



Mary H. Ellis Jeffers

October 25, 1934 - March 25, 2021

Mary H. Ellis Jeffers, 86, of Rossville, went home to be with her Lord and Savior on Thursday, March 25, 2021, at her home with her loving family by her side. She was a native of Chattanooga, Tennessee and grew up and lived most of her life in the North Georgia area. She was a member of the Parkway Baptist Temple, where she was the treasurer of the Fellowship Sunday School Class, and a member of the Golden Agers. She retired from S.C.T. Yarns in 2000 after more than 29 years of service as the Packing Supervisor and enjoyed spending time with her family & friends. She was a loving and devoted sister, wife, mother and grandmother that will be truly missed by all who knew her.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Rev. Glenn H. Ellis; children, Lamar Ellis, and Regina Adkins; parents, Marcus and Hattie Fowler; brothers, Lee, Marvin, Junior, Hagar, Alvin, Duffie and sisters, Catherine, Frankie, Martha, and Dobbie.

Survivors include her Husband of more than 18 years, Herb G. Jeffers of Rossville, GA., sons, Ernie Ellis of Rock Spring, GA., and Jonathan Ellis of Chattanooga, Tennessee. Step sons, Perry Jeffers of Huntsville, AL., and Jerry Jeffers of Ringgold, GA. 12 grandchildren, and several great-grandchildren and nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m., Monday, March 29, 2021 in the Fort Oglethorpe Chapel with Rev. Bill Gardner officiating. Burial will follow in the Boydston Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Monday at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to the American Cancer Society at donate3.cancer.org or 1-800-227-2345. Online guest book at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

Cemetery Details

Boydston Community Cemetery

3335 Boydston Road
Chattanooga, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 29. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home-Ft. Oglethorpe Chapel
555 West Cloud Springs Road
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Funeral

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Tribute Wall

GN

“ Dear friends, we're sad to hear about Mary. We were blessed to have her in our lives as a friend and neighbor for many years We will miss her dearly, and we are praying for you all as you grieve her loss and remember all of the special times you had together. Although we can't attend the visitation or funeral, please know you are in our thoughts and prayers now and in the weeks to come. With love, Greg and Kris Nash, and girls.

Greg and Kris Nash - March 29, 2021 at 10:40 AM

MF

“ Deepest sympathy from the members of LifeBridge Christian Church, Decatur Alabama. LifeBridge is the home Church of Perry and Sandra Jeffers. May God be with all of the family members during this time of grief.

Michael Fite - March 28, 2021 at 10:50 PM

PJ

“ So sorry to hear about sweet Mary! She was really a jewel and a classy lady! Her and mother had a lot of good times together!! Now they are having a great time in Heaven walking on streets of gold with Jesus!! We all look forward to seeing them again!! Praying for the family!!

Patricia Jeffery - March 28, 2021 at 03:04 PM

DD

“ Mary taught me A LOT in the short time I knew her. Valuable lessons I didn't realize I needed to learn but ones I will carry with me throughout my life. There has never been anyone else who has made such an impact in my life in such a short amount of time. The most valuable lesson she taught me was not to continually put others happiness & future ahead of my own. it is ok to do it for awhile but to realize I also was deserving of such things. She was instrumental in my decision to finally marry the man I had been dating for years. For this reason, I will be eternally grateful for because it was the best decision I ever made. I truly did care for her & I hope she knew it. My thoughts & prayers are with her family.

Debra Guffey Diffenderfer - March 27, 2021 at 02:56 PM

LP

“ Dear Herb and family,
We are so sorry to hear that your precious wife has passed away. I will never forget the day you came into our business and told me that you had something you wanted to share with me...and that was that you had asked Mary to be your wife!! You had a grin on your face like a little boy!! She was a dear sweet lady and I know she will be missed by all who knew her. My prayer for you and the family is that our loving Lord will wrap His arms around y'all and give you peace and comfort now and in the days ahead...we love you Herb!!
Wayne & Lynn Pruett

Lynn Pruett - March 26, 2021 at 04:16 PM



“ Thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.
Nancy

Nancy Chambers - March 26, 2021 at 11:39 AM

CM

So sorry to hear of Mary's passing. She was such a precious lady that will be missed!

Carolyn Master - March 26, 2021 at 11:57 AM

JY

Beautiful lady and neighbor, kind and soft spoken - prayers for peace and comfort.

Jenny Halpin Yeargan - March 26, 2021 at 05:01 PM

BB

I love Ms. Mary!!! She was always so kind to me at Parkway! She was encouraging to me. She was such a beautiful woman inside and out and she will be missed!! Herb, Ernie and all I will be praying for you in this difficult time. MARY SUCH A LOVELY WONDERFUL PERSON!!!

Brenda Bradshaw - March 27, 2021 at 02:01 AM