



Susan Murphree Ebersbach

August 14, 1960 - September 1, 2024

Susan Murphree Ebersbach, 64, passed away Sunday, September 1, 2024, at her home in Newnan surrounded by her loving family. Susan was born August 14, 1960, in Atlanta to the late James William (Bill) Murphree and Gloria Donnelly Murphree. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Lynn Murphree Finney. The Murphree family moved to Newnan when Susan was in the 7th grade.

Susan grew up on the Murphree family farm located off Dr. Bruce Jackson Road. Her childhood passions included horseback riding and showing horses. She graduated from The Heritage School in 1978 and was a member of one of the first classes at Heritage. She was also a graduate of Wesleyan College, where she was a member of the tennis team. She earned her master's degree in English from Mercer University in 1983 and her J.D. from the Walter F. George School of Law at Mercer University in 1986. During the Fall of 1982, she met the love of her life, Randy J. Ebersbach, and the two were married at Central Baptist Church in Newnan on June 14, 1986.

After passing the Georgia Bar Examination in 1986, Susan began practicing law at Rosenzweig, Kam, Jones & McNabb in Newnan where she focused on family, real estate, and bankruptcy law. She stepped away from the full-time practice of law in 1994 to focus on raising her two children, John Randall Ebersbach and Richard Murphree Ebersbach. She was an outstanding

mother dedicated to teaching her boys the importance of hard work, compassion, and the "Golden Rule." Susan defined what it means to be a strong and faithful woman of God.

Her passion for helping children extended beyond her home and into the courtroom. After raising her two boys, Susan founded her own law firm, Ebersbach Law, P.C., to focus on juvenile court dependency law. Her goal was to use her education and platform to make a meaningful difference in the lives of children throughout Coweta County, which she did.

Susan was also a community leader. She ran for State Senate in 2004. She was actively involved with Coweta County Family Treatment Court and served as President of Prevent Child Abuse Coweta. She also served as a board member for the Newnan County Club, President of The Heritage School Booster Club, a Sunday School teacher and Vacation Bible School volunteer for Central Baptist Church, and a member of the Newnan-Coweta Bar Association and the State Bar of Georgia.

While her commitment and love for children throughout our community never wavered, her truest love was always her family, particularly her grandchildren, Wells, Lenny, and Theo. She most enjoyed spending time with family at her lake house located on Lake Martin in Alabama. She also enjoyed playing tennis, reading, and giving back to others.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, September 4, 2024 at 11:00 am in the sanctuary of Central Baptist Church with Rev. Matt Sapp and Dr. Joel Richardson officiating. The family will receive friends Tuesday, September 3, 2024 from 5 - 7 pm at McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory, 38 Jackson St., Newnan. Gifts of flowers are welcome, or memorial contributions may be made to The American Cancer Society (<https://www.cancer.org/donate.html>) for brain cancer research or to Hope Revisited (<https://hoperevisited.org/>) to

benefit children.

The family thanks the physicians and staff of Piedmont Neuro-Oncology for their committed care of Susan. The family also expresses their sincere appreciation to all friends and family for their love, encouragement, and support throughout the past year.

Susan is survived by her husband, Randy J. Ebersbach; son and daughter-in-law, John R. Ebersbach and Morgan Matte Ebersbach; son and daughter-in-law, Richard M. Ebersbach and Olivia Brewer Ebersbach; grandchildren, Maxwell (Wells) Brewer Ebersbach, Lynell (Lenny) Frances Ebersbach, and Theodore (Theo) Murphree Ebersbach; mother-in-law, Joanne Ebersbach-Harper (Wayne); sister-in-law, Rhonda Ebersbach Shaddix (Lloyd); niece Gloria Ruth Finney; nephew Jason Christopher Glas (Marsha) and their children, Harper, Harrison, Mary Elizabeth, Bowen and Franklin; numerous cousins and extended family. Susan's love, charisma, and compassion will always be remembered.

Condolences may be expressed online at www.mckoon.com.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory, (770) 253-4580

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

96 Jefferson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-3744

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Funeral Service

SEP 4. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Central Baptist Church
14 West Broad St./P.O. Box 1221
Newnan, GA 30264

Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Susan Murphree Ebersbach*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - September 03, 2024 at 03:29 PM

JH

*Randy and family,
My prayers and thoughts are with you at the loss of Susan.
May our Lord comfort all of you during this time.*

Joan Smith Hanson - September 04, 2024 at 07:30 AM

JM

*Randy and Family
Enjoyed the wonderful tribute to Susan. I know you were all honored to have such a wonderful blessing like her in your life. May God Bless you and keep you.
Numbers 6:24*

John McGraw - September 04, 2024 at 05:37 PM

KP

Randy, Richard and family...what a beautiful tribute to your precious Susan and beautiful mother. She had such a passion for life and left a wonderful legacy. May her memory be a blessing.

