



Margie James McCollum

September 28, 1938 - May 6, 2023

Margie Janette James McCollum, 84, went to be with her Lord and Savior on May 6, 2023. Margie was born on Sept. 28, 1938, in Jesup, GA. A loving and dedicated wife, daughter, sister, mother and grandmother, Margie was deeply devoted to spending time with her family, creating community amongst her friends and neighbors, and actively serving in her church.

Wed in 1955 at age 17 to Cecil Edward McCollum Sr. after a whirlwind, months-long romance, they were married for nearly 54 years before Cecil's passing in 2009. They were inseparable, living in places around the globe and across the country during Cecil's U.S.

Army career, then settling in McBean, GA, a place they have called home since 1969. Upon retirement, Margie and Cecil were avid travelers, seeing every state in the U.S. in their RV and many other places via cruise ships.

In addition to the many church programs Margie was involved with at Piney Grove Baptist and previous churches, she was a longtime member of the Alice Warren Chapter #483 Order of the Eastern Star, American Legion Riders Post 178, American Legion Auxiliary 178, National Camping Travelers, Inc., and Patriot Guard Riders. Maker of what her family considers the best biscuits, she enjoyed crochet and crafting, and was the finest canasta partner this side of the Mississippi. She never met a stranger and could converse easily with just about anyone. Affectionately known as Ms. Daisy to riding

buddies, Margie enjoyed rides out on the Harley with her son, Cecil “Iceman” Edward McCollum Jr. and snuggling her fur babies, Socks and Shoes.

In addition to her husband, Margie is preceded in death by her mother, Ruby James; father, Charlie James; brother, Lindy James; and sister, Gloria James Aldridge.

She is survived by sons Cecil Edward McCollum Jr., Augusta; Reverend James Randall (Randy) McCollum and his wife, Theda, Newport News, VA; daughter, Leslie McCollum Mobley and her husband Jeff Mobley, Snellville, GA; sister Debbie Tyre and her husband Hershel Tyre, Jesup, GA; grandchildren Heather Wiederholt, and husband Paul; Hunter McCollum and wife Gabrielle; and Hannah Elise Mobley; and great-grandchildren Anna Wiederholt, Jack Wiederholt, Eden McCollum and Elise McCollum.

A special thank you to the staff at Keysville Nursing Home and Rehabilitation Center for their kind and compassionate care.

There will be a visitation at Chance and Hydrick Funeral Directors (2052 Richmond Hill Road, Augusta) on Friday, May 12, 2023, from 6-8 p.m. Funeral services will be Saturday, May 13, 2023, at 11 a.m. at Piney Grove Baptist Church (5060 Mike Padgett Hwy, Augusta), with interment following at 2:30 p.m. at Hillcrest Memorial Cemetery (2700 Deans Bridge Road, Augusta).

Memorial contributions can be made to St. Jude Hospital (<https://www.stjude.org/promotion/impact-giving-pm.html>).

Chance and Hydrick Funeral Directors, 2502 Richmond Hill Road, Augusta, GA 30906

www.chanceandhydrick.com

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memorial Park

2700 Deans Bridge Rd.
Augusta, GA 30906

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 12. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chance & Hydrick Funeral Directors
2502 Richmond Hill Road
Augusta, GA 30906
(706) 790-8567
info@chanceandhydrick.com
<https://www.chanceandhydrick.com/>

Funeral Service

MAY 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

Piney Grove Baptist Church
5060 Mike Padgett Hwy
Augusta, GA 30906

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.*



May 12, 2023 at 12:38 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.*



May 12, 2023 at 12:37 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.*



May 12, 2023 at 10:53 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.*



May 12, 2023 at 10:47 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.



May 11, 2023 at 12:36 PM



“ Fairfield's Baptist Church Family purchased the Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet for the family of Margie James McCollum.



Fairfields Baptist Church Family - May 11, 2023 at 08:50 AM



“ Stuart & Sharon Deihl purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Margie James McCollum.



Stuart & Sharon Deihl - May 11, 2023 at 08:50 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.



May 10, 2023 at 05:26 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.*



May 10, 2023 at 03:28 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.*



May 10, 2023 at 02:40 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.*



May 10, 2023 at 02:15 PM



“ *Georgia Theatre Company purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Margie James McCollum.*



Georgia Theatre Company - May 10, 2023 at 11:59 AM

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“ Virginia and Harry Syms and Janet purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Margie James McCollum.



Virginia and Harry Syms and Janet - May 09, 2023 at 09:51 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.



May 09, 2023 at 08:44 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Margie James McCollum.



May 09, 2023 at 08:33 PM