



Augusta Sonja Willene Kelly

March 23, 1943 - October 10, 2025

Augusta Sonja Willene Kelly, 82, of Newnan, passed away on Friday, October 10, 2025, at her home. She was born on March 23, 1943, in Roanoke, Alabama, to the late Alonzo Lawrence Waldrep and Mary Lucile Owen. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, William Mathews Kelly, Jr.; sisters Mozelle Wier, Louise Galberath, Wilma McGill, Mildred DuPuis, and Florence Henderson; and brother James Waldrep. She grew up in Roanoke, Alabama, surrounded by her many siblings, and later moved to Lakeland, Florida, before settling in the Atlanta area. She had a gift for storytelling and loved connecting with friends and family through shared memories. She enjoyed walking with friends and spending time in both the mountains of North Carolina and the warmth of Lakeland. Above all, she cared deeply for her loved ones and gave of herself freely, always putting others first.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday, October 14, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St., Newnan, GA 30263. The family will receive visitors beginning at 10:00 a.m. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park in Newnan.

Condolences may be expressed online at www.mckoon.com.

Survivors include her son, Jerry White of Senoia; grandson, Kyle (Savannah) White of College Park; great-grandchildren, Ellia White, Elijah White, and Elizabeth White; brother, Randy Langley of Roanoke, AL; sister, Angela Mintz of Lakeland, FL; partner, Samuel Traylor of Roanoke, AL; and many beloved

nieces and nephews.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road
Newnan, GA 30263

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **14**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Funeral Service

OCT **14**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall

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