



## Sarah Audrey Mimbs

October 6, 1931 - September 3, 2022

Mrs. Sarah Herndon Mimbs, 90, previously of Morrow Georgia, passed away on September 3, 2022 at her home in Newnan Georgia surrounded by her family. Sarah is the Mother of Sara Mimbs Kinsey (Mike) of Newnan, Georgia and John David Mimbs (LeeAnne) of Bentonville, Arkansas.

Sarah was born on October 6, 1931 in Tifton Georgia to the late Homer Lee Herndon and Etta Mae Rutland Griffin. She met and married her husband of 62 years, Royce Alton Mimbs in Macon Georgia in 1948. Together they attended and graduated

Life Bible College in Los Angeles California in 1956 where Sarah earned a Bachelor of Arts degree. Among her many achievements in college, Sarah, with her beautiful voice, became an accomplished singer, receiving invitations to sing on radio, television and to record her music. Due to her scholastic success and outgoing personality, she was selected overwhelmingly by staff and students alike to be the vice-president of her graduating class.

Following graduation, Sarah and Royce returned to Macon Georgia, where they started a family and Sarah began working with the Department of Family and Children Services utilizing her extensive counseling skills. In 1965, she, Royce and their two children moved to the Canal Zone, Panama when Royce was transferred thru his job with FAA. Sarah loved Panama and the many

experiences she had during that time. She also had the opportunity to work with and support many friends from Life Bible College who were missionaries or who had local churches in the region.

Upon return to the States in 1970, Sarah and Royce located in Morrow Georgia where Sarah focused on raising her family, supportive ministry to young pastors and churches and lay counseling. Her family life was enriched by her interests in cooking, sewing and gardening. Sarah was an excellent cook who loved to try new recipes and who had a talent for bread making. She was a gifted, creative seamstress, with an eye for detail which led her to create beautiful garment masterpieces.

Sarah was an ordained minister within the Foursquare Gospel denomination. She was also an active member of Mt. Paran Church in Atlanta, Georgia for over 40 years. In her later years she was involved in speaking to women's groups, teaching adult Bible classes and in music ministry.

Sarah has many friends who have spoken of the impact her life and testimony has had on their lives. Her family was her heart. Her greatest joy was sharing her love of Jesus Christ and what he had done for her.

Sarah is preceded in death by her husband Royce, her five sisters and her parents. She is survived by her son John David Mimbs (LeeAnne) of Bentonville AR and her daughter Sara Mimbs Kinsey (Mike) of Newnan, GA, her grandchildren, Christopher Mimbs, Stephen Mimbs, Grace Kora (Rueben) and Lilli Lynch (Connor) and her cat Tabby.

The family will receive friends on Saturday, September 10, 2022, from 2:00 PM until 4:00 PM at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson Street, in Newnan. The funeral service will follow at 4:00 PM in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home. The burial will follow the service at Forest Lawn Memorial Park in

Newnan.

Condolences may be expressed to the family online at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com).

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 770-253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 10. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

## Funeral Service

SEP 10. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Sarah Audrey Mimbs*



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**McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory** - September 10, 2022 at 03:53 PM

HK

“ *Home Instead...David, Debi and Kirby purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Sarah Audrey Mimbs.*



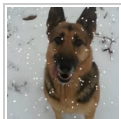
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**Home Instead...David, Debi and Kirby** - September 09, 2022 at 08:55 PM

YD

“ *Sara and Mike, I am sorry to hear of the passing of your beloved mother. Praying for peace and comfort during these difficult time.*

*YTiki Davis-Simmons and family*

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**YTiki Davis-Simmons** - September 09, 2022 at 08:43 PM



*Thank you Ytiki.*

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**Sara Kinsey** - September 11, 2022 at 09:49 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Sarah Audrey Mimbs.*



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September 09, 2022 at 08:31 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Sarah Audrey Mimbs.*



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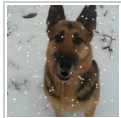
September 08, 2022 at 12:03 PM



“ *Prayers prayed for all the family. Sarah and Mike if I may be of help in any way just let me know. Sorry for your loss.*

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**Terry Calhoun** - September 07, 2022 at 08:34 PM



*Thank you Terry*

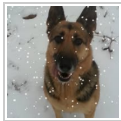
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**Sara Kinsey** - September 07, 2022 at 09:28 PM

