



Ms. Martha Murphy McGouyrk

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Funeral Service for Ms. Martha Murphy McGouyrk, 70, of Alexander City, Alabama, will be Tuesday, June 24, 2025, at 11:00 am at the Family Worship Center. Pastor Tony Harris will officiate. Burial will follow in the Hillview Memorial Park. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, June 24, 2025, from 10:00 am to 11:00 am at Family Worship Center.

Martha Murphy McGouyrk, a beacon of faith and love, departed from this earthly realm to join her Heavenly Father, leaving behind a legacy of generosity and devotion. Martha was a cherished daughter, born to the late Herman Leroy Murphy and Ozelle McCain Murphy, and grew to embody the Christian virtues of kindness and compassion throughout her life.

Martha's journey was shared with her beloved family, who became the cornerstone of her existence. She provided unwavering support as a dedicated military wife and relished in the role of nurturing mother to her children, John M. (Patty) McGouyrk of Ewa Beach, HI, Jennifer M. (Brandon) Andrews, and Stephanie M. (Nick) Brown of Oxford, AL. Her love extended to her grandchildren, Logan Geier, Ashley Andrews, Megan Andrews, Aiden Haworth, Erin Andrews, Laken Brown, Tommy Andrews, Abbie and Cooper Mitchell as well as her great-grandchild, Jackson Singleton, who all brought immense joy and pride into her life.

Martha's siblings, Amanda Murphy Scroggins and Pat (Donna) Murphy, along with her cherished nieces and nephews, Sam (Brad) Spurlin, Dana Murphy, and Michael (Ashleigh) Murphy, will hold dear the memories of her generous spirit. Martha's sister in Christ, Ashley (Eli) Gagne, was a testament to her ability to form deep and lasting spiritual connections. Her departure was preceded by her father, mother, her brother Michael Murphy, and her brother-in-law Larry Scroggins, who have welcomed her into the eternal Kingdom with open arms.

A devout Christian, Martha found solace and strength in her faith, actively participating in the life of the Family Worship Center. Her love for the Lord was evident in every aspect of her life, from the way she cared for her family to the enthusiasm with which she engaged in activities like karaoke, where she often uplifted others with her joyful spirit.

Martha's propensity for helping others knew no bounds. She lived out the teachings of Christ by serving those around her, always placing the needs of others above her own. Her generosity was



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not merely an act of kindness but a fundamental trait that defined her very being.

Those who knew Martha would describe her as a loving presence, a generous soul, and a woman of unwavering faith. Her passing leaves behind a void that can never be filled, but her spirit will continue to inspire all who were blessed to know her. Martha Murphy McGouyrk's legacy will live on through the countless lives she touched with her kindness and the love she poured into her family and community.

As we bid farewell to Martha, we do so with the assurance that she has found peace in the arms of her Savior. Her life was a testament to the power of faith, and her memory will forever be a guiding light for all who follow in her footsteps. We celebrate her life, even as we mourn her passing, knowing that she has been welcomed into eternal glory.

Memories and condolences may be shared at www.radneyfuneralhome.com.

Radney Funeral Home is honored to serve the family of Martha Jane Murphy McGouyrk.



Events

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Visitation


 **Tuesday**, June 24, 2025

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT

 **Family Worship Center**
1676 Sewell St., Alexander City AL 35010

Funeral Service

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Pamela S. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Martha.



June 24 at 9:13 AM



Linda Forbus posted:

Forrest and I always had fun with Martha at karaoke. She loved to sing and was a good singer and she had a wonderful personality. Linda Forbus

June 24 at 5:34 AM



Jimmy Sanford posted:

Sorry for your loss,RIP

June 23 at 11:28 AM



Christina McBride posted:

I know you are singing loud and dancing happily. I know you are with our Father God and His Son, but I will miss you until we meet again.

June 23 at 11:19 AM



Anonymous sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the McGouyrk family.



June 23 at 3:26 AM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Martha.



June 23 at 3:26 AM



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Brenda Grogan lit a candle in honor of Martha.

My prayers go out to all the family.

June 22 at 3:22 PM



Judy S. Wyatt lit a candle in honor of Martha.

June 22 at 6:47 AM



Beverly Tabasky lit a candle in honor of Martha.

June 21 at 5:27 PM



Linda Bailey Smith lit a candle in honor of Martha.

June 21 at 3:40 PM



LS Linda Bailey Smith June 21 at 3:44 PM

Martha Amanda Pat and Mike were childhood friends living across the street from myself and sister Pat. We had a wonderful time together as kids and ran into each other at times as adults. I cherish those times with fondness. She will be missed.



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Pam Henry posted:

I'm so thankful God had it in His plans for us to be family. I've never known life without you in it. Our Thanksgivings will not be the same without your smile and all the other things you brought to our world. I love you and miss you already. I'll especially miss talking to you on Tuesday when we say goodbye to you. Bethany said Gran (Aunt Helon, to you) probably had a chocolate pie when you entered heaven and you didn't even have to hide it! Miss you, cuz!

June 21 at 10:58 AM



Karen Givens June 24 at 8:01 AM

Martha, I am so blessed to have had you in my life these past few years. Our friendship was one-of-a-kind to me! I cherish all the times we went out to eat together. Sometimes it would be you and me, and sometimes with Ashley pband Eli. I will always remember our trip to Dothan (when your car broke down in Eufaula), and the trip to the Botanical Gardens. We lived so close and you would say, "You want me to pick you up, or you pick me up?" So many enjoyable outings with you. Something very dear to my heart was when we became "prayer partners" sharing our hearts and prayers over our family members who are not Christians yet. Then the times that I would be tired from work and you invited me to come over and eat a delicious meal that you had cooked. I miss your voice, your singing, your smile, your conversations, our outings together, meeting and learning about your family. You were the sister I never had. I will remember you always and love you always ❤️ I am looking forward to spending eternity with you in our eternal home. It would be great if we could be next door neighbors.



Betty Adamson lit a candle in honor of Martha.

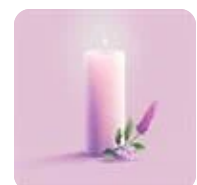
Martha was a sweet and beautiful soul. I first met her on a benefit ride for tornado victims in 2011. We chatted a lot of FB messenger . I loved her laugh and that smile. She had a heart of gold . I will miss my sweet dear friend . Prayers to family and friends !Betty Adamson

June 21 at 9:57 AM



Debra Dunn lit a candle in honor of Martha.

June 21 at 9:56 AM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Martha by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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