



Carrie Jane McPherson

July 16, 1976 - March 16, 2026

Carrie Jane McPherson, age 49, of Gainesville, GA passed away on Monday, March 16, 2026. She was preceded in death by her mother, Bathsheba Metcalf McPherson. Ms. McPherson is survived by sons, Joseph Barr of South Carolina and Nicholas McPherson of Gainesville; father, Danny McPherson of Loganville, GA; sister, Crystal (Ken) Burke of Loganville; aunt, Debbie Peavy of Loganville; uncle, Troy Metcalf of Suwanee, GA; nieces (whom she was very close to), Alisha, Ashley, and Amanda Wilson; nephew, Hunter Wilson; and boyfriend, Wayne Mattox.

Ms. McPherson was born on July 16, 1976, graduating from Central Gwinnett High School in 1993, and she was a homemaker. She was a member of Shady Grove Baptist Church in the Suwanee Shakerag Community.

Crystal writes, “They say she was my aunt, but she was really a sister life gave me a head start on. Being only a teenager when I was born, Sissy didn’t just watch me grow up—she grew up right alongside me.

She was the kind of person who could turn a mundane afternoon into a comedy special. Her kindness wasn’t the quiet, fragile kind; it was a fierce, warmth that she shared with everyone she met. Even when life got heavy—and we know it did at times—Sissy had this incredible gift for finding the one thing to laugh about. She taught me that you don’t laugh because life is easy; you laugh because it makes you strong enough to handle the hard parts. I’ll miss her light, her jokes, and the way she made the world feel a little less

serious and a lot more loved.”

A Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday, March 24, 2026 at 11:00 a.m. at Lower Shady Grove Baptist Church, 1029 Boyd Road, Suwannee, GA. 30024 with Pastor Jason Anglin officiating. The family will receive friends at Flanigan Funeral Home on Monday, March 23 from 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **23**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Flanigan Funeral Home
4400 S. Lee St.
Buford, GA 30518
(770) 932-1133
<https://www.flaniganfuneralhome.com/>

Memorial Service

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Shady Grove Baptist Church
1029 Boyd Road
Suwanee, GA 30024