



Sherry S Rice

September 14, 1957 - June 1, 2026

Sherry Stephens Rice, age 68, of Woodstock, Alabama, passed away unexpectedly on Monday, June 1, 2026. Funeral services will be held Friday, June 5, 2026, at McCalla Memorial Funeral Home, with visitation from 12:00 PM until 1:00 PM, followed by the funeral service at 1:00 PM. Burial will follow at Tuscaloosa Memorial Park. Sherry was preceded in death by her beloved daughter, Katherine Rice Turner, and her father, Morris Eugene Stephens. She is survived by her husband, Benjamin Michael “Mike” Rice of Woodstock, Alabama; daughters, Jennifer Rice Spearman (David) of Hoover, Alabama, and Amanda Michelle Rice of Atlanta, Georgia; grandchildren, Bennett Lee Turner, Michaela Katherine Rice, and Jack Michael Spearman; mother, Juanita Shaw Pinkard of Centreville, Alabama; mother-in-law, Nettie Elizabeth Lagrone of Centreville, Alabama; and numerous extended family members and friends who will miss her dearly. Sherry was born on September 14, 1957, in Bessemer, Alabama, to Morris Eugene Stephens and Juanita Shaw Stephens. She devoted her life to her family and was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, daughter, and friend. Her family was always at the center of her world, and she found her greatest joy in spending time with those she loved. More than anything, Sherry cherished her role as “Gigi.” Bennett, Michaela, and Jack brought immeasurable joy to her life, and she treasured every moment spent with them. While Sherry’s family finds comfort in knowing she is with her Savior and reunited with her beloved daughter, Katie, her absence leaves an immeasurable void in the hearts of those who loved her. Though

her passing leaves a tremendous loss, her legacy of love, strength, and devotion will continue through her family and all who were blessed to know her. She will be remembered always and loved forever.

Cemetery Details

Tuscaloosa Memorial Park

5434 Old Tuscaloosa Hwy
Tuscaloosa, AL 35404

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 5. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

McCalla Memorial Funeral Home
4780 Letson Farms Parkway
P.O. Box 629
McCalla, AL 35111
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Funeral Service

JUN 5. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to hear of Sherry's passing but I know she is in the arms of Jesus. My prayers are with you, Brother Mike and your beautiful family, Mrs. Juanita, and Mrs. Elizabeth. I know there is a void in your lives but God is with you. Due to circumstances I can not attend the services today but know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. We enjoyed our time with you at birthday parties, graduation, and other special events. We love you. Lynn and Bobby Leach, Peyton and Bailie

Lynn Leach - June 05 at 12:18 PM

GB

“ I knew Mike and Sherry in the early eighties, when we were young and our families were just beginning. They are dear people. I love them and I pray that Mike and the girls will find grace sufficient in these weeks to come. Many blessings to them.

Gary L. Brown - June 05 at 10:09 AM

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“ Love: Poh, Stacy and Caleb Lim purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Sherry S Rice.



Love: Poh, Stacy and Caleb Lim - June 04 at 03:13 PM

PS

“ So many sweet and funny memories with Sherry and the Rice family . Family vacations, church, and true friendship. Those vacations at Outdoor Resort Gatlinburg will always be my favorite. Bicycle mishaps (Sherry) Purses getting left at a church we were rushing to get out of. Our pancake breakfast. Halloween with our kids..Birthday parties and just being friends. I will miss you my friend..❤️ Love you always

Pamela Slocumb - June 04 at 02:15 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Sherry S Rice.



June 04 at 01:54 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Sherry S Rice.

June 04 at 01:54 PM



“ Glorious Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sherry S Rice.



June 04 at 01:14 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Sherry S Rice.

June 04 at 01:14 PM



“ Bonnie Parker and Todd Spinello purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Sherry S Rice.



Bonnie Parker and Todd Spinello - June 04 at 11:40 AM



“ Bonnie Parker and Todd Spinello planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sherry S Rice.

Bonnie Parker and Todd Spinello - June 04 at 11:40 AM



“ From Stephanie, April, and CGI friends purchased the In Heaven's Arms Bouquet for the family of Sherry S Rice.



From Stephanie, April, and CGI friends - June 03 at 04:57 PM



“ Customer Technology Solutions Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sherry S Rice.

Customer Technology Solutions Team - June 03 at 02:50 PM

CT

“ *Customer Technology Solutions Team purchased the Summer's Light Bouquet for the family of Sherry S Rice.*



Customer Technology Solutions Team - June 03 at 02:50 PM

PT

“ *PD Technology Leadership Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sherry S Rice.*

PD Technology Leadership Team - June 03 at 02:15 PM

PT

“ *PD Technology Leadership Team purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Sherry S Rice.*



PD Technology Leadership Team - June 03 at 02:15 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Sherry S Rice.*



June 03 at 01:35 PM