



## Anita Davis Young

May 26, 1969 - March 17, 2025

Mrs. Mary Anita Davis Young, 55, of Newnan, Georgia, passed away Monday, March 17, 2025 at Piedmont Newnan Hospital. She was born May 26, 1969 in Augusta, Georgia to Boyce Ficklen Davis and the late James Edward Davis. In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by her sister, Vivian "Bibi" Reese Eckman.

Anita grew up in Washington, Georgia where she attended Wilkes Academy and was a well-rounded athlete, participating in cheerleading, basketball, and softball. She then completed three years of college at the University of Georgia where she was a member of the Gamma Phi Beta sorority. After college, she worked as vice president at Oconee State Bank. She met her husband, Bill Young, in 1993 and they married on July 9, 1994 and lived in Athens and Watkinsville. They had two children, Marian in 1995 and William in 2000 and relocated to Newnan in 2002. In Newnan, she devoted herself to being the most caring and thoughtful wife and mother her husband and children could have asked for. Her family was her greatest joy and nothing made her happier than spending time with them. In 2022, she welcomed her grandson, Harrison, and as his beloved "Neetsy," she poured the same boundless love and care into him.

The memorial service will be held on Tuesday, March 25, 2025 at 11 o'clock at Forest Lawn Memorial Park, 656 Roscoe Road, Newnan, Georgia 30263 with

family friend Dr. Jarmaine Elder officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family has asked that donations be made in Anita's name to St. Jude Children's Hospital.

Condolences can be expressed online at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com).

Anita was dearly loved by her husband, Frederick ("Bill") William Young III of 30 years; her children, Marian Pritchett (Trey) and William Young; her grandson Harrison; her mother, Boyce Ficklen Davis; her brother, James ("Jay") Edward Davis, and many other loving family and friends.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 770-253-4580

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

MAR **25**. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Forest Lawn Memorial Park  
656 Roscoe Road  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Tribute Wall

CR

“ Still shocked to learn of Nita’s passing. Her warm, fun, witty and outgoing personality naturally drew people to her. I will always remember our friendship through highschool at WA and then in college at UGA fondly. While life got busy and we lost touch through the years, she was a good friend and will be greatly missed. My thoughts and prayers for the entire family during this difficult time.

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**Cheryl Wilson Rhodes** - March 25, 2025 at 01:01 PM

AH

“ We are heartbroken to hear of Anita's passing. You are in our prayers constantly. Sending our deepest condolences with love always..  
Anne and Steve Howard

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**Anne and Steve Howard** - March 25, 2025 at 10:02 AM

DC

“ My heart is broken for you Bill, Marian and William. I will always remember Anita’s sweet smile and her wonderful, raspy voice. She and my Tim are surely sharing a smile or two in Heaven, just waiting for us to get there. Prayers and hugs. Remember, I’m just right around the corner. Love y’all.  
Cindy

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**Duke Cindy** - March 24, 2025 at 11:36 PM

JE

“ Dr. J and I send heartfelt prayers and condolences to you all. Anita was a true friend who cared and loved us and we love her. We will forever be grateful to God for her. I'll miss you my friend.



Jarmaine and Lori Elder - March 24, 2025 at 05:24 PM

CD

“ Anita played such a key role in my relocation to Watkinsville and Oconee State Bank. She was such a great friend and mentor to many of our team. Her legacy lives on in our hearts. We are so very sorry for your loss.

Cristi Donahue - March 24, 2025 at 02:42 PM

YB

“ Your Friends at Oconee State Bank purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Anita Davis Young.



Your Friends at Oconee State Bank - March 24, 2025 at 02:40 PM

YB

“ Your Friends at Oconee State Bank planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Anita Davis Young.

Your Friends at Oconee State Bank - March 24, 2025 at 02:40 PM

VL

“ Vince Lagomarsino purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Anita Davis Young.



Vince Lagomarsino - March 24, 2025 at 12:40 PM

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RH

“ Rick & Marie Hargrove purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Anita Davis Young.



Rick & Marie Hargrove - March 24, 2025 at 09:08 AM

RH

“ Rick & Marie Hargrove planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Anita Davis Young.

Rick & Marie Hargrove - March 24, 2025 at 09:08 AM

HO

“ Hanley and Nancy Olken purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Anita Davis Young.



Hanley and Nancy Olken - March 23, 2025 at 07:18 PM



“ Hanley and Nancy Olken planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Anita Davis Young.

Hanley and Nancy Olken - March 23, 2025 at 07:18 PM



“ Rodney and Carol Brooks purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Anita Davis Young.



Rodney and Carol Brooks - March 22, 2025 at 06:04 PM



“ Rodney and Carol Brooks planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Anita Davis Young.

Rodney and Carol Brooks - March 22, 2025 at 06:04 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Anita Davis Young.



March 22, 2025 at 12:35 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Anita Davis Young.

March 22, 2025 at 12:35 PM

HC

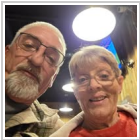
“ Our deepest condolences to the family, I hope you find comfort in the love and support of those around you. Please know that we are here for you if you need anything. Heely-Brown Company

Heely-Brown Company - March 20, 2025 at 11:42 AM

LP

“ We will miss Anita dearly and always remember her many kindnesses to us and to our family. She graciously welcomed us into her home and into her family and we shared many precious memories and special occasions together as parents to Trey and Marian and grandparents to our sweet Harrison. Praying for you all and for God's comfort and strength in the days ahead.  
Love, Lori and Ray Pritchett

Lori Pritchett - March 20, 2025 at 11:24 AM



“ So sorry to hear this. Babysat her so many years ago! In my thoughts and prayers! Jeanie Randall Collins

Jeanie Collins - March 19, 2025 at 06:18 PM

DR

“ Anita was loved by so many and will always be remembered for her wonderful outgoing personality. Sending my love to Boyce, Jay and the family.

Donna Jones Raye - March 19, 2025 at 05:44 PM