



Mrs. Cindy Cates

January 22, 1954 - May 10, 2025

Mrs. Cynthia “Cindy” Ann Cates, of Temple, Georgia, passed away on May 9, 2025. She was 71.

Mrs. Cates was born on January 22, 1954 in San Antonio, Texas to the late Samuel Eugene and Edwine Summers. She retired from Sewell’s Manufacturing where she worked as an office manager. She enjoyed camping and boating with friends and liked to read and sew. But most of all she enjoyed spending time with her family, and she will be missed dearly by them. She was of the Baptist faith and was a member of Abilene Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her parents, but is survived by her husband, Wayne Cates; her children and their spouses, Scott and Christy Cates and Trisha and Walter Hicks; her grandchildren, Leanne Cates, Logan Cates, Ty Hodges, Andrew Hicks, and Jake Hicks; and her brother and sister-in-law, Ricky and Michelle Summers.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, May 13, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. at the Chapel of Rainwater Funeral Home. Rev. Darnell Teal will officiate.

Pallbearers will be her close family members including her husband, Wayne Cates, her son, Scott Cates; her son-in-law, Walter Hicks; her brother, Ricky Summers; her nephew, Cody Summers; and her brother-in-law, Danny Cates. Interment will follow at Sardis Baptist Church Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Monday, May 12, 2025 from 5:00 till 7:00 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Sardis Baptist Cemetery

4292 Highway 100 South
Bowdon, GA 30108

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Rainwater Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

MAY 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ We are so sorry to hear the news of your loss and apologize that we didn't know sooner and show our support. You are all in our thoughts and prayers and pray that you are able to find comfort in all of your beautiful memories.
Love and hugs to you all Ted and Traci Merrill



Ted Merrill - May 14, 2025 at 06:09 PM

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“ Love and Prayers for family and friends
Heaven is getting sweeter all the time



Martha McBrayer - May 12, 2025 at 10:21 PM

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“ Sherrie Musick lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Cindy Cates



Sherrie Musick - May 12, 2025 at 07:28 PM



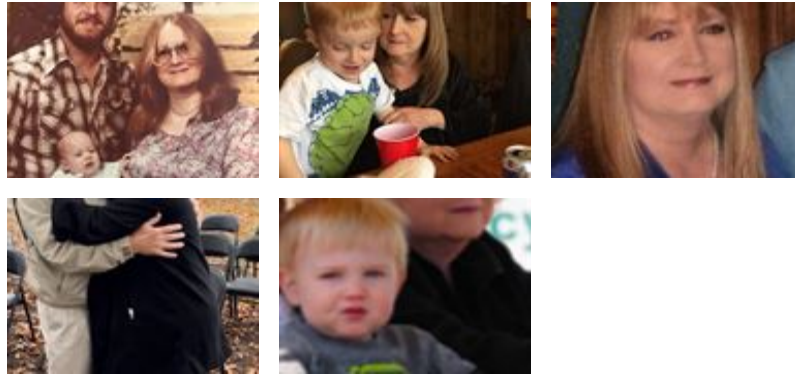
“ Virginia Davidson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Cindy Cates



Virginia Davidson - May 12, 2025 at 03:41 PM



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“ Wayne, Scott, and family, I am so sorry for your loss. Although I didn't know Mrs. Cindy very well, I know she was a wonderful wife, mother, and grandmother. I pray for your peace and rest during this time. Jeff Jones

Jeffrey L Jones - May 10, 2025 at 09:58 PM