



Glenda Faye Finley Gantt

February 14, 1942 - January 4, 2021

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Pickens, South Carolina

Glenda Faye Finley Gantt, age 78 of Pickens, passed away on January 4th, 2021 at Cottingham Hospice House due to complications from a previous heart attack.

Glenda, better known as Chinna to those who loved and knew her well, was born on February 14th, 1942 in Pickens, South Carolina. She graduated from Pickens High School in 1961 and spent most of her life working as a receptionist.

At age 34, when tragedy struck the family, Chinna took in her brother's children 2 nieces and 2 nephews; Roger Finley, Tammy Trotter, Mickey Finley, and Dawn Finley.

Raising her from age 9, Chinna became remarkably close with Dawn, even helping to raise Dawn's two girls Brittany and Lauren like her own grandchildren.

Chinna spent most of her free time with family and friends. She was a member of Blue Ridge View Baptist Church and a lover of gospel music and

the Gather Vocal Band.

She is survived by her daughter Dawn Finley and granddaughters Brittany and Lauren Williams. Her nephew Roger Finley (and wife Zane Finley), niece Tammy Trotter (and husband Keith Trotter), and nephew Mickey Finley (and wife Glenda Finley).

Other close loved ones she wanted to be mentioned are her niece Lisa Elkins, her great-nephew Austin Mulkey, and her life-long friend Patsy Martin.

She is preceded in death by her parents Raymond & Ada Finley, 3 brothers, and 4 sisters. She was the last of her siblings to pass.

A family hosted visitation will be held Saturday, January 16th, 2021 from 1-2 pm. The memorial service will follow at 2 pm with Pastor Stuart Houston officiating the service. Visitation and memorial service will be held at Blue Ridge View Baptist Church located at 745 Wolf Creek Road, Pickens, SC 29671.

Memorials may be sent to the family at 123 Sharky Drive, Easley, SC 29640.

The family would like to thank the Cottingham Hospice House and the around the clock nurses that helped make Chinna extremely comfortable in her final weeks.

The family also wishes to extend our sincere thanks for all expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness shown during this hard time.

Mountain View Funeral Home is serving the Gantt family.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Blue Ridge View Baptist Church
745 Wolf Creek Rd
Pickens, SC 29671

Memorial Service

JAN 16. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Rest In Peace for a life well led. Without doubt, she is now in paradise. It's difficult to celebrate this, but only because you will miss her daily presence.
When I get there, I'm expecting some Chinna spaghetti and sweet tea.

David Williams - January 09, 2021 at 12:55 AM

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“ Glenda was a lovely, caring person. I enjoyed working with her at Saco Lowell. She will be missed. Will keep your family in prayer.

April Martin - January 08, 2021 at 07:40 PM

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“ Irmgard Alexander lit a candle in memory of Glenda Faye Finley Gantt



Irmgard Alexander - January 07, 2021 at 09:37 PM

AG

Another member of the Mill Hill "gang" has made her last journey. Glenda thanks for the memories. Ann Slatton Gillespie

Ann Slatton Gillespie - January 10, 2021 at 03:36 PM

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Glenda and sister Judy along with other family members are united once again! Miss our Mill Hill friends! Sandra Slatton Hunter

Sandra Hunter - January 11, 2021 at 11:47 AM