

My daughter came home from Sandersville Elementary and gave me a piece of paper and pencil and told me to write down exactly what she said: “Dear Mrs. Brown, my grandmother. Please tell my mother where you live – I know it is in Morehead – so that I can chase butterflies and look for fossils in your yard and have fun, and you can have fun, too.” I found out from **Loretta Brown** that Ashley had asked her to be her grandmother. Ashley told Mrs. Brown that she did not have a grandmother because she died a little over a year ago from cancer. Mrs. Brown had told Ashley that she had a lilac bush that is covered with butterflies in the summer and Ashley could come to her house and chase them. That is only one thing that Mrs. Brown has done to make this year very special for Ashley. Each and every day, Mrs. Brown looks for Ashley’s successes and shares them with me. I know she does this for the other kids as well. I can see why Ashley wants to have her for a grandmother!

– Submitted by Becky Johnson, parent