

Gertrude Holmes

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FUNERAL THURSDAY FOR GERTRUDE HOLMES

The funeral for Gertrude Holmes of Brunswick will be 3 p.m. Thursday at Grace United Methodist Church with the Rev. Earl James officiating. Burial will follow in Gracewood [sic] Cemetery.

Mrs. Holmes died Sunday at Southeast Georgia Regional Medical Center.

Visitation will be tonight from 7 to 10 at Brunswick Funeral Home. The body will be placed in the church two hours before the service.

Surviving is a step-son, Wendell P. Holmes Jr. of Jacksonville, Fla.; an adopted sister, Marie A. Williams of Savannah and several nieces and nephews.

The McIntosh County native was a graduate of Savannah State College where she served as college nurse for many years until her retirement in 1970. Mrs. Holmes received her medical training at Charity Hospital in Savannah. She also served as the superintendent of Charity Hospital.

Mrs. Holmes was a member of Grace United Methodist Church and Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. She was also a licensed funeral director and was associated with Brunswick Funeral Home.