



Jean Cobb Mixon

November 19, 1943 - November 14, 2022

Jean Cobb Mixon, known to former students as "Mrs. Mixon", passed away peacefully November 14, 2022 in Newnan, Georgia. She was a loving mother, beloved grandmother, precious friend, and inspiring teacher.

A private celebration of Jean's life is planned for December in Atlanta. Condolences may be expressed to the family online at www.mckoon.com

She was married to her college sweetheart and husband, Charles Mixon, of Jonesboro, Georgia until his passing in 2016. To cherish her memory she leaves behind their three children and spouses, Pierre and LeAnn Zeitouni of Atlanta, Edward and Alexandre Fleuren of Charleston, and Paul and Tiffany Mixon of Newnan, as well as eight grandchildren, Elie Zeitouni, Layla Zeitouni, Tad Fleuren, John Zeitouni, James Zeitouni, Ava Fleuren, Charles Mixon II, and John Pierre Mixon.

Jean is survived by brother Larry Cobb and his wife, Kay, of Knoxville, TN and their two daughters; Barbara and husband David Murphy and Elizabeth and husband Andrew Wright.

Jean was preceded in death by her parents, J.D. Cobb and Flora May Cobb of Lambert, Mississippi and two brothers, infant Percy Rex Cobb and Jack Allen Cobb, who is survived by wife Vicki Cobb Daniels of Oxford, Mississippi and

their five children; Erica Cobb and husband Matthew Garrett, Jacob and wife Jessica Cobb, Jasper and wife Nicole Cobb, Forrest and wife Victoria Wilbanks, Rush and wife Ashley Wilbanks.

The family asks friends to honor her life the way she and her late husband, Charles, lived theirs:

"...caring for orphans and widows in their distress..."

James 1: 27

Those who wish to make memorials in her name, please send to:
Newnan City Church Attn: In Memory of Mrs. Jean Mixon 17 First Avenue
Newnan, GA 30263.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

Tribute Wall

TJ

“ I never had Ms. Mixon as a teacher when I was at Morrow Jr. High School, but she nevertheless had a major impact on my life. All her students loved her dearly, and I will always remember her as the one who introduced me to *The Hobbit* and *The Lord of the Rings* books, and *Auntie Mame*. I'll never forget the time she liberated the bunny rabbit from Dr. Cooper's biology lab and kept it hidden in her bottom desk drawer. So sorry to hear of her passing. God bless.

Terry Johnson - November 26, 2024 at 02:04 AM

EM

“ It feels impossible that someone so full of presence and life force could have departed this world? I didn't have the privilege of being very close to her, but I knew if she was attending a family gathering, she'd have a kind word and a witty joke for me, and that was a wonderful feeling.



I will always remember her tribute to her mother, my great grandmother, at Gigi's funeral. Her words transformed a difficult day into a celebration of a life!

I know her friends and family are doing the same for her now. My love and prayers, Erin

Erin Murphy - December 14, 2022 at 05:14 AM

BM

“ Our love and prayers are with our sweet cousins and extended family. Aunt Jean was a treasure on this earth, loving, praying and caring for so many, and we are comforted knowing we'll see her again in Heaven someday.

Barbara Murphy - December 11, 2022 at 01:36 PM

FS

“ My sincerest condolences to the family. Mrs. Mixon was one of my favorite teachers. She was the personification of class and elegance. I remember her smile, her laugh and her glare when I was out of line. She didn't just give lessons about our studies but she gave us life lessons, she taught humility and compassion. She demanded us to do better and be better people...better humans. She will be missed but I know we shall meet again someday.

Former Student - December 01, 2022 at 10:19 PM

LZ

Thank you for sharing, this means so much to us.

LeAnn Zeitouni - February 15, 2024 at 06:21 PM

JF

“ My condolences to the family. She loved you all so dearly. Mrs. Mixon was my 11th and 12th grade English teacher (class of '92). While I had many wonderful teachers at MZHS, Mrs. Mixon was a particular favorite. She pushed me, but treated me with love and respect. While I was content doing just enough, she saw the potential in me and tried her best to get me to see it. Her influence had a radical impact on my life and I am a better man for it. I was fortunate enough to have an hour long phone call with her in November of 2019. It was so special catching up with her and being able to tell her thank you. I will miss her and she will always have a special place in my heart.

Joe Ferguson - November 29, 2022 at 10:47 PM

JC

“ *She was the definition of what a teacher should be, caring but firm and held you to a standard academically and as a person. Having had her for a teacher I am a better person and the world is a better place for having her in it.*

Jason Chaney - November 29, 2022 at 05:33 PM

MB

“ *My condolences to the family. Ms. Mixon was was one of my high school English teachers who I will always cherish and remember. She loved and cared for her students deeply. Her passion for teaching and learning was unmatched. Her kindness and compassion touched the lives of many who needed it.*

Maria Bachman - November 29, 2022 at 11:43 AM

FW

Condolences to the Mixon family, I do not remember a lot of high school teachers but I could never forget Mrs. Mixon. She was my English teacher at Mount Zion High school. She was a true teacher at heart and it showed.

Fredisha Webster - November 29, 2022 at 12:11 PM

RO

My condolences to the Mixon family! She was the best English teacher MZ had! She helped facilitate my love for reading! Prayers for all her family and friends!

Rachel Oehrlie - November 29, 2022 at 01:38 PM

MS

My deepest condolences to the Mixon family. She was not only my English teacher at MZHS for 11th and 12th grades (class of '92), but my all-time favorite teacher. She knew exactly how to push me to do my best and when to back off and let me learn the lesson. She was well-loved and loved well. Many prayers for her family and friends.

MJ Speak - November 29, 2022 at 02:20 PM