



Virginia "Ginny" Cartwright

December 23, 1922 - June 21, 2025

A MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR MRS. VIRGINIA (GINNY) BARNETT CARTWRIGHT OF MILLEDGEVILLE, GEORGIA WILL BE HELD AT WILLIAMS FUNERAL HOME AT 1670 NORTH JEFFERSON STREET IN MILLEDGEVILLE ON TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 2025, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M. WITH PASTOR MAC ENFINGER OFFICIATING.

VISITATION WITH FAMILY WILL BEGIN AT 10 O'CLOCK A.M. UNTIL THE SERVICE HOUR.

A GRAVESIDE SERVICE WILL BE HELD AT A FUTURE DATE AT KENNESAW MEMORIAL PARK AT 1700 WHITLOCK AVENUE, MARIETTA, GEORGIA.

MRS. CARTWRIGHT PASSED AWAY ON JUNE 21, 2025, AFTER A FULFILLING AND LONG LIFE OF 102 YEARS. SHE WAS BORN ON DECEMBER 23, 1922, AT THE HOME OF HER PARENTS IN STARKVILLE, MISSISSIPPI.

SHE WAS KNOWN FOR HER GENEROSITY, HER INFECTIOUS SMILE, AND HER UNWAVERING DETERMINATION. SHE WAS A MEMBER OF MILLEDGEVILLE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, AND SHARED HER JOY OF KNOWING JESUS CHRIST. SHE LOVED HER FAMILY, AND TRIPS TO THE BEACH AND MOUNTAINS. TRAVELING WITH HER DAUGHTER, SHE

VISITED YOSEMITE, HAWAII, GREECE, AND RODE IN A COVERED WAGON ON THE OREGON TRAIL IN WYOMING. SHE WAS RECENTLY ABLE TO HOLD HER FIRST GREAT GRANDSON, AND DESCRIBED IT AS A PRECIOUS GIFT.

AFTER EARNING DEGREES IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION AND ART AT MISSISSIPPI STATE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, SHE TAUGHT AT SCHOOLS IN MISSISSIPPI, TEXAS, AND VIRGINIA. SHE MET HER HUSBAND OF 54 YEARS WHILE SHE WAS IN COLLEGE AND HE WAS ENLISTED IN THE AIR FORCE. THEY MARRIED IN 1944 AND HAD 2 CHILDREN.

SHE REMEMBERS WELL THE GREAT DEPRESSION, THE JAPANESE ATTACK ON PEARL HARBOR, AND HAVING THE FIRST TV IN HER NEIGHBORHOOD. SHE ALWAYS HAD A STORY TO TELL.

SHE IS PRECEDED IN DEATH BY HER PARENTS, ORA AND CHARLES BARNETT, HER HUSBAND THOMAS CARTWRIGHT, HER SON GARY CARTWRIGHT, AND HER SISTER FRANCES BOOTH.

SHE IS SURVIVED BY DAUGHTER CAROL BALLEW (DAVID), GRANDSON PARKER KEMP (CHRISTINA), GREAT GRANDSON BRADEN KEMP, BROTHER FRANKLIN BARNETT, AND SEVERAL NIECES AND NEPHEWS.

SHE WISHES TO THANK THE STAFF OF THE FELLOWSHIP HOME AT MERIWETHER, AS WELL AS BELOVED CAREGIVERS ANNIE, AMANDA, KITTY, LORI, AND ADDIE.

IN LIEU OF FLOWERS, PLEASE GO OUT AND DO SOMETHING THAT BRINGS YOU REAL JOY AND SHARE IT WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS. OR YOU MAY DONATE TO A CHARITY CLOSE TO YOUR HEART. LET'S

CELEBRATE GINNY'S LIFE JOYFULLY AS SHE WOULD HAVE LIKED.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **24**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Williams Funeral Home & Crematory - Milledgeville
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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory created a Webcast will start approximately 10 minutes before the service in memory of Virginia "Ginny" Cartwright



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - June 24, 2025 at 08:27 AM

AM

“ Queen Ginny is what I always called her❤️ I always told her good morning beautiful when I came into work and I always told her she is tough as nails👊 to know Ginny is a blessing she had a heart of Gold❤️ God truly blessed this soul with a beautiful life even though she is gone her memory will remain here on earth as a blessing👊 love you Queen Ginny



Amanda - June 24, 2025 at 10:37 AM



“ 40 files added to the album Life Tributes



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - June 24, 2025 at 08:43 AM

CH

“ A beautiful photo of a daughter, taking care of the woman who gave her life and took care of her!! RIP sweet Ginny!! ❤️



Catherine Hinshaw - June 23, 2025 at 04:49 PM

DW

“ Dennette williams lit a candle in memory of Virginia Cartwright



Dennette williams - June 23, 2025 at 11:49 AM

MD

“ *She was such a great person. She was very beautiful inside and out. It was my pleasure getting to know her.*



Marticia Donaldson - June 23, 2025 at 09:34 AM

DM

“ *I loved seeing Ms Ginny at the dentist office. Her smile & her presence made my day better. She touched my heart. RIP Ms Ginny. You will be missed.*

Denise Moye - June 21, 2025 at 11:06 PM

AS

“ *I have good memories from the days at the Cottages. Our visit to the Govenor's Mansion at Christmas time was a delightful evening. My heart is heavy for you all. She was so sweet.*



Ann Stewart - June 21, 2025 at 05:15 PM

LC

“ *linda s cheeves lit a candle in memory of Virginia Cartwright*



linda s cheeves - June 21, 2025 at 03:29 PM