



Wilma Jean Kite East

September 4, 1935 - June 28, 2021

Mrs. Wilma Jean Kite East, 85, of Newnan, GA passed away peacefully at Southwest Christian Hospice on June 28, 2021. Wilma was a resident of Newnan since 2017 when she moved here from Panama City Beach, Florida with her late husband, Jesse Hoke East, to be closer to family. She was born in Atlanta, GA on September 4, 1935 to the late William Earl Kite and Clara May Fields. Wilma grew up with her three siblings in College Park, GA. She was a kind and caring person that never met a stranger. If you gave her the chance she would know your life story by the time the conversation was over. Wilma is survived by her daughter Lisa Clair Taylor and son-in-law Bobby Taylor of Newnan, brother James Kite and sister-in-law Sarah Kite of Douglasville, grandson Jason Taylor and wife Courtney Taylor of Sharpsburg, granddaughter Amber Taylor Spradlin of Newnan. Other survivors include her 3 step children Aubrey (Joy) East of Jonesboro, Donna East of Griffin, and Bobby East of Sugar Hill. She was also blessed with several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

The Memorial Service for Wilma will be held at McKoon Funeral Home in Newnan, GA on Thursday, July 1, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. The family will greet friends at the funeral home prior to the service at 10:00 a.m.. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Memory of Wilma Jean Kite East, to Southwest Christian Hospice who took wonderful care of her in her final days. To donate visit www.swchristiancare.org or send directly through the mail to 7225 Lester Road, Union City, GA 30291. They are a non-profit hospice that runs on

donations alone and they do not charge families for the care they provide.
Condolences may be expressed to the family at www.mckoon.com

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Funeral Service

JUL 1. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Wilma Jean Kite East*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - July 01, 2021 at 08:15 AM

DM

“ *I worked with Wilma at Airborne Freight/Express in ATL for several years before I moved to Jacksonville. She was one of the nicest & kindest co-workers I have ever had. She took the time to make sure I understood what I was supposed to do without making me feel stupid. I'm sure she will be sorely missed by her family and friends. So sad she is gone but happy she is no longer in pain and is reunited with her dear Jesse. My prayers go out to her family.*

Debbie Cummins Mahanay - July 06, 2021 at 12:14 PM

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“Dearest person on the planet, Wilma East, as I knew her. Wilma worked with me for two years at ATL airport for a company we called Airborne Freight (later Airborne Express) in the early 80's although I knew her earlier from visits to the ATL office on Willingham Drive. We all looked to her as kind of a surrogate mom. She was full of wisdoms for all the young persons on staff and extremely kind and funny as well. She always cared about the work and the people, I had nothing but admiration and affection for her. Still do. Very sorry to hear she's passed, may GOD bless her spirit. All my love to her and thanking her for everything she did for me back in the day.

Brad - July 02, 2021 at 03:19 PM

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“So sorry to hear the passing of Ms . Wilma. I will never forget you, your a Wonderful Lady! You love going out to eat with us, and we loved you Dearly. You were a very wise lady.

Susan Watson - July 02, 2021 at 10:14 AM

CC

“The LORD thy God in the midst of thee is mighty; he will save, he will rejoice over thee with joy; he will rest in his love, he will joy over thee with singing." Zeph 3:17

It was an honor to serve Wilma and your family during her last days on earth. May the family feel the comfort of God upon you. May the song of the LORD grant comfort to face the future.
Chaplain Horace Cutter, Southwest Christian Care

Chaplain Horace Cutter - June 30, 2021 at 11:40 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Wilma Jean Kite East.*



June 30, 2021 at 10:59 AM



“ *Praying for y'all because Aunt Wilma will be truly missed in your lives. She had a heart of gold and a smile that would light up a room. She was a hard working woman who loved her family so very much!!! We will see you again one day!!* 🌸💜🌸

Debbie Routon - June 30, 2021 at 10:56 AM



“ *I had the pleasure of knowing Ms. Wilma while working at Capt. Anderson's Marina and have to admit she was my favorite!! Her graciousness AND wit made the ticket windows a much more pleasurable place, and her cakes were always delicious!!!*

Michelle Gerth - June 30, 2021 at 10:14 AM



“ *I'm So Sorry For Your Loss, Praying For Your Family And The Strength, She Will Truly Be Missed, She Was One Of My Favorite Resident At The Benton House, I'm Truly Miss Her*



Frances Gay - June 29, 2021 at 05:33 PM