



Mrs. Julia Ann Yates

March 8, 1937 - April 27, 2016

Julia Yates

Mrs. Julia Ann Yates, of Graham, Alabama, passed away Wednesday, April 27, 2016. She was 79.

Mrs. Yates was born in Graham, Alabama, on March 8, 1937, to the late Olin and Lola McManus.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Yates is preceded in death by her husband, Ernest Haynes Yates; her sister, Katie Jo Medders; her brothers, Billy McManus, Wallace McManus; and her nephew, Billy Wayne McManus.

Survivors include her sister, Charleen Shelton, of Graham, Alabama; her brothers, Mack McManus, of Graham, Alabama, Wayne McManus, of Wedowee, Alabama; a number of nieces and nephews; and her caregivers, Dorothy Carpenter, Christine Daniel, Brenda Alford, Sabrina Lovvorn, Shirley McManus, Joyce Noles, Jessica Shelton, and Julie Shelton.

Visitation for Mrs. Yates will be held on Friday, April 29, 2016, from 4:00 pm until 6:00 pm (Georgia Time) at Rainwater Funeral Home in Bowdon, Georgia.

Funeral services for Mrs. Yates will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2016, at

12:00 pm (Georgia Time) at Gold Ridge Baptist Church in Graham, Alabama. She will lie in state from 11:00 am until the funeral hour. Bro. Bobby Garner and Bro. T.J. Morgan will officiate. Interment will follow at Gold Ridge Baptist Church Cemetery.

Messages of condolence can be sent to the family at www.rainwaterfuneralhome.com

Rainwater Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Goldridge Baptist Church Cemetery

2300 County Road 37
Graham, AL 36263

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **29**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Rainwater Funeral Home
317 North Carroll Street
Bowdon, GA 30108
(770) 258-7239
info@rainwaterfuneralhome.com
<https://www.rainwaterfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

APR **30**. 12:00 PM (CT)

Goldridge Baptist Church
2300 County Road 37
Graham, AL 36263

Tribute Wall



“ *Presley Aldridge sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Julia Ann Yates*



presley aldridge - April 30, 2016 at 01:17 AM



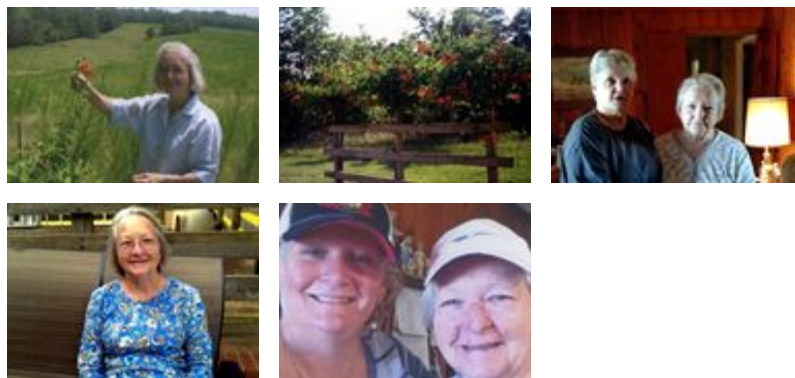
“ *Edith Powers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Julia Ann Yates*



Edith Powers - April 29, 2016 at 08:45 PM



“ *34 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Rainwater Funeral Home - April 29, 2016 at 10:17 AM

BS

“ *Barbara Swanson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Julia Ann Yates*



Barbara Swanson - April 29, 2016 at 07:05 AM


Jessica
Shelton

“ *I love you. You will be missed*❤️

Jessica Shelton - April 28, 2016 at 06:01 PM

AA

“ *I love you and miss you Aunt Judy!*
Love,
Presley

amanda aldrige - April 28, 2016 at 05:54 PM

AA

“ *Amanda Aldridge lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Julia Ann Yates*



amanda aldrige - April 28, 2016 at 05:52 PM

AA

To the woman who named me. To the wonderful seamstress who made all my "special" clothes (costumes, graduation dress, formal for college, etc.) To the woman who gave me my very first diamond earrings. To the woman who gave me my first Trans-am (a matchbox one because you knew I wanted a Trans-am sooo bad!) To the woman who went to Weight Watchers with me, even though you didn't need to lose one pound but went to support me. To the woman that always was at our special holidays. To the woman that always gave me the exact number of one dollar bills to equal the age at my birthday. To the woman who made the cover for my son's rocking chair in his nursery. To the woman who graciously allowed me to live on the farm so that it would be easier to attend college. To the woman that shared so many of my secrets over the years and never told a soul. To the woman who even though God never gave her a biological child, took me as her own. I thank God for the time he allowed for us to have together. I am blessed to be able to call you my aunt. I love you!

Amanda

amanda aldridge - April 30, 2016 at 01:30 AM



“*Hey Aunt Judy I miss you so much see you in heave sweet heart i love you glad your not in pain and your body is brand new again i love lots love presley your sweetheart*

Presley Aldridge - April 28, 2016 at 05:37 PM

BW

“*I would like to give my sympathy to the Yates. I met her one time, she is so heart warming, and be truly missed. Gone But Never Forgetton!!!!*

Beverly Wyatt - April 28, 2016 at 05:34 PM

AA

“ To the woman that named me. To the woman that made my "special" clothes (costumes for school, 6th grade graduation dress, formal for Jr. College, etc.) To the talented seamstress who made the cover for the rocking chair to go in my son's nursery. To the woman that gave me my first pair of diamond earrings, my first car (a matchbox Trans-am) because you knew I wanted a Transam soooo badly. To the woman who went to Weight Watchers with me, even though she didn't need to lose one pound, but went to encourage me. To the woman that attended every special holiday with us and on my birthday always gave me the number of one dollar bills that was equal to my age. To the woman who graciously let me live in your farmhouse so I could continue to go to college. To the woman who has shared my many secrets over the years and never told a soul. I have lost not only my aunt, but one of my very best friends. I thank God for the time I had to spend with you and the time God allowed me to care for you as you had cared for me so many times in the past. I love you and I miss you so very much.



Love,
Amanda

amanda aldrige - April 28, 2016 at 01:30 PM