



Susan O. Earls

July 27, 1967 - February 17, 2025

Susan Olivia Earls was born July 27, 1967 to Wilton Earls and the late Katie Lee Earls in Gainesville, GA. She departed this life on February 17, 2025.

She was preceded in death by her mother Mrs. Katie Lee Earls and her grandparents, the late Mathew and Stella Mae Buffington, and Will and Clifford Earls.

Susan Olivia Earls grew up with strong ties to the community in Hall County as a respected scholar and student-athlete. She went on to help lead the East Hall High School women's basketball team, Lady Vikings, to the state championship game during her junior year.

After high school, she went on to obtain her associate's degree from UNG in 1989. With a passion for both business management, people, and hospitality, she started working at Holiday Inn in Gainesville in the early 90s in guest services. She later transferred to Holiday Inn Suwanee in the late 90s and with parent company, IHG, she joined the corporate team as the New Hotel Start-up Coordinator. She worked there for over a decade and in 2012 she left the hotel business, and started working at Northside Hospital in the billing department, where she was a faithful employee until her passing.

She was a lot of things but the most important characteristic to her was that

she was a daughter of Christ. She was a firm believer in the power of God and the Holy Spirit's ability to transform us. In 1999, she joined Salem Missionary Baptist Church in Lilburn, Georgia and on June 10, 2017 she received a Certificate of Completion from Salem Missionary Baptist Church School of Ministry. At Salem, she enthusiastically served on the ASL ministry as she was very passionate about sign language, and connecting with others in this special way, committed to helping the hearing impaired receive the word of God.

She was a loving family woman who was the youngest of four children, leaving to cherish her memories her father Wilton Earls, brothers, Gary (Lynn) Earls, and Jerry Earls, and sister, Linda (David) Clark, and sister-in-law of 16 years Liza Lofton. She was a doting aunt and referred to being an aunt as a "charge from God" that she did not take lightly as she deeply loved her 8 nieces and nephews, and 14 great nieces and nephews. She was also a beloved niece, cousin, and dear friend to many.

Though battling a prolonged illness herself, her primary focus consistently remained on her ministry, family, and her faith. Susan was a beacon of light who was full of wisdom, sass, humor, and beauty inside and out and will be truly missed and forever cherished by her entire family and friends.

Cemetery Details

Alta Vista Cemetery

521 Jones Street
Gainesville, GA 30501

Previous Events

Viewing

FEB 21. 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Wimberly Funeral Home
325 Summitt St SE
Gainesville, GA 30501
(770) 536-3251
info@wimberlyjackson.com
<https://www.wimberlyjacksonfuneralhome.com>

Receiving Friends

FEB 21. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Rucker Memorial Baptist Church
2551 Floyd Rd
Gainesville, GA 30507

Funeral Service

FEB **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Salem Baptist Church
4700 Church St NW
Lilburn, GA 30048

Tribute Wall

KG

“ I’m so sorry to hear of this, Earls family your in my prayers, I went to East Hall with Susan and she was a friend of mine. May God give you peace during this difficult time.

Kim (Bryant) Gerrin - May 17, 2025 at 01:31 AM

WT

“ Wanda Tabor-Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls



Wanda Tabor-Jenkins - February 25, 2025 at 11:10 AM

BL

“ Bernadine Lowe lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls



Bernadine Lowe - February 24, 2025 at 07:10 PM

GB

“ Gail Buffington-Yarbrough lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls



Gail Buffington-Yarbrough - February 23, 2025 at 10:13 PM

KS

“ *Kaye Sanderson lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Kaye Sanderson - February 22, 2025 at 12:36 AM

MB

“ *Michelle Bell lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Michelle Bell - February 21, 2025 at 04:11 PM

AR

“ *My sincere condolences to the entire Earls Family. Praying that Gods strength, comfort peace & love keep you during your time of bereavement. 🙏🏻🙏🏻 Anita Johnson Reid*



Anita Johnson Reid - February 21, 2025 at 01:06 PM

DB

“ *Daphne Brownlee lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Daphne Brownlee - February 21, 2025 at 12:18 PM

