



## Betty Sweeney Adkins

October 31, 1939 - September 29, 2024

Elizabeth Ann “Betty” Sweeney Adkins, age 84, of Milledgeville, passed away Sunday, September 29, 2024. Funeral services for Betty Adkins will be conducted Thursday, October 3, 2024 at 11:00am in the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church with Rev. Ralph Story officiating. Interment will follow in the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church on Thursday, October 3, 2024 from 10:00 AM until the service hour.

A native of Chicago, IL, Betty was born on October 31, 1939 to the late James Paul Sweeney and the late Lillie Belle Broswell Sweeney. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by her husband, Ernest Osborne Adkins, and by her sister, Margaret Gray. Betty lived in Milledgeville since 1976, having moved from Virginia. Betty was a Graduate of Virginia Tech, and of Georgia College. She retired as a Teacher from Twiggs County High School, and was a member of the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church.

Betty is survived by a daughter, Laura (Danny) Layfield of Milledgeville ; Desiree Adkins of Virginia, and Julie (Manuel) Adkins of Virginia ; her sons, Jeff (Cindy) Scott of Ellijay, Alan Scott of Dahlonega, Jarvis Adkins of Milledgeville, Andy Adkins (Julie) of Winder, and Cody Adkins of Hawkinsville; grandchildren, Danielle, Kenny, Tionna (Drew), Kirsten (Jacob), David, Nikki, Sara Beth, Ethan, Amber, Katie, Kal, Kylee; great grandchildren, Israel,

Kaeden, William, Isaiah.

The family has requested that those who wish, may make Memorial Contributions to Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, 265 Mt. Pleasant Church Road, Gordon, GA 31031.

Condolences may be expressed online at: [www.williamsfuneral.net](http://www.williamsfuneral.net)

Williams Funeral Home and Crematory of Milledgeville is in charge of arrangements

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church Cemetery

265 Mt. Pleasant Church Road  
Gordon, GA 31031

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church  
265 Mt. Pleasant Church Road  
Gordon, GA 31031

## Funeral Service

OCT 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church  
265 Mt. Pleasant Church Road  
Gordon, GA 31031

# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album Service



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - October 03, 2024 at 12:48 PM

JA

*Fly high mom! Gone but not forgotten*

Julie Reyes Aquino - October 03, 2024 at 02:00 PM

MS

“ Margie Scott lit a candle in memory of Betty Adkins



Margie Scott - October 02, 2024 at 11:30 PM

LA

“ 12 files added to the tribute wall



Laura - October 02, 2024 at 11:23 PM

AL

“ *Loosing my Mom somehow makes me feel like a child again.*

*It is not uncommon for young soldiers who are wounded and dying on a battlefield to, in their final moments, have a vision of their mothers and whisper to them, "Mom ?"*

*Over the past few years she gradually lost recognition of me when I visited, from Alzheimer's. Medical scientists are on the right path to find a prevention for this more and more common condition. They have recently found a medicine that works, but it's not safe enough yet for doctors to use. But it's not too far away.*

*I'm sorry Mom. I'm so sorry we couldn't save you.*

*Alan*

Alan - October 02, 2024 at 09:05 PM



“ 97 files added to the album Life Tributes



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - October 02, 2024 at 04:29 PM



“ 60 files added to the album Over the Years



Laura - October 02, 2024 at 03:23 PM



“ I Love you Laura!!

Susan Henson - October 02, 2024 at 07:51 AM

JL

“ Laura, Danny and Danielle we are so sorry of your loss. You all are in our thoughts and prayers for God to bring you comfort and peace in the days ahead. We love you all.



John and JoAnn Lavender - October 01, 2024 at 06:33 PM

CT

“ Laura I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. You and your families are in my thoughts and prayers  
Connie Tapley  
Sandersville Ga

connie Tapley - October 01, 2024 at 12:59 PM

LM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Friends at Johnnie McDade Grocery.



Luther Minor - October 01, 2024 at 11:50 AM

DW

“ Dennette Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Betty Adkins



Dennette Williams - October 01, 2024 at 11:43 AM

JA

“ *Julie Reyes Aquino lit a candle in memory of Betty Adkins*



Julie Reyes Aquino - September 30, 2024 at 10:51 PM

DA

“ *Ugh I miss u so much rest east grandma fly high my angle 🥺*



Desiree Adkins - September 30, 2024 at 08:55 PM

TB

“ *Todd and Jill Blackwell lit a candle in memory of Betty Adkins*



Todd and Jill Blackwell - September 30, 2024 at 08:11 PM

JB

“ *Condolences to the family. Betty was one of the sweetest ladies I've ever known. Losing Ernest was such a heartbreak for her and I know they're reunited in Heaven as soulmates. Rest in peace my sweet friend. I will miss you so much. Many memories from days at Mt. Pleasant church.*



Jill Blackwell - September 30, 2024 at 08:08 PM

TB

“ *Laura, Danny, and Danielle... our thoughts, and prayers are with you during this most difficult time. May God comfort you all with His love and peace. ~ Tony & Lena Bonner*

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**Tony and Lena Bonner** - September 30, 2024 at 08:05 PM