



## Glenda Suzanne Boyd

June 20, 1962 - May 4, 2023

Dr. Glenda Suzanne Boyd, Psy.D., 60, of Newnan, formerly of Littleton, CO, passed away Thursday, May 4, 2023 at Piedmont Atlanta Hospital. She was born June 20, 1962 in Rome, GA to Dr. Ronald "Jack" & Shirley Andrews Boyd, during her father's internship at Floyd County Hospital. Following a 2-year enlistment of her father in the USAF Medical Corps in Altus, Oklahoma and a brief residence in Alma, Ga the family moved to Milledgeville, GA in 1965 where she grew up on the family farm.

During those early to late teen formative years she developed a great love for nature, the outdoors, and affection for animals, especially dogs and horses which carried over into her chosen professional field of psychology with the desire to utilize "Horse Therapy" for clients suffering from PTSD and related disorders.

Following her graduation from GMC High School in Milledgeville, she attended Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College in Tifton, GA which was significant in developing several long-term friendships. She attended Georgia Baptist Nursing School and graduated from Georgia College with a BS in Psychology, received her Master's at Georgia State and Doctoral Degree from Georgia School of Professional Psychology in Atlanta. Glenda was a mental health professional with skilled and specialized training, being licensed in Colorado and Georgia.

She became a follower of Christ as a teen attending Hopewell Methodist Church in Milledgeville, GA. When she attended college in Atlanta during her young adult years, she attended First Baptist Atlanta, and did her internship under Dr. Paul Walker at Mount Paran Church of God, in Atlanta. In her final years she attended GO Church in Newnan, GA. All were significant in incorporating and solidifying her Christian faith with her profession. Other significant events included volunteer and charitable work with underprivileged youth and later as volunteer counselor following the Columbine School shooting in Colorado. Her final professional career centered around evaluating Veterans for PTSD and other disability benefits.

Her "Celebration of Life Event" will be held on Wednesday, May 10, 2023 at 12:00 o'clock at McKoon Funeral Home in Newnan with Bishop Alan Mathura officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery in Newnan. The visitation will be between 11:00 and 12:00 at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St, Newnan.

Rather than flowers, the family requests memorial contributions to Hope Global Initiative online at [www.hopeglobalnewnan.com](http://www.hopeglobalnewnan.com). Condolences can be expressed online at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com). As she enters her heavenly home joyfully awaiting by Jesus side to greet us there, for she also is no longer dead, but is also risen! Risen indeed! Maranatha.

Survivors include parents, Ronald Jack & Shirley Andrews Boyd; Sister, Andrea Boyd; and Brother, Ronald Jackson Boyd of Sharpsburg. She will be missed by many.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## Oak Hill Cemetery

96 Jefferson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263  
(770) 253-3744

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 10. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

## Funeral Service

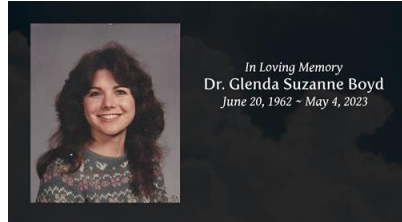
MAY 10. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Glenda Suzanne Boyd*



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**McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory** - May 15, 2023 at 01:54 PM



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Glenda Suzanne Boyd*



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**McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory** - May 10, 2023 at 10:04 AM



“ *Glenda S. Boyd ... such a beautiful person in so many ways ... such a sweet and kind soul ... how we miss you ... until we all meet again, In Christ, Lynn and son Patrick*

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**Lynn K.** - May 04, 2024 at 09:44 AM

GR

“ Dear Dr. Boyd and precious family. Our prayers and condolences are with you all at this difficult time. Glenda was such a smart, pretty and accomplished young lady. We are so sorry. Gary and Kathy

Gary Roberson - June 14, 2023 at 07:47 PM

CW

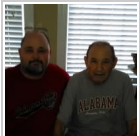
“ Although I haven't seen Glenda in a few years, I still remember her kind, sweet spirit that made all creatures comfortable around her. Wishing you the courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to hold in your heart forever. Crystal Whitt

Crystal Whitt - May 09, 2023 at 09:12 PM

JL

“ I send my heartfelt condolences to the Boyd family. Glenda was always such a joy to be around. She went to Georgia college when I was there, and she had connections with Mt. Paran Church when I attended. She had a good sense of humor, and her smiles and laughter were contagious. God gave her a heart to help others. In her chosen field, I am sure that so many benefited, and were blessed, when receiving counselling and guidance from her with their issues. Take comfort that she is at rest and that that great smile of hers is bigger than ever in heaven.

John L. - May 09, 2023 at 03:33 PM



“ My wife and I would like to extend our condolences to Jack and his other children for the loss of his daughter. Though I'd never met Glenda, my wife had on occasion, and said she seemed a very nice lady. Our prayers go out to your family during this time of mourning.

