



Glenda Martin Harrison

October 27, 1960 - September 5, 2021

Glenda Martin Harrison, age 60, passed away unexpectedly on September 5, 2021. Glenda was born in Hall County, Georgia on October 27, 1960.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Fred and Sarah Martin; her sister, Martha Light; her parents-in-law, Luke and Mozelle Harrison; her nephew, Danny Sexton; and her brother-in-law, Ray Sexton.

Glenda is survived by her husband of 35 years, James (Tony) Harrison, her daughter, Mary Frances Everett and Ricky Crawford; her treasured granddaughter, Raylee Rose Everett; sisters, Edith and Buster Puckett, Vivian and James Youngblood; her brother, David and Joy Martin; Deborah Martin; sister-in-law, Charlotte Harrison Sexton; 11 nieces and nephews; and numerous very special friends and family members.

Glenda was a graduate of Johnson High School in Hall County; took computer courses at Gainesville College; North Georgia Tech; and completed coursework through the Professional Secretaries International. She worked in business until she became a front office secretary at Buford High School from 1988-1998. She then worked as a front office secretary at Rock Springs Elementary School in Gwinnett County until her retirement in 2016.

A great love for Glenda was church! She sang beautifully, with her entire family; worked in the nursery; was a Sunday School teacher; and was in charge of the Food Pantry at First Baptist Buford for 20+ years. As her health declined, she found purpose in sending cards to people whose name had come to her heart, most especially the Senior Adults.

As the poignant song says, "...because I knew you, I have been changed for good!"

Rest well in the arms of Jesus, sweet Glenda. Your faith has now become sight, and as Psalm 91:4 states, "He will cover you with his feathers, and under His wings you will find refuge..."

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, September 8, 2021 at 11:30 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Buford with Pastor Wayne Johnson and Pastor Stephen Fountain officiating. Interment will follow at Broadlawn Memorial Gardens in Buford, GA. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Tuesday, September 7, 2021 from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. and from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Flowers accepted or memorial donations may be made to Eagle Ranch, P.O. Box 7200, Chestnut Mountain, GA 30502 in memory of Glenda Harrison.

Cemetery Details

Broadlawn Memorial Gardens

5979 New Bethany Rd
Buford, GA 30518

Previous Events

The family will receive friends

SEP 7. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Flanigan Funeral Home
4400 South Lee Street
Buford, GA 30518

The family will receive friends

SEP 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Flanigan Funeral Home
4400 South Lee Street
Buford, GA 30518

Funeral Service

SEP 8. 11:30 AM (ET)

Buford First Baptist Church
4550 Hamilton Mill Road
Buford, GA 30518

Interment

SEP 8 (ET)

Broadlawn Memorial Gardens
5979 New Bethany Rd
Buford, GA 30518

Tribute Wall



“ *Flanigan Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Glenda Martin Harrison*

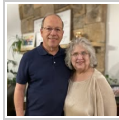


Flanigan Funeral Home - September 07, 2021 at 08:15 PM

LS

What a beautiful tribute and celebration of a life that honored God and was well lived.

Leah Sanders - September 08, 2021 at 04:45 PM



Thankful Lindsey and I were able to see the beautiful service for Glenda! We send our love and sympathy to Tony, Mary, Raylee, the Martin family and to all her friends! Glenda was a blessing to all who knew her! May God bless you all with peace and strength. Praying the precious memories of the times spent with Glenda will soon out weigh the pain!

Alice Clack - September 10, 2021 at 01:22 AM



“ *Glenda Martin Harrison*

November 08, 2022 at 07:37 PM

JC

“ Matt and I were so saddened to hear about Glenda’s passing. Ya’ll were great neighbors when we lived in Sugar Hill. We have a lot of fond memories of those days. We pray for comfort and peace for all of you.

Judy Chapman - September 08, 2021 at 07:46 AM

JE

“ I love you YaYa. I will miss you and miss playing games with you. I know you are in a better place called Heaven. You are the best YaYa in the world. I love you. Raylee Rose Everett , your granddaughter.

Julie Everett - September 07, 2021 at 12:07 PM

CP

“ Glenda was the first person I met at Rock Springs Elementary when I was about to bring my oldest son there for his first day of Kindergarten. She could not have been more warm, inviting, and wonderful! I was having a hard time with letting him go but her warmth let me know he would be just fine at school.

Through the years being involved with PTA gave me the opportunity to work with Glenda and get to know her. What a truly special woman she was. It saddens me that we lost her and my heart goes out to Tony and her entire family.

We are truly blessed that God brought her into each of our lives. We will forever be changed by her love and friendship and we will never forget the special woman she was to each of us.

Cindy Petrucci

Cindy Petrucci - September 07, 2021 at 08:59 AM

GB

“ I have very fond memories of Mrs. Harrison while a student at BHS. She was always so kind to me. Prayers for strength and comfort to her family and friends.



Gretchen Bay - September 06, 2021 at 07:45 PM

BK

“ Tony, Bob and I are heartbroken to hear of Glenda's death. We are praying that the sweet Holy Spirit will comfort you during this sad time. You have such wonderful memories of the loved that you shared. We love you.
Bob and BJ



Betty Kimball - September 06, 2021 at 04:06 PM

JE

“ I love you YaYa. I will miss you very much. But you are in a safe place called heaven. I love you YaYa and I will miss playing games with you. You were the best YaYa in the world. love Raylee Everett your granddaughter

Julie Everett - September 06, 2021 at 03:07 PM

PB

“ Glenda was extraordinarily kind to me and my family during some difficult times while I was working at Rocksprings Elementary. Her kind heart and beautiful soul were a blessing to all of us.
Pat Beers

Pat Beers - September 06, 2021 at 10:57 AM

TP

“ I am so sorry for your loss of sweet Glenda. She was a very special lady that I had the pleasure of working with at Mickey's Lumber. She was always so kind and only saw the good in people. Glenda brought out the best in you. Tony, Vivian and the whole Harrison/Martin family, you are in my thoughts and prayers. I will never forget Glenda.

Love,
Tammy (Tillman) Patterson

Tammy Patterson - September 06, 2021 at 09:59 AM

NC

“ Glenda was beloved by students, staff, and parents at Rock Springs Elementary School. I had the pleasure of working with her there for 7 years, and she was pleasant and kind to all with smiles galore. She is a sweet, sweet lady who gives meaning to the term "gracious Southern Lady." She will be missed by so, so many of us.

Nancy Childers - September 06, 2021 at 09:42 AM

GJ

Glenda will be missed. She usually was the first person I saw entering my work day. Glenda was always smiling and would take time to help me when needed. A truly beautiful person inside and out. I loved her. The Lord is greeting you with open arms.

Gloria Johnson - September 06, 2021 at 12:13 PM

SW

Glenda was a true friend. I loved every minute I spent with her. and I loved her. She and Tony made me feel so welcome and comfortable in their home. I met them when we went to New Bethany Baptist Church and were all single and in the singles Sunday School class. I have a painting she did hanging in my dining room. She was super talented. Even though we didn't get together that often, I'll miss her so much.

Sue Wintemute

Sue Wintemute - September 07, 2021 at 09:14 PM

CR

“ *Glenda was so beautiful!!! I loved her smile and her eyes would twinkle when she smiled!!! Prayers for all the family.*

Cindy Orr Renfer - September 05, 2021 at 09:49 PM