



Mary Williams Miller

November 27, 1935 - February 27, 2020

Mary Williams Miller peacefully slipped free of the bonds that anchored her sweet soul this side of heaven in the early morning hours of February 27, 2020. For several years, she had found her circle of activity draw smaller and smaller as her health issues became a major factor in her life. The woman who would proudly wear the mantle of “Nana” was born November 27, 1935 in Abbeville, South Carolina. She was the youngest of four children born to the late Richard, the local postmaster, and his wife Clarkie Guillebeau Williams. She graduated from Abbeville High School and later attended Lander University in South Carolina. She was blessed by her marriage to Robert (Bob) Miller and together they shared an exceptional love story that encompassed 54 years. To know “Nana”, one would come into full realization of the fact that one was in the presence of the embodiment of phrase southern belle ingenue. One would have to decide if that role came naturally or if it was a carefully crafted characterization of her great imagination. Mary was a dedicated employee of The Arrow Shirt Company where she served as human resources manager for 30 years until her retirement in 1995. In addition to her parents and beloved Bob, Mary was predeceased by her brother Francis Williams. Also preceding her in death were her sons-in-law, Eddie Stephens and Norman Robbins. One could say with certainty that Nana has also found her little Sewell great grandbaby she had never met as she crossed over into heaven. Mary is survived by her daughter Cecilia Robbins. Nana would become a huge part of the life of her granddaughter, Heather Sewell and her husband Kyle. She adored her great granddaughters Sarah and Keeleigh, and her great grandson, Jackson Cooper. Also surviving Mary are her siblings Edith Blanchett and Lura Jean Chandler. The family and friends of this good woman will gather on Saturday, February 29th in The Chapel at McKoon at 38 Jackson Street in Newnan. There will be a time of sharing and visitation beginning at 9:00 AM. A service of reflection and thanksgiving will be at 11:00 AM and will be led by Chaplain Frank Mercer. A private family interment will be at a later date at Forest Lawn memorial Park. Online condolences may be expressed at www.mckoon.com. In honor of the incredibly compassionate care given to Mary and her family, it is the family’s desire that a special thanks goes out to Homestead Hospice. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to firechaplain.org in her memory. Online condolences may be expressed at www.mckoon.com McKoon Funeral Home 770-253-

4580.

Cemetery Details

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
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Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 29. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Mary Williams Miller*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - February 29, 2020 at 08:06 AM

CA

“ *We got to know Miss Mary while my mother-in-law was at Monarch House. Mary was so sweet and welcoming to my mother-in-law, and she was always smiling, sweet and kind. Our prayers of comfort are with her family at this time.*

Cindy and Stuart Aldrich



Cindy Aldrich - March 01, 2020 at 06:55 PM

KS

“ *Kyle S lit a candle in memory of Mary Williams Miller*



Kyle S - February 28, 2020 at 08:49 PM

SH

“ *Sara Hunter lit a candle in memory of Mary Williams Miller*



Sara Hunter - February 28, 2020 at 05:51 PM

DS

“ Kyle, Heather, Sarah and Keeleigh

I'm so very sorry to hear about Nana. She was such a sweet and precious lady. Always had kind words for everyone. I know there will be a void in your life but you also have the comfort of knowing Nana is in the presence of the Lord. She was a blessing to all who knew her. Love y'all.

Darrell

(Granddaddy)

Darrell Sewell - February 27, 2020 at 09:32 PM

SA

“ *We loved Mary and had so much fun watching Bulldog football with her. She was a sweet lady beloved by all who knew her. Rest in peace Ms. Mary! We love you.*

SarahRobbins - February 27, 2020 at 08:14 PM

RS

“ *Heather and family, please know that you are in Joyce's and my prayers. We are saddened by your loss but also happy to know that your Nana is once again whole and in the presence of those that she loves in their heavenly home. Take comfort in the fact that you will get to see her again someday.*

Richard and Joyce Strawhorn - February 27, 2020 at 07:42 PM