CF

“ *Cleo Williams & Family lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Cleo Williams & Family - February 21, 2025 at 11:29 AM

EH

“ *Elaine Holland sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Elaine Holland - February 21, 2025 at 10:58 AM

BL

Susan you will be miss, praying for the family 🙏👉

Bernadine Lowe - February 24, 2025 at 07:09 PM


KB

“ *Kimberly Brown lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Kimberly Brown - February 21, 2025 at 10:31 AM

NN

“ *Lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls
My most sincere condolences to the Earls
Family
May God grant you comfort, understanding,
peace, and strength during this difficult time* 



Natalie D. Niles - February 21, 2025 at 09:51 AM

SJ

“ *Star Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of
Susan O. Earls*



Star Johnson - February 20, 2025 at 10:02 PM

SJ

“ *Star Johnson lit a candle in memory of Susan
O. Earls*



Star Johnson - February 20, 2025 at 10:02 PM

LS

“ *So sorry for your loss prayers and
condolences to the family.
McCrary Family*



Lorraine Shields - February 20, 2025 at 08:43 PM

ND

“ NORTHSIDE RADIOLOGY SCHEDULING DEPT. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Susan O. Earls.



NORTHSIDE RADIOLOGY SCHEDULING DEPT. - February 20, 2025 at 02:15 PM

ND

“ NORTHSIDE RADIOLOGY SCHEDULING DEPT. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Susan O. Earls.

NORTHSIDE RADIOLOGY SCHEDULING DEPT. - February 20, 2025 at 02:15 PM

GM

“ Gloria Maddox sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan O. Earls



Gloria Maddox - February 20, 2025 at 01:51 PM

TU

“ Tonette Underwood lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls



Tonette Underwood - February 20, 2025 at 09:02 AM

CN

“ Sending my condolences to the family for peace and love in the name of Jesus 🙏🌸🕊️



Cheryl Ndofor - February 19, 2025 at 08:48 PM

CH

“ Candace Hudson lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls



Candace Hudson - February 19, 2025 at 08:05 PM



“ Condolences to the Family My sweet neighbor



Kimbler Hunter Pena - February 19, 2025 at 06:39 PM

MM

“ Mary Moore lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls



Mary Moore - February 19, 2025 at 02:26 PM

ML

“ Marion Lott lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls



Marion Lott - February 19, 2025 at 02:15 PM

JM

“ Joyce Mitchell sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan O. Earls



Joyce Mitchell - February 19, 2025 at 12:42 PM

AL

“ Ann Lewis-Morrow sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan O. Earls



Ann Lewis-Morrow - February 19, 2025 at 06:08 AM

PH

“ Paulette Hendrix-Owens sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan O. Earls



Paulette Hendrix-Owens - February 18, 2025 at 11:38 PM

M.

“ *Mary .oore lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Mary .oore - February 18, 2025 at 10:14 PM

DC

“ *Deborah Collins lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Deborah Collins - February 18, 2025 at 09:07 PM

DC

R.I.P. 🌸🌹🌹

Deborah Collins - February 18, 2025 at 09:08 PM

LS

“ *Lisa Lynn Holmes Smith lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Lisa Lynn Holmes Smith - February 18, 2025 at 09:05 PM

PJ

“ *My Deepest Condolences to the family thoughts and prayers are with you all* 🍷🙏🍷



Pamela Jackson - February 18, 2025 at 07:49 PM

TJ

“ *Toni Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Toni Johnson - February 18, 2025 at 07:39 PM

RH

“ *Regina Harris sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Regina Harris - February 18, 2025 at 06:22 PM

DB

“ *Deanna Burris-Rucker sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan O. Earls*



Deanna Burris-Rucker - February 18, 2025 at 06:14 PM

AC

“ April Coleman lit a candle in memory of Susan O. Earls



April Coleman - February 18, 2025 at 05:45 PM

AC

“ April Coleman sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan O. Earls



April Coleman - February 18, 2025 at 05:45 PM

ER

“ Elisa B. Ratliff sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan O. Earls



Elisa B. Ratliff - February 18, 2025 at 04:10 PM