



Alethia Falls

January 25, 1930 - December 3, 2017

On January 25, 1930, William Thomas and Artie Lee Stevenson Bryan would welcome the birth of a child who would be the only girl of their four children. Their farming family lived in the area of Raymond in eastern Coweta County. Alethia Bryan would graduate from Starr High School. She would later marry Thomas Edward Falls. They were married for over 50 years prior to his death in 2004. She and Tom would be among the founding members of St. George Catholic Church. A natural affinity for math would provide a platform for Alethia's occupation as a bookkeeper. She was employed at First National Bank of Newnan, J & J Moving Company, J. B. Lambert Trucking Co, and Falls Appliance and Repair Co. At the time of her retirement, she was associated with the Newnan Housing Authority. She was well-known among the ladies of the community as an Avon representative. Alethia was a member of the Dining Divas, Daughters of the American Revolution and Never Grow Old. She had resided at The Benton House most recently. In addition to her parents and her husband, Alethia was predeceased by her children Linda, Diane and Thomas Falls, Jr. Her siblings Etta Lou, W. T., Pope and Jack Bryan also predeceased her. She is survived by her daughters Rita Schlageter and her husband Tom, and Maureen Dwyer. She was the proud grandmother of Michael (and Jennifer) DeStefano, Diane DeStefano Peterson and Jonathan, Rachel and Matthew Dwyer. She has four great grandchildren, Isabella and Penny DeStefano, Madelyn and Liliana Peterson. Funeral arrangements are by McKoon Funeral Home at 38 Jackson Street where the

family will receive friends on Thursday evening between 6:00 PM and 8:00 PM. The service to remember her life will be on Friday, December 8, 2017 at 2:00 PM in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home officiated by Father Terry Crone. Interment will follow in the family cemetery at Mt. Gilead United Methodist Church. Online condolences may be expressed at www.mckoon.com. McKoon Funeral Home 770-253-4580.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Gilead Methodist Cemetery

2651 E. Hwy 16
Sharpsburg, GA 30277

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com

Service

DEC 8. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Alethia Falls.*



December 06, 2017 at 08:06 PM



“ *Harley Willis lit a candle in memory of Alethia Falls*



Harley Willis - December 06, 2017 at 07:16 PM



“ *Please accept my sympathy in the loss of your beloved mother and grandmother. I had missed her for several days at Benton House and had asked about her at one point. I didn't know until I read of her passing in the Newnan Times Herald this morning. I don't drive at night anymore than I can help, but wanted you to know you are thought of at this time of grief in your lives.*

Sue Hunter

Sue Hunter - December 06, 2017 at 12:50 PM



“ *Marcia Smith lit a candle in memory of Alethia Falls*



Marcia Smith - December 06, 2017 at 11:40 AM



“ *Bobbie Dye lit a candle in memory of Alethia Falls*



Bobbie Dye - December 05, 2017 at 09:38 PM



Love You sweet Lady, see ya later <3

Bobbie Dye - December 05, 2017 at 09:43 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alethia Falls.*



December 05, 2017 at 06:45 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Alethia Falls.*



December 05, 2017 at 06:16 PM



“ *51 files added to the album Life Tributes*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - December 05, 2017 at 02:00 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Alethia Falls.*



December 05, 2017 at 12:27 PM

SH

“ *Newnan Shrine Club sends their condolences to the family. Noble Tom was a faithful member of our club and we will honor her Thursday night at our meeting. Scott Horne*

Scott horne - December 05, 2017 at 08:53 AM

DM

“ *Dear family, I am so very sorry for your loss. I grew up with Ms. Alethia being my second mom. I know you will miss her dearly. My thoughts and prayers are with you. God bless you and I send my love to you, Delilah Miller Meadows*

Delilah Miller Meadows - December 04, 2017 at 07:43 PM

JP

“ *Sympathy and prayers for all the family..from joe and janelle powell*

janelle powell - December 04, 2017 at 06:20 PM

LS

“ *1 file added to the album New Album Name*



Louise Swint - December 04, 2017 at 03:50 PM

LS

Senior Friends and Dining Divas will miss Alethia. She was a dear friend. May you find peace during these difficult times.

Louise Swint - December 04, 2017 at 04:52 PM

JL

Alethia was very special. I called her "Grandma" because she closely resembled my own Grandmother. Alethia was warm and friendly ... such a pleasant smile. Deepest sympathy to all of her loved ones. May your memories comfort you.

Jeanne and Marc Latour - December 05, 2017 at 09:24 AM

JS

I loved her dearly and we had so many good laughs and memories.

Jeanette Storey - December 05, 2017 at 11:43 AM

KG

Sympathy from the Goldbeck family, our prayers are with you.

Ken Goldbeck - December 05, 2017 at 12:18 PM