Kathy Prisant - September 07, 2024 at 08:53 PM

MH

Sending prayers to you and your family

Marsha Hall - September 24, 2024 at 09:57 PM

AM

“ *I hate to hear this. I know I'm behind but I waited on her and her family so often and this hits home. Praying for her family.*

amanda - October 05, 2024 at 02:35 PM



“ *Susan and Randy were dear friends in law school and wonderful people. I am so sorry to hear of her passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. John T. Garcia*

John Garcia - September 10, 2024 at 11:26 AM

SF

“ *My condolence go out to the Ebersbach family.
Mrs. Susan was a sweet lady she will forever be missed*



Stephanie Flowers - September 08, 2024 at 06:15 PM

AD

“ *So sorry to hear about Susan's passing. She was a wonderful person, wife, mother, and grandmother. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Angela and Paul Davis*

Angela and Paul Davis - September 05, 2024 at 12:22 PM

LW

“ *Linda Wortham lit a candle in memory of Susan Murphree Ebersbach*



Linda wortham - September 05, 2024 at 09:53 AM

MR

“ Randy I am sorry about your wife passing. May God place his arms around your family during this time.



Michael Aldredge CCSO Retired - September 04, 2024 at 10:11 PM

SP

“ Mrs. Susan was an incredible woman who made such an impact in our community as well as the lives of all who knew her. I loved getting to know her over the years being the veterinarian for Betty & Lucy. Her passion for animals was obvious and she would do anything for her dogs! All of the doctors and staff at SweetWater Veterinary Hospital send our condolences.

The Open Hands Sunday School class (young married people class) at Newnan First United Methodist Church has been praying for Susan throughout her medical journey and will now continue to pray for the family during this incredibly difficult time. We all love the Ebersbachs and will dearly miss Mrs. Susan.

*-Sara & Hanson Powell
& SweetWater Veterinary Hospital*

Sara Powell - September 04, 2024 at 03:10 PM

AM

“ Randy- I am so very sorry to hear about Susan. Please know that my thoughts, prayers, and deepest condolences are with you and your family.

Allen McDuffie - September 04, 2024 at 10:57 AM

LB

“ Susan always had a smile on her face and was so welcoming to our entire family. We will always remember the great days at Heritage and the times our boys spent together. I’m so sorry to hear the news of her passing. Randy, John and Richard you are in our prayers. Please cherish the wonderful family times. Love, the Bonner Family

Lynda Bonner - September 03, 2024 at 10:54 PM

LW

“ I am so sad and so very sorry for the pain all family members are enduring now because of the separation from Susan. I have no doubt that Susan is in heaven now with family, but physical separation is such a painful thing.

Susan was a family friend from early childhood as my parents were good friends of her parents. Although I did not see Susan often, when our paths did cross it was always as if no time had elapsed. In my memory, I only ever remember Susan smiling, joyful, and purposeful. She was a gift to those she knew. I will surely miss her presence on this earth.

Love to all the family...

Lee Ann Williford Wyrick

Lee Wyrick - September 03, 2024 at 07:24 PM

CS

“ Ebersbach family, I knew Susan at Wesleyan. She was smart, funny and always thoughtful of others. It just seems 64 is just so young to lose a life. I know she is with God. I am better for having known her.

Claire Peterson Schwall

Claire Sc - September 03, 2024 at 06:08 PM

SR

“ Dearest Randy and family, we are so very sorry to hear of Susan's passing. She was a beautiful lady and will be missed. We enjoyed so much at Thanksgiving sitting and talking with her about our mutual love of horses, riding, etc. Please know you all are in our thoughts and our prayers! Much love, Sandi & Bruce Roberts

Sandi Roberts - September 03, 2024 at 04:54 PM

CS

“ Cassidy Sutton and Boyd Sutton purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.



Cassidy Sutton and Boyd Sutton - September 03, 2024 at 03:26 PM

FM

“ Randy and family, I am so sorry to hear of Susan's passing. I enjoyed my years at Wesleyan with her. She was a kind, thoughtful and intelligent friend. I have many fun memories of college which included Susan. I pray good memories will help you all during this difficult time. Flora Hasty McCook

Flora McCook - September 03, 2024 at 02:58 PM

FD

“ Randy and family, we were so sorry to hear about Susan’s death. Our prayers are with you and the family at this time of sorrow. May God’s love and grace and your fond memories sustain you in the days and months ahead. Your Mother and I have been friends for several years , working together at the bank and she has always been so proud of you and your family. We send continued prayers to you for peace and understanding of it all. Faith and Derrell Danforth

Faith Danforth - September 03, 2024 at 01:31 PM

SF

“ Smith, Wallis & Scott Law Firm planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.

