



Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens

October 22, 1937 - July 14, 2024

Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens, 86, of Sylvester, died on Sunday, July 14, 2024, at Phoebe Worth Medical Center.

The funeral service will be held at 10:00 AM on Wednesday, July 17, 2024, at Banks Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Donald Cole will officiate.

Mrs. Giddens was born on October 22, 1937 in Ocilla, Georgia, to the late John Wesley and Annie Mae Sumner Griffin. She had lived in Worth County for the past 70 years, and was a homemaker. Mrs. Giddens enjoyed feeding the ducks at the duck pond in Sylvester, tending to her garden, cooking and baking. She loved spending time with her family and friends, especially with her grandchildren and great grandchildren. Mrs. Giddens was a member of Red Oak Baptist Church in Worth County.

Survivors include her children, Terry Young (Sue Sue) and Marcia Whitacre (Lanny) all of Sylvester; grandchildren, Jed Young, April Melton (Casey), Mallory Garwood (Luke), Molly Emerson (Michael), Leigh Anna Young, Olivia Young and Savannah Young; great grandchildren, Josie Garwood, Lilliann Garwood, Caden Emerson, Carlie Emerson, Corbin Emerson, Griffin Melton, Trenton Melton and Ashton Melton; a host of nieces, nephews and other extended family members.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Giddens was preceded in death by her first husband, James Roy Young, Jr., on January 7, 2000, and also by her second husband, Rufus Brooks Giddens on April 9, 2008; son, Dr. Larry James Young on March 21, 2024 and also by her siblings, Paul Griffin, Marion Fain Griffin,

Earl Raiford Griffin, Gladys Griffin, Mamie Griffin, Arthur Griffin, Mildred Griffin, Kathleen Griffin, John Wesley "J.W." Griffin, Jr., Carolyn Griffin, Elma Griffin, Hubert Griffin, and a infant baby.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM at Banks Funeral Home.

Please sign our online guest registry at www.banksfh.com.

Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Cemetery

701 S. Isabella Street
Sylvester, GA 31791

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 16. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Banks Funeral Home
PO Box 550
210 N. Main Street
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(229) 776-2055
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

GW

“ Gibbs Wilson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens



Gibbs Wilson - July 24, 2024 at 03:33 PM

BD

“ Bill And Betsy Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens



Bill and Betsy Davis - July 17, 2024 at 09:35 AM

MW

“ Marsha B Ward lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens



Marsha B Ward - July 16, 2024 at 11:38 PM

LM

“ Marcia and Terry,
I was so sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs Margaret. She was such a precious person. My thought and prayers are with you and your family as you go through this difficult time
Linda McFarland

Linda McFarland - July 16, 2024 at 10:26 PM

AK

“ ANGELE L KENNEDY lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens



ANGELE L KENNEDY - July 16, 2024 at 07:08 PM

CL

“ Carolyn Littleton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens



Carolyn Littleton - July 16, 2024 at 10:05 AM

KS

“ Ms. Margaret is definitely one of the strongest, intelligent, and loyal ladies I have known throughout my life. She was driven and committed to raising children who would not only succeed but excel in life! Ms. Margaret will be missed by all who knew her. May God comfort you during this time of loss but know that she lives within you her children, grands, and great grands! God blessed you with an extraordinary lady!
Kay Smith-Mathews

Kay Smith-Mathews - July 16, 2024 at 09:23 AM

DM

“ Prayers for comfort and healing to family and friends.

Deborah Smith Mainor



Deborah Smith Mainor - July 16, 2024 at 09:07 AM

JC

“ June Coker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens



June Coker - July 16, 2024 at 08:02 AM

TJ

“ Mrs. Margaret was a joy to see walking around the neighborhood. I always had to stop and talk to the members of the KOKO Club to find out the latest. She surely will be missed. Jim and I extend our deepest sympathies to Terry, Marcia and the rest of the family.

Trudy and Jim - July 16, 2024 at 07:28 AM

MB

“ Mark Bibby lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens



Mark Bibby - July 16, 2024 at 03:19 AM

CD

“ *Claire DeWitt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens*



Claire DeWitt - July 15, 2024 at 11:33 PM

CD

“ *Aunt Margaret (not our Aunt, but we called her that) was always she sweet and kind to us and always welcomed us into her home and her family gatherings! We will miss YOU! Our prayers and thoughts are with you all 🙏🙏*

Claire DeWitt - July 15, 2024 at 11:32 PM

TS

“ *Tony Senkbeil lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens*



Tony Senkbeil - July 15, 2024 at 10:37 PM

CY

“ *Carol York lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens*



Carol York - July 15, 2024 at 08:50 PM

EC

“ *A true lady with a beautiful smile! Prayers and hugs to the entire family and friends. God Bless You!*



Evelyn Fletcher Castleberry - July 15, 2024 at 08:00 PM

AH

“ *Ann Haire lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens*



Ann Haire - July 15, 2024 at 06:23 PM

QS

“ *Prayers for the family, Margaret was a neighbor, friend a Great family lady. She will be missed by the family, friends and the entire community Rest in peace, my dear friend.*

Quinton Smith - July 15, 2024 at 05:11 PM

TC

“ *Tommy Cameron lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens*



Tommy Cameron - July 15, 2024 at 05:04 PM

JM

“ *Joyce Medders lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens*



joyce medders - July 15, 2024 at 04:12 PM

OY

“ *I love you mommie.*

Olivia Young - July 15, 2024 at 02:48 PM

CT

“ *Culmer Tanner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens*



Culmer Tanner - July 15, 2024 at 02:21 PM

SJ

“ *Sandra A Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens*



Sandra A Jones - July 15, 2024 at 02:12 PM

SW

“ Sandra Watson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens



Sandra Watson - July 15, 2024 at 02:09 PM

TP

“ Mrs. Margaret was an absolute joy to be around, and she will be greatly missed by her Red Oak family! We will surely miss her smile and her fabulous cakes! Our condolences to the family during this difficult time.



Tory Purvis - July 15, 2024 at 02:00 PM

LL

“ So very sorry for your loss . Prayers for the family 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏



Linda Mclean Landrum - July 15, 2024 at 01:12 PM

DB

“ Debbie Banks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Griffin Young Giddens



Debbie Banks - July 15, 2024 at 01:01 PM