



Katie Letson Gregg

February 26, 1933 - February 4, 2025

Katie Letson Gregg, 91, went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, February 4, 2025 after a brief illness. Katie was the daughter of Thomas Paul Letson and Susie Rosser Letson and grew up in McCalla. She was a ballet dancer and she also enjoyed playing the cornet at McAdory High School, the University of Alabama, and later in the Shoals Community Band. She obtained her Master's Degree in Education from Alabama and then moved with her husband, Carlos A. Gregg to Sheffield, AL where he began his career in engineering and she taught fifth and sixth grade until she had children. She then enjoyed being a "domestic engineer" and was active in the community and at Sheffield First United Methodist Church where she made many lifelong friends. She had a passion and gift for visiting those in nursing homes as well as those who were homebound. She was predeceased by her husband, parents, and brothers, Neil Letson, Billy Letson, sister-in-law Patricia Letson and her two son-in-laws Ron Garikes and Dan Dunmire. She is survived by her two daughters Carla Garikes and Susan Dunmire as well as her sister-in-law Tommie Letson. She is also survived by five grandchildren, who delighted in eating the special chocolate cake she made for them, Daniel Dunmire of Oxon Hill, MD, Margaret Dunmire of Birmingham, AL , Gregg Dunmire (Kira) of Orlando, FL, Kathryn Critcher (John) of Sterrett, AL and Laura Riley (Andrew) of Hoover, AL. She was also blessed to have three great grandchildren and many special nieces and nephews. A graveside service celebrating her life will be held Friday, February 7, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. at

Moore Cemetery, 6043 Moore Cemetery Rd. in McCalla. Bessemer Brown Service Funeral Home is handling the arrangements, 1300 4th Avenue North, Bessemer, AL 35020 bessemerbrownfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Moore Cemetery

Moore Cemetery Rd
McCalla, AL 35111

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Previous Events

Graveside Service

FEB 7. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

RE

“ I just heard of Katie’s passing. I can’t begin to express what she meant to me. So many deep, heartfelt conversations about life, politics, relationships with so much wisdom, kindness and laughter. We use to chuckle at how we had the same exact thoughts about so many things. Katie and I were at the gyms together every weekday for 25+ years. She and “the girls” would workout and then sit on the couch for coffee and fellowship. I learned so much about life and true friendships from Katie. I’ve missed those times these past years but have the best memories that will stay with me for a lifetime! Look forward to seeing you again Katie Gregg!!! Rilly

Rilly Elliott - February 14, 2025 at 06:55 AM

AW

“ Carla and Susan, I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your Mother. She was a special lady for sure. Sending you love and prayers for comfort and peace.

Ann Fondren Winborne - February 07, 2025 at 03:44 AM

AF

“ Ann F. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Katie Letson Gregg.

Ann F. - February 07, 2025 at 03:31 AM

SW

“ I have so many memories of Aunt Katie. Growing up we had family get togethers at my grandmothers and Aunt Katie and Uncle Carlos would be there. Katie always made us laugh with her quick wit and humor. She has always been my favorite aunt!

Shelly Wallace - February 06, 2025 at 08:59 PM

TS

“ Turberville sisters-Sharon,Lisa,Tracy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Katie Letson Gregg.

Turberville sisters-Sharon,Lisa,Tracy - February 06, 2025 at 04:31 PM

TS

“ Turberville sisters-Sharon,Lisa,Tracy purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Katie Letson Gregg.



Turberville sisters-Sharon,Lisa,Tracy - February 06, 2025 at 04:31 PM

MA

“ One of my favorite memories of Nana Banana was visiting her near Christmas time. During this time I got to see my cousins, Aunt, and Uncle as well as my Grandfather. We would take turns opening presents while eating my Grandpas homemade Chex Mix recipe as well as fudge. Nana Banana was also determined to keep fit and continued to go to gym five days a week until she was in her mid 80's. The last day I saw her she asked for a hug and told me she loved me. I ended up buying a blue mini cow that was cute that I gave her to cheer her up. She will be dearly missed.

Maggie - February 06, 2025 at 03:11 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Katie Letson Gregg.



February 06, 2025 at 02:08 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Katie Letson Gregg.

February 06, 2025 at 02:08 PM



“ Genna, Christie, Zach & Noah purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Katie Letson Gregg.



Genna, Christie, Zach & Noah - February 06, 2025 at 12:54 PM



“ Love Jo & Bill Critcher purchased the Pretty Pleasure for the family of Katie Letson Gregg.



Love Jo & Bill Critcher - February 06, 2025 at 11:02 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Katie Letson Gregg.*



February 06, 2025 at 09:24 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Katie Letson Gregg.

February 06, 2025 at 09:24 AM



“ *Carla, Susan and family. Sandra and I were so sorry to see your Mom had passed. We have lots of fond memories of her. She was such a sweet lady and wonderful neighbor. Our prayers are with you.....Jim Pride*

Jim Pride - February 06, 2025 at 06:48 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Katie Letson Gregg.

February 05, 2025 at 05:47 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Katie Letson Gregg.*



February 05, 2025 at 05:47 PM

LF

“ Love, Neil Letson Family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Katie Letson Gregg.



Love, Neil Letson Family - February 05, 2025 at 04:24 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Katie Letson Gregg.

February 05, 2025 at 02:53 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Katie Letson Gregg.



February 05, 2025 at 02:53 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Katie Letson Gregg.



February 05, 2025 at 02:38 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Katie Letson Gregg.

February 05, 2025 at 02:38 PM

LR

“ My Nana would always say “love one another” and I now say that to my own children. She lives on in each of our hearts in several of these small sacred ways. We miss you Nana (and Gnana to my littles).

Laura Riley - February 05, 2025 at 12:30 PM

PB

I share your loss. Katie was a long time special friend that I was fortunate to know. I am now blessed with many special memories as I am sure all of you are. Love and prayers to all the family. Peggy Bowling

Peggy Bowling - February 05, 2025 at 03:19 PM