



Marilyn Gayle Christopher

August 28, 1937 - February 21, 2022

Marilyn Gayle Christopher, 84, of Trenton, passed away on Monday, February 21, 2022 at her residence, surrounded by her family.

Mrs. Christopher was retired from the Dade County School System following 30 years of service and was a member of the Hooker Church of Christ. A loving wife, mama, and nanny to her grandson, Christopher, and her “grandkittens” Tiger & Sweetie, she was an avid reader and never had enough books on hand. Marilyn loved her “search-a-word” puzzles, enjoyed her “ball games” and ESPN was her channel of choice. She was preceded in death by her husband, Willis O. Christopher, & parents, Baxter & Nancy Lee Clark.

Left to cherish her memory are her loving children, Vicky (Lloyd) Abercrombie of Ringgold, & DeDe (Jim) Humphrey of Wildwood, GA; grandson, Christopher Williams of Ringgold, GA; several cousins, nieces & nephews.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 26th at 1:00 p.m. in the Ryan Funeral Home chapel with Frank Parker, Johnny Holman, & Steve Holloway officiating. She will be laid to rest at Lake Hills Memorial Gardens.

Please visit her online guestbook at ryanfuneralhome.net to share thoughts & memories.

The family will receive friends on Friday, February 25th from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and Saturday from 11:00 a.m. until the funeral hour at Ryan Funeral Home & Crematory, Trenton, GA.

Cemetery Details

Lake Hills Memorial Gardens

206 Lake Hills Drive
Trenton, GA 30752
(706) 657-4242

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **25**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Marilyn Gayle Christopher*

October 09, 2023 at 03:12 AM

ST

“ *DeeDee and Vickie I am so sorry for you are going through this. Losing your Mom is one of the hardest things you will ever go through, but remember your Daddy was waiting for her on the other side with open arms. I love you both and praying God will give you grace and strength in the coming days He will wrap his arms around both of you. ❤️❤️*

Sue (Clark) Templeton - February 26, 2022 at 09:31 AM

JO

“ *I was fortunate to work with Marilyn at Dade County High school for many years. She was an excellent co-worker: hard-working, conscientious, and always concerned for the students. She was an asset to the school and a valued staff member. She will be missed by many.*

Joy Odom - February 25, 2022 at 04:32 PM

AS

“ *I am so sorry for the loss of your beautiful mother. I know Marilyn through my time at the Hooker Church of Christ with my husband, usually sitting next to her. You are in my thoughts and prayers for comfort as only God can give. God bless. Ann Smithson*

Ann Smithson - February 25, 2022 at 03:10 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Marilyn Gayle Christopher.*



February 24, 2022 at 12:26 PM

KM

“ *Karen and David de Marche' purchased the [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) for the family of Marilyn Gayle Christopher.*

Karen and David de Marche' - February 24, 2022 at 07:53 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Marilyn Gayle Christopher.*



February 23, 2022 at 08:20 PM



“ *Dee Dee, Vicky, and family
I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. I will be praying for comfort for you all during this difficult time.*
Cristal Payne

Cristal Payne - February 23, 2022 at 07:29 PM



“ *Jackie Battles lit a candle in memory of Marilyn Gayle Christopher*



Jackie Battles - February 23, 2022 at 05:08 PM



“ *Marilyn was a friend and a Cousin by marriage but became mine too.*

I will really miss her and our morning phone calls, I love he and the family.

Kat. Newby

Kat. Newby - February 23, 2022 at 02:02 PM



“ *DeDe, we are so very sorry to learn about your loss. We are praying for you and the rest of your family. Byron and Sandy Thompson*

Sandy Thompson - February 23, 2022 at 11:27 AM

BC

“ Praying for the family. Love you, and know we cherish our friendship.

Ronnie & Barbara Castleberry

Barbara Castleberry - February 23, 2022 at 10:44 AM

JR

“ we was in the 9th grade when the consolidated our schools we was at Davis and then move to the Dade county school she was one of the first people that was always friendly because all of us was amperages about things and we have been friends with her family for over 20 years and she was always a good person always real friendly and miss her very much we're praying for Jim and Dede and Vicky and her whole family

James Richard - February 23, 2022 at 09:27 AM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marilyn Gayle Christopher.



February 22, 2022 at 06:48 PM

MP

“ What an awesome lady ! Marilyn and Willis were the best. Love and prayers to the family.

Gary and Marianne Peak

Marianne Peak - February 22, 2022 at 05:37 PM