



## Shirley 'Charlene' Vest

July 1, 1940 - February 19, 2025

Shirley 'Charlene' Vest, age 84, of Palestine, died Wednesday, February 19, 2025, at her home in Palestine.

Mrs. Vest was born July 1, 1940, in Palestine, and was the daughter of Charles Hawk and Ella Shipley Hawk. She lived in St. Francis County most all of her life, was retired from Sanyo Manufacturing, and was a member of the Twin Assembly of God Church in Palestine.

Mrs. Vest married James Floyd Vest Sr. in 1955, and he preceded her in death in 2002. She is survived by one daughter, Terry Hobson of Palestine, one son, James F. Vest Jr., and wife, Marla, of Clinton, Arkansas, one brother, Tony Hawk of Deer Park, Texas, one sister, Pat Crews, and husband, Paul, of Wynne, six grandchildren; Brandon Hobson, and wife, Christy, Alison Shepherd, Amanda Hobson, Kristin Fleming, and husband, Adam, Daniel Getchell, and wife, Brittnay, and April Hamilton, ten great-grandchildren; Sydney Hobson, Gavin Hobson, Garrison Hobson, Mason Shepherd, Bryce Hobson, and wife, Renee, Barrett Hobson, Avery Fleming, Ava Fleming, Carter Getchell, and Donovyn Ketchum, one great-great-grandchild, Tobias Ketchum, and a long time special friend, Doris Johnson of Palestine. She was preceded in death by two daughters; Tina Brazile and Charlotte Ketchum.

Services for Mrs. Vest will be held Graveside, 11:00 A.M., Monday, at the Bell

Cemetery in Palestine. Stevens Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.  
You may log on to [stevensfuneralhome.net](http://stevensfuneralhome.net) for the online registry.

# Cemetery Details

## Bell Cemetery

Palestine, AR 72372

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

FEB 24. 11:00 AM (CT)

Bell Cemetery  
797 Ark Hwy 261  
Palistine, AR 72372

## Interment

FEB 24 (CT)

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Palestine, AR 72372

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My Sincere Condolences to her family...*



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**Tammy Hudson Staggs** - February 21, 2025 at 04:22 PM

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“ *Wanda Oswald lit a candle in memory of Shirley Vest*



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**Wanda Oswald** - February 21, 2025 at 04:19 PM