



Valette Jordan Adkins

September 26, 1940 - April 18, 2026

Funeral services for Valette Jordan Adkins, age 85 will be conducted Friday, April 24, 2026 at 3 p.m. in Bethel Church with Rev. Danny Lyles officiating.

Private Family Interment will follow in Memory Hill Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at the Church from 2 p.m. until the funeral hour.

Mrs. Adkins was predeceased by her father, Ernest Virgil Jordan, Jr. who died in WW II her mother Blanche Green Jordan and her husband, Robert Lee Adkins.

Mrs. Adkins attended Peabody Elementary and Baldwin High School she earned her bachelor's degree from Emory University and earned her Master's Degree in mathematics from University of Georgia. Her teaching career included two years in Ft. Pierce, FL and two years on the Air Force Base in Bitburg, Germany and eighteen years in Redding, CA.

After returning to Milledgeville, she met and married Robert Lee Adkins from Cochran, GA for six wonderful years living on the family farm until his death in 2004.

Valette's hobbies were centered around outdoor activities including Girl Scouting and 4-H club in her growing up years, hiking, backpacking snow skiing and horseback riding in the California years, then carriage driving and gardening when she returned to Milledgeville. Also she organized and lead the Baldwin County 4-H Horse Club for youth in Milledgeville for several years.

She was a past regent of Nancy Hart Chapter NSDAR and a member of

Oconee River Buskers Square Dance Club. She was a member of Friendship Baptist Church at Lake Sinclair where she sang in the choir and taught adult Sunday School in rotation with other teachers.

She is survived by many cousins and their families.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Friendship Baptist Church at Lake Sinclair, 635 Twin Bridges Road Eatonton, GA 31024 or to Bethel Church c/o Doug Farill, 184 Montego Bay Road, Milledgeville, GA 31061.

Cemetery Details

Memory Hill Cemetery

300 W. Franklin St.
Milledgeville, GA 31061

Previous Events

Receive Friends

APR 24. 2:00 PM (ET)

Bethel Church
837 Highway 212
Milledgeville, GA 31061

Funeral Service

APR 24. 3:00 PM (ET)

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837 Highway 212
Milledgeville, GA 31061

Tribute Wall



“ Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Valette Jordan Adkins



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - April 23 at 05:01 PM

FP

What a lovely tribute to Valette! I have many beautiful memories of our years of friendship at Peabody, an scouting, on trips as adults on my trips back to Milledgeville. I am so glad I saw her one last time a year ago. Valette was a very caring person, full of energy and always fun to be with. I will miss you, and am grateful to have had you in my life.

Faye Powell - April 26 at 12:36 PM

MJ

“ Valette was a lovely person, and we shared the love of history and horses. I met her early on when I first moved back to Georgia in 1991. I came over to ride a pony she had because I was small enough for his size! Kept in touch through various Milledgeville events and social occasions. She will be missed by those close to her. Just a kind spirit, waiting in Heaven.

Mauriel Joslyn - May 22 at 08:24 AM

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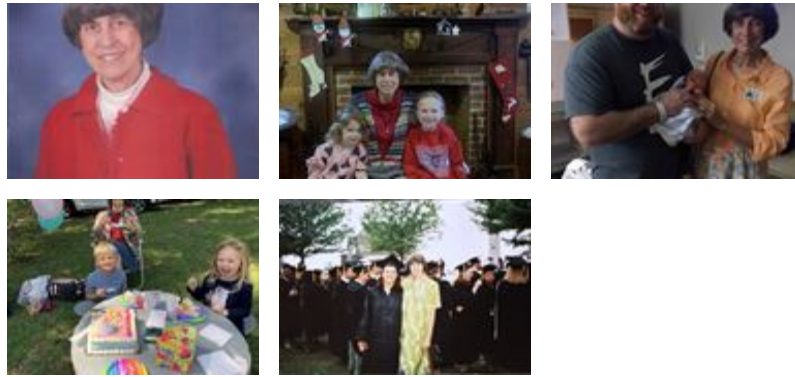
“ *Lori Watson lit a candle in memory of Valette Adkins*



Lori Watson - May 02 at 04:28 PM

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“ *59 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - April 23 at 04:50 PM

JT

“ *Valette was a very sweet lady and she was also my sister-in-law. She was married to my brother Robert and was very much loved by all of our family. She will dearly be missed.*



Janice Adkins Tidmore - April 22 at 11:17 PM



“ Our Nancy Hart DAR chapter was honored to have Valette as a member and a friend. Valette won an award for her beautiful handmade quilts that she made for the Chemewa Indian School. We will miss her greatly.



Maggie Shiver - April 21 at 09:23 PM



“ Debbie Fry lit a candle in memory of Valette Adkins



Debbie Fry - April 21 at 04:49 PM



“ Stephanie Touhy lit a candle in memory of Valette Adkins



Stephanie Touhy - April 21 at 03:32 PM



“ keith sibilsky lit a candle in memory of Valette Adkins



keith sibilsky - April 21 at 08:43 AM

Lynn
Johns

“ I only knew Valette a few years, but she grew to be a very good friend. Will miss our time together during quilting at Merry Hearts at church or just sitting by the goldfish pond listening to her many stories and history. RIP my friend. Lynn & Terry Johns and Jodie



Lynn Johns - April 20 at 07:10 PM

KF

We will miss you very much. You welcomed us to Friendship Baptist Church at Lake Sinclair. You made the best corn bread muffins. They were so good. You were a good friend to us & all who you met. Love you & miss you.
Karen & David Foster

Karen Foster - April 21 at 01:53 PM

LM

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



Luther Minor - April 20 at 04:38 PM

VF

“ Vicki Franklin lit a candle in memory of Valette Adkins



Vicki Franklin - April 20 at 03:40 PM

EM

“ *Ellen Mayers lit a candle in memory of Valette Adkins*



Ellen Mayers - April 20 at 10:49 AM