Douglas Webb - May 09, 2023 at 12:21 PM

RO

“ *Glenda you are missed. Your kind heart and willingness to help so many will not be replaced You reached out to me and my family many times to offer words of encouragement and friendly advice. We often shared laughs of our days from ABAC. You were taken much too soon and so very many friends lives you touched morn from your passing.*

**Robbie** - May 08, 2023 at 11:23 PM



*Thanks Robbie, Glenda mentioned recently that she talked to you & I asked her to have you call me or invite you to visit for We all care so much for you. I remember Glenda & I visiting you when you were living in NC. She made many lasting friends at ABAC. We love you. 'Doc' & family*

**Jack Boyd** - May 09, 2023 at 01:37 AM

NF

“ *Dear Boyd family,  
Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family!! Glenda was always a kind soul and loved to talk about nature and we both loved horses plus our dogs!!!! She has an outstanding career and has made a tremendous contribution of kindness and love to make this world a better place. She will be greatly missed by those who have been able to know her through all sorts of avenues and they are so very lucky to have that opportunity!! R.I.P. beautiful Glenda and know you'll be greatly missed by so many.  
With deepest sympathy  
Nancy GERCKEN Floyd  
Guyton Ga*



**Nancy Gercken Floyd** - May 08, 2023 at 10:57 PM



*Thank you, Nancy, I don't recall if we ever met but We appreciate your love & kind words! Boyd family*

**Jack Boyd** - May 09, 2023 at 01:43 AM



*We were classmates at GMC. She was such a kind soul and we both loved horses and dogs!!!!*

**Nancy Gercken Floyd** - May 10, 2023 at 11:41 PM



*“ The untimely death of my precious cousin Glenda has been almost unbearable. God’s timing is not ours. She is well and at peace now and one day we will be united with her. Her sweet smile and putting others ahead of herself will not be forgotten and great will be her reward.*

**Sandy Milleman** - May 08, 2023 at 08:26 PM



*Thank you Sandy & Don. She had such great love admiration & respect for you. She enjoyed visiting you & especially the traditional Thanksgiving gatherings at your house. We love you. Uncle Jackie, Shirley, Andrea & Ronnie*

**Jack Boyd** - May 10, 2023 at 12:55 AM



*“ We express our sincere condolences, Lisa & Gordon Meyer*



**lisa** - May 08, 2023 at 06:56 PM

LK

“ My heart is so heavy for those she left behind. Mr. Jack ( her caring dad) , Miss Shirley( her sweet mother) Andrea her loving sister and Ronnie her kindhearted brother! I met Glenda through her family. I know through my faith that she is already well & with the Lord. I will miss that sunshiny face and smile! She truly beamed with happiness and compassion for others. I'm certain of which she learned from her parents. Dr. Jack and nurse Shirley. Kids learn what they see! So, I know exactly where she got her kindness, and the desire to help others. Rest easy your time on this earth May be finished, but your spirit will live on in all of us that were blessed for having known you Glenda. 🙏🙏🙏🙏❤️❤️❤️❤️

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**Lee Keyser** - May 08, 2023 at 03:48 PM

LT

“ I met Glenda when we worked together at Lighthouse Counseling in Newnan and we have stayed in touch intermittently over the years. She always had a beautiful smile, prettiest eyes, and a lovely laugh. A kind hearted person gone too soon. My deepest sympathies to her family.  
Dr. Laura Thompson

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**Laura Thompson** - May 08, 2023 at 03:37 PM

LR

“ Glenda was a true friend to everyone that knew her. We meet at GMC when we had a few classes together. Her love of horses and other animals was apparent even then. She loved talking about the places she wanted to travel and the things she wanted to see. She was so inspiring that I wanted to travel to the places she wanted to go ... and eventually did!

We kept in touch over the years and cheered on each other's successes and if Glenda said she would pray about something, you could always expect a follow-up. She was genuinely interested. Her absence will be felt deeply, but her fingerprints were left everywhere! She is one of those humanitarians who made a big unforgettable difference in this world very quietly. I'll, quite simply, miss my friend. 🙏

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**Lynn Hamilton Rutherford** - May 08, 2023 at 01:53 PM



Thank you, Lynn we all have fond memories and I recall seeing you last at a funeral here in Newnan. Ronnie, on behalf of whole family.

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**Jack Boyd** - May 09, 2023 at 01:21 AM

BG

“ My sympathies and condolences to Dr. Boyd and family. Glenda was the sweetest and such a pretty girl growing up in Milledgeville. She and her family lived near the Garrett's, my parents. I am so sorry for your loss.

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**Betty F Governale** - May 08, 2023 at 09:00 AM



*Thank you Betty, We were privileged & honored to be living in such a loving, neighborly & caring community. Your parents & family were very special, not only to us, but every one, because we were all so close knit, especially with Mr. Horace & Mary Veal who had no children but were like grandparents to nearly everyone! We love you. 'Doc', Shirley, Andrea & Ronnie*

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**Jack Boyd** - May 09, 2023 at 01:16 AM

LF

“ *Lee Ann, Raul Lozano & Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Glenda Suzanne Boyd.*



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**Lee Ann, Raul Lozano & Family** - May 07, 2023 at 10:14 PM

CS

“ *Just about a week ago I was working at the emission shop I work three days a week, and in pulls Ms Glenda and her brother Ronnie. I tested her car and had a nice long Chat with her and Ronnie. We talked about our Church and her Dad mostly. She was so kind hearted and friendly and happy. Her spirit lifted mine that afternoon! She will be missed by her family and many others. RIP!*

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**Chip Fowler, Sr** - May 07, 2023 at 09:13 PM



*Thanks Chip for your prayers & for sharing at our small group Sunday. It was comforting to hear your experience. Jack & family*

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**Jack Boyd** - May 09, 2023 at 01:57 AM

LI

“ I knew Glenda since graduate school when we were both in our early 20s. She was a very kind person and genuine person. She would've given you the shirt off of her back. I'm so sorry her life was cut short.

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**lisa** - May 07, 2023 at 03:12 PM

DB

“ Glenda and I became friends as childhood neighbors with a mutual love of animals. She would come to the farm to love on the cows, horses, cats and dogs. Although our lives separated as adults the friendship lasted. She will be missed but will rest with Jesus and take forever care of all fur babies over the rainbow bridge.

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**Debbi Batchelor** - May 07, 2023 at 02:03 PM