BM

“ Hi Sara; I had mixed emotions when I saw the announcement of your mom's passing. I know there is more life ahead for her but it just won't be with those left behind. I know she was a woman of faith; our friend Miki thought your mom had power in her prayers from their little "prayer meetings" at the office. Your mom was on my mind just last week because someone asked me to make a squash casserole and I thought to myself I haven't made this since Mrs. Mimbs wanted the recipe several years ago. For some reason she and that casserole are forever linked in my mind. Hold on to your memories--sometimes they will make you cry and other times they will make you laugh. To God be the glory. Your former co-worker, Betty Melson

Betty Melson - September 07, 2022 at 05:13 PM



Betty, thank you. Yes she was a woman of uncompromising faith. She so loved to share that faith and joy with others. It has been hard to let her go even though I know she is experiencing unspeakable joy. Thank you for reminding me of the times she and Miki talked. I'm so glad you thought of her last week. You and I watched as her prayers moved mountains. You know how close we were. My heart is broken but I saw her finish her race with grace. Thank you Betty

Sara Kinsey - September 07, 2022 at 09:38 PM



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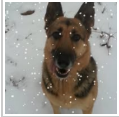


September 07, 2022 at 02:44 PM

SY

“ *May God give you peace and strength for the days ahead. . Tommy, Sylvia, Marvin and Lesley Yeager*

Sylvia Yeager - September 07, 2022 at 11:55 AM



*Thank you Sylvia, and all the family*

Sara Kinsey - September 07, 2022 at 02:45 PM

MC

“ *David and SaraLynn (son and daughter) - My heartfelt condolence on the passing of your Mom. The more I knew her, at that little pink church in the Canal Zone, the more I would see the Light of Christ shine through her.*

*Upon closing my eyes, I can, even now, hear her sing with that low baritone voice. Oh, how I LOVED to hear her sing!*

*She said once, the person, other than Christ, that she wanted to see most in Heaven was spending time talking with Kathryn Kuhlman. I had never heard of her, then, but learned what the Holy Spirit can do with a totally submitted life.*

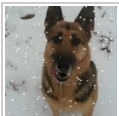
*1 Peter 1:8 speaks of a "joy unspeakable and full of Glory"; and, to see all our friends and relatives again would be just that! Be at peace; you WILL see her again...and, what a joy, that will be!*

*Take care; I love you, both!*

*- Marian S. Colclasure -*



Marian Colclasure - September 07, 2022 at 02:55 AM



*Thank you Marian. I know that Mother is experiencing unspeakable joy. Love you!*

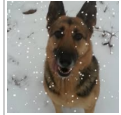
Sara Kinsey - September 07, 2022 at 08:48 AM

YP

*David and Sara Lynn my heart goes out to y'all because I do know how it feels. Aunt Sarah is in her heavenly body and rejoicing with our Lord and Savior. I remember Aunt Sarah beautiful singing to us. I know you will miss her but remember one day we will join her and what and awesome day that will be. I love y'all.*

*Yvonne Mimbs Peavy*

Yvonne Peavy - September 07, 2022 at 09:20 AM



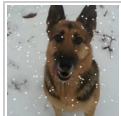
*Thank you Yvonne. Love you!*

Sara Kinsey - September 07, 2022 at 09:40 PM

YE

“ *Sara and Mike, our prayers to you on the passing of Mrs Mimbs. May God's blessings of peace and comfort be with you in the days ahead. Retired Sheriff Mike and Bev Yeager*

Yeager's - September 06, 2022 at 07:37 PM



*Thank you Mike and Bev.*

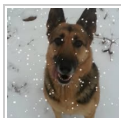
Sara Kinsey - September 07, 2022 at 08:49 AM

CS

“ *Connie Stamper lit a candle in memory of Sarah Audrey Mimbs*



Connie Stamper - September 06, 2022 at 05:47 PM



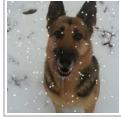
*Thank you Connie*

Sara Kinsey - September 07, 2022 at 08:49 AM

JH

“ *My prayers are with the Mimbs family for your loss. I knew Sarah from her Mount Paran days and enjoyed the conversations we shared. She loved her family and I know she'll be missed. Jim Hinden*

James A Hinden - September 06, 2022 at 02:45 PM



*Thank you Jim. She loved the time with her Mt Paran family*

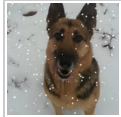
Sara Kinsey - September 07, 2022 at 08:50 AM

LH

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*



Lt. Jamie Hixson - September 06, 2022 at 12:04 PM



*Thank you Jamie.*

Sara Kinsey - September 07, 2022 at 08:51 AM