Smith, Wallis & Scott Law Firm - September 03, 2024 at 12:58 PM

SF

“ Smith, Wallis & Scott Law Firm purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.



Smith, Wallis & Scott Law Firm - September 03, 2024 at 12:58 PM

AH

“ Amanda and Ryan Holbird purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.



Amanda and Ryan Holbird - September 03, 2024 at 12:36 PM

SJ

“ I met Susan at Wesleyan College. Such a beautiful lady inside and out. I'm so saddened to hear of her passing. She had such determination. Prayers for Susan's family, she loved each of them so very much!



sally jones - September 03, 2024 at 11:14 AM



“ Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.



September 03, 2024 at 10:46 AM



“ Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.



September 03, 2024 at 10:35 AM

MF

“ Martha Matte & family. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.

Martha Matte & family. - September 03, 2024 at 10:32 AM

MF

“ *Martha Matte & family. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.*



Martha Matte & family. - September 03, 2024 at 10:32 AM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.*



September 03, 2024 at 10:13 AM

SB

“ *Randy and family, we are so sorry to hear of Susan's passing. Know that we are praying for everyone during this very difficult time. Love, Stephanie, Toby, Tucker, Penelope, David, Matt, Bill and Joan.*

Stephanie Blanton - September 03, 2024 at 09:58 AM

TK

“ *The Kuglins purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.*



The Kuglins - September 03, 2024 at 09:49 AM

AS

“ So very sorry to hear this news. Susan was an incredible woman and will be very much missed. Sending prayers, hugs and much love to you all.

*Sincerest Condolences,
Angela and the Entire Staff at Rider Pest Control*

Angela Smith - September 03, 2024 at 09:47 AM

TA

“ The Abernathys purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.



The Abernathys - September 03, 2024 at 06:25 AM



“ Randy so sorry to hear the news about Susan. Please know you and all of your family are in our thoughts and prayers. We love you. Betty and Bucky kimsey

Bucky Kimsey - September 02, 2024 at 09:59 PM

DD

“ Dawn D. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.

Dawn D. - September 02, 2024 at 09:37 PM

WD

“ *With Love, Drew and Lauren Davis purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.*



With Love, Drew and Lauren Davis - September 02, 2024 at 09:22 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.*



September 02, 2024 at 08:50 PM

JO

“ *John and Pam Oys planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.*

John and Pam Oys - September 02, 2024 at 08:50 PM

AS

“ *Aunt Dawnie and Uncle Steve purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.*



Aunt Dawnie and Uncle Steve - September 02, 2024 at 08:43 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.



September 02, 2024 at 08:29 PM



“ Brian and Sandy Wooldridge and family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.



Brian and Sandy Wooldridge and family - September 02, 2024 at 08:07 PM



“ Brian and Sandy Wooldridge and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.

Brian and Sandy Wooldridge and family - September 02, 2024 at 08:07 PM



“ Ebersbach Family - our deepest sympathy condolences for you loss. Sending all our love and prayers. -Andrew & Lauren Repay

Lauren Repay - September 02, 2024 at 07:38 PM

FF

“ From the Kosmak Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.

From the Kosmak Family - September 02, 2024 at 07:38 PM

FF

“ From the Kosmak Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.



From the Kosmak Family - September 02, 2024 at 07:38 PM

RM

“ To Randy and the family, we express our condolences and deepest sympathy. You will be in our prayers now and in the days ahead.
Rick & Rita Melville

RICK MELVILLE - September 02, 2024 at 06:03 PM

TB

“ Todd and Becky Bechtel purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Susan Murphree Ebersbach.



Todd and Becky Bechtel - September 02, 2024 at 05:49 PM

K(

“ *Such a sweet and beautiful lady. I met her while caring for her mom at WW. We kept in touch after her mom passed away, couldn't have met a sweeter lady with a heart of gold.* ”



Katherine Coker (Kat) - September 02, 2024 at 05:25 PM

DC

“ *Susan Was so Beautiful and Sweet !! Randy and Family I'm so sorry to hear about this ! Sending Prayers to Yall at this sad time ! I know she will be so missed !!* ”



Donna Clark - September 02, 2024 at 04:40 PM