



Shirley Odom

August 27, 1937 - March 30, 2019

Shirley Crawford Odom, 81, of Turin, Georgia was ushered into the arms of Jesus on Saturday, March 30, 2019.

Shirley was born on August 27, 1937 in Spalding County, Georgia and was the youngest of three children born to the late Hoyt and Alva Crawford. She was raised in Fairburn, Georgia and played basketball for Campbell High School, where she graduated in 1956. Shirley married her husband, William, on November 26, 1960. She and William moved to Kansas City, Missouri where William pursued his career with Hudson and Odom Tire Company. After nineteen years, they moved back to Georgia, built their home, and became members of the Turin Baptist Church.

Shirley was a loving mother and grandmother to her two daughters and five grandchildren. Affectionately known as “Buddy” to many, she was a gentle soul who loved to tell a good story. She enjoyed filling her home with family and friends and brought lots of laughter and good food to every meal.

Shirley is survived by her husband, William Loyd Odom; daughters, Kelly Bomba (Ed) and Kim Stephens (Pat); grandchildren, Brittany Bomba, James Bomba, Lisa Degler (Clay), Lynn Stephens, and Logan Stephens; brother, Douglas Crawford (Francis); sister, Jeanette Privett; and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation with family and friends will take place from 6:00 to 8:00 pm on Monday, April 1st at McKoon Funeral Home in Newnan, Georgia. The service will be held at 2:00 pm on Tuesday, April 2nd at The Turin Baptist Church. The family would like to express special gratitude to Brightmoor Hospice, Regina's Helping Hands, Sylvia Sanchez, and Rita trozier for providing exceptional love and care. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Brightmoor Hospice, 3427 Newnan Road, Griffin, GA 30223 and The Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research, Grand Central Station, PO Box 4777, New York, NY 10163. Condolences may be expressed to the family online at www.mckoon.com.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

Turin Memorial Gardens

20 Longstreet Avenue
Turin, GA 30289

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com

Service

APR 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

Turin Baptist Church, Turin, GA
29 Church Street
Turin, GA 30289

Tribute Wall

PB

“ *Mr. Bill, Kelly and Kim,*

Lot's of memories from our time at Heritage. So sorry I did not make the visitation. God bless all of you.

Pat Burns

Pat Burns - April 04, 2019 at 12:57 PM



Thank you Mrs. Pat. We had slot of fun back then! Thanks to Dr. Burns taking me under his wing, life has been good being a nurse.

Kim Stephens - April 04, 2019 at 05:32 PM

JH

“ *Aunt Shirley, May God hold you close and have a good laughs together. I will miss for always remember the laughter.*

Jeff Hearn - April 02, 2019 at 08:10 AM



Thanks Jeff!

Kim Stephens - April 04, 2019 at 05:33 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Shirley Odom.*



April 01, 2019 at 02:52 PM



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April 01, 2019 at 08:45 AM



“ *Aunt Shirley will be greatly missed by all! We have many fond memories of family times together. She would get so tickled and the rest of us would join in laughter with her! She loved to share her home remedies...Aspercreme was the best! Uncle William, Kelly, Kim and family, we are thinking of you. Will miss being with you at the funeral service. May the Lord comfort you with peace and strength.*

Much love,

Josephine, Lynn, Stacy and family

Lynn Lake - March 31, 2019 at 08:04 PM



Thank you Lynn and all! We know you will be with us in spirit. Much love.

Kim Stephens - March 31, 2019 at 11:28 PM



“ *My friendship with Shirley goes back to our years at Campbell High School. She's a very special friend and has brought much joy to all those who called her friend. I don't know of anything that I can say. I don't know what I can do. But one thing is for sure, I can pray and I will continue to keep each of you in my prayers.*

Ruth D. West - March 31, 2019 at 02:33 PM



Thank you! We appreciate you reaching out to us and we can use all the prayers for sure.

Kim Stephens - March 31, 2019 at 07:04 PM

NS

“ Each day is a day that God has given us. The way I remember Shirley is that she enjoyed and lived each day to the fullest. She will be missed.

*Love and God's Blessings to the Family,
Nell Smith C.H.S Class of 56*

Nell Smith - March 31, 2019 at 02:20 PM



Thank you so much!

Kim Stephens - March 31, 2019 at 07:05 PM

GM

“ I always loved Shirley’s smile and the way her face would light up when she was telling you a story. She will be missed! Much love to all the family!

Russ and Glenda McDuffie

Glenda McDuffie - March 31, 2019 at 12:32 PM



Thank you so much Glenda! Momma was a fun story teller for sure!

Kim Stephens - March 31, 2019 at 07:16 PM

ML

“ *Michael and Olivia Lindholm purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Shirley Odom.*



Michael and Olivia Lindholm - March 31, 2019 at 11:59 AM