frances Hesson Poynter age 81, of Carthage, Tn passed away Friday September 8,2023.

Mrs. Poynter was born September 15, 1941 in Lafayette, TN a daughter of the late Robert “Bob” Hesson and Martha Inez Stephens Hesson. She was also preceded in death by siblings: Johnny Hesson, Jimmy Hesson, Donnie Hesson, Bobby Hesson and Susie Crowder and father and mother-in-law: Paul and Pauline Higginbotham Poynter. She was a 1959 graduate of Macon County High School. She married Tyrone Poynter on September 18, 1965. She owned and operated Anna’s Flower Shop and Poynter Cleaners with her family for over 30 years. She was a member of Carthage United Methodist Church

Mrs Poynter is survived by her husband: Tyrone Poynter of Carthage, TN; children: Michelle (James) Halliburton of Carthage, TN and Tara (Chuck) Whitlock of Lebanon, TN; grandchildren: Tiffany (Ryan Slater) McCormick, Brian (Rena West) McCormick, Bo (Cooper) Whitlock, Alec Whitlock and Bryce Whitlock; great-grandchildren: Adysen Slater, Ophalya Slater, Eloise McCormick, Jace McCormick, and Mallory McCormick; brother: Kenny (Bonnie) Hesson of Scottsville, KY; sisters: Pat (Bobby) Russell of Lafayette, TN, Rhoda (Billy) Wilmore of Lafayette, TN, Kim (Mike) Scott of Lafayette, TN and Dean (Randall) Oldham of Lafayette, TN.

Funeral services for Mrs. Poynter are scheduled to be conducted from the Carthage Chapel of Bass Funeral Homes on Sunday September 10, 2023 at 4PM with Rev Monica Mowdy officiating. Interment will be in the Smith County Memorial Gardens in Carthage, TN.

Visitation with the Poynter family will be held on Sunday September 10, 2023 from 2PM to 4PM.

# Cemetery Details

## Smith County Memorial Gardens

618 College Ave  
Carthage, TN 38563

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **10**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Carthage Chapel of Bass Funeral Home  
807 N Main Street  
Carthage, TN 37030  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall

AS

“ A nice lady to do business with, anytime I needed something at her flower shop she was always friendly and helpful . Prayers to her husband and family. Anita Dickens Sansone

Anita Dickens Sansone - September 11, 2023 at 10:49 PM

CS

“ Tyrone I went to school with you at SCHS, was a year behind you. I did not your wife however I am sending condolences to you and your family.

Charlene Sullins, Chesapeake, VA



Charlene Sullins - September 11, 2023 at 10:33 PM

BG

“ Frances graduated with the class of 1960 at MCHS...I am a member of that class Betty Prock Gregory.....

betty gregory - September 09, 2023 at 11:08 PM

MA

“ Tyrone I just wanted to tell how sorry I am about France's passing. I knew she had been sick for a long time. My heart hurts for you because I know you will miss her so very much. We are out of town or we would be there for you. Just remember if there is anything we can do for you, all you have to do is call. Love you and you are in my prayers. ❤️❤️

martha Apple - September 09, 2023 at 07:55 PM

JD

“ *Judy Draper-Driver lit a candle in memory of Frances Poynter*



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**Judy Draper-Driver** - September 09, 2023 at 04:54 PM