



Ms. Cynthia Susan Sykes Harris

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A visitation for Cynthia Susan Sykes Harris, 87 of Chelsea, Alabama will be held on Tuesday, July 22, 2025, from 10:00 am until 11:30 am at Radney Funeral Home. A graveside service will follow at Alexander City Cemetery beginning at 12:00 pm. Michael Abrams will officiate.

Cynthia passed away on Thursday, July 17, 2025. She was born on January 31, 1938, in Montgomery, Alabama to Theodore West Sykes and Minnie Lee Barnett Sykes. She studied Home Economics and graduated from the University of Montevallo in May of 1960. She was married to Calvin Harris on August 7, 1960 (54 years).

She is survived by her brother William (Billy) Madison Sykes, her daughter, Cynthiaanne Harris Morgan; sons, David Mark Harris (Rhonda), and Rodney Alan Harris (Cecilia). She had four grandchildren, Cynthia Joanne Morgan, Kelly Marie Harris Owens (Matt), David Madison (Matt) Harris (Catherine), and Codie Elizabeth Harris. She had two step grandchildren, Mackenzie Brooke Caro (Andrew) and Scott Gilliland (Rachel). She had two great grandchildren, Abigail Faye Owens and Joshua Neil Owens. She is also survived by nieces including Laura Lane (Mike), Teresa Reyes (German), Debra Morgan (Alan), and dear friends the Jones Family, Randy Fowler, Scott Estes, and the McSweeney family.

Cynthia was a schoolteacher at Alexander City Junior High for 25 years, employee of State Farm for 10 years, and a library assistant at Central Alabama Community College for 5 years. She was an active member of the First Baptist Church of Alexander City, an avid Disney fan, and a skilled craftswoman. She loved to read and cook. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend. Her spirit lives on forever in our hearts.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to North Shelby Humane Society, 381 McDow Road, Columbiana, AL, 35051.

Radney Funeral Home is honored to serve the family of Cynthia Harris.



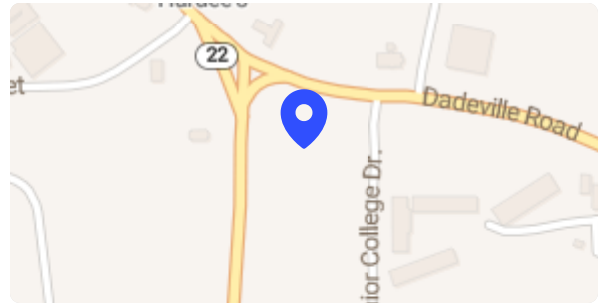
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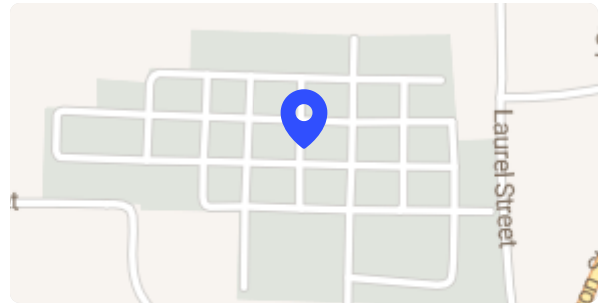
Visitation

- Tuesday**, July 22, 2025
- 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM CT
- Radney Funeral Home**
1326 Dadeville Rd, Alexander City AL 35010



Graveside Service

- Tuesday**, July 22, 2025
- 12:00 PM CT
- Alexander City Cemetery**
297 Parks Ave, Alexander City AL 35011



Cemetery Details

- Alexander City Cemetery**
Alexander City AL 35010





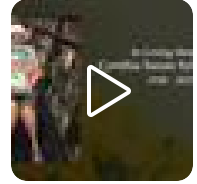
Tribute Wall

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Radney Funeral Home shared a **Video**.



July 21 at 10:22 AM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Cynthia.



July 21 at 7:40 AM



Anonymous sent a Gracious Lavender Basket to the Harris family.



July 21 at 7:40 AM



Dannette posted:

This lady was my second Mom for many years. I spent a lot of time with this family since Cynthia was one of my best friends. She could cook and we always ate good. I will always cherish the good memories I have of those days.

July 21 at 5:43 AM



Judy Forbus July 22 at 11:20 AM

I loved Mrs. Harris so much! I will never forget her being the most wonderful 7th grade science teacher. I always admired her, and she taught me so much! Our families have known each other for a long time so lots of sweet memories! I can still remember walking @ CACC with Mrs. Harris and my Mom and going for a biscuit at Hardee's afterwards! Those are the days! We love you all dearly and will keep you in our prayers! May God continue to bless and keep you in the days ahead! Love, Judy Forbus



Media

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July 21 at 10:22 AM





Memories only last if you share them

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



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