



## Martha Criswell Day

September 10, 1941 - October 16, 2019

Martha Jane Criswell Day, age 78, passed away Wednesday, October 16, 2019. Services for Martha Day will be conducted Saturday, October 19, 2019 at 2:00 pm in the Chapel of Williams Funeral Home. Interment will be private. The family will receive friends at the Williams Funeral Home on Friday, October 18, 2019 from 5:00pm until 7:00pm.

A native of McIntyre, she was the daughter of the late Claude Criswell and the late Sallie Whitaker Criswell. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by two brothers, Hugh Criswell and Judson Criswell.

Martha had many longtime dear friends not only locally, where she spent most of her adult life, but in Savannah and Kentucky, where she also lived. She was a proud grandmother, a beloved mother, sister, and friend, who will be missed by many who loved her dearly. She loved to cook and everyone loved her home cooked meals. Her thumb was green and no matter where she lived, her flowers flourished. Watching and feeding the birds was something she enjoyed right up until the end.

One of her favorite Bible passages was Romans 8:38, 39-

(38) For I am convinced that neither death nor life nor angels nor governments nor things now here nor things to come nor powers (39) nor height nor depth nor any other creation will be able to separate us from God's love that is in

Christ Jesus our Lord.

She faced her last weeks with much courage and peace and placed her hope in the promised resurrection found at John 5:28, 29-

(28) Do not be amazed at this, for the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice (29) and come out, those who did good things to a resurrection of life, and those who practiced vile things to a resurrection of judgment.

This hope was very real to her and was imbedded deeply within her heart.

We will remember Martha, who was beautiful inside and out, but most importantly, so will Jehovah God, our Grand Creator.

Martha is survived by: two daughters, Amie Day Arevalo and Sherrie Day Sumner ; her sister, Sallie Berry ; her brother, Kelly Criswell ; three grandchildren, Ethan Arevalo, Autumn Arevalo, and Amanda Keys ; and two great grandchildren.

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

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

OCT **18**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Williams Funeral Home & Crematory - Milledgeville  
1670 N. Jefferson St.  
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### Service

OCT **19**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

MK

“ *To: Amie and her family’,  
I want to express my condolences to you and your family knowing this is a period of time that will be very difficult for you. I pray as you pray that soon we all will experience the realization that is promised in God’s Word concerning peace on the earth and the resurrection to life of our beloved ones. May God, grant you his mercy and peace knowing as you do, the promise will soon be a reality.*  
M. Knox

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**Marilyn Knox** - October 29, 2019 at 08:07 AM

TF

“ *The Jones Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Martha Criswell Day*



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**The Jones Family** - October 19, 2019 at 04:07 PM

RW

“ *Martha was a woman of faith and courage. She spoke confidently about being resurrected to life  
On a beautiful paradise earth. She was also a classy dresser. We will truly miss her.*

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**Ruby Webb** - October 18, 2019 at 10:19 PM

LY

“ Martha I will miss you dearly. I remember all the good times we had. I know you will be waiting for me when I get to heaven. I loved you dearly. Praying for your family. Go rest high upon that mountain.



*Lois and Garvis Youngblood*

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**Lois Youngblood** - October 17, 2019 at 03:32 PM

MF

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. You will be in my prayers and thoughts.

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**Mary A Frame** - October 17, 2019 at 07:35 AM

WM

“ Martha was the sweetest friend. I loved to hear her beautiful laugh and that Southern Belle accent. I never drink lemonade with out thinking of her. She will be dearly missed

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**wendy Menser** - October 16, 2019 at 12:21 PM

SD

*Extremely sorry to hear about her passing and my condolences to her beautiful family. 💔*

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**shannon dean** - October 16, 2019 at 05:04 PM

TF

*With deepest sympathy on your lost. Our love to her wonderful and loving family.*

*The Jones Family*

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**The Jones Family** - October 19, 2019 at 03:48 PM

FS

*To Martha Jane's Family:*

*Please forgive me for being unable to attend the visitation or funeral. I'm so very sorry previous commitments dictated otherwise. I trust God's Grace will show special favor to y'all and HIS peace will be near and dear to all of you in the days, weeks, months and years ahead. Please accept my deepest Christian condolences.*

*Felton Swicord (One of your 50+ first cousins)*

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**Felton Swicord** - October 20, 2019 at 09:03 PM