



## Carolyn Compton Thompson

July 21, 1931 - February 3, 2026

Carolyn Compton Thompson, aged 94, of Athens, passed away peacefully at her residence on Tuesday, February 3rd, 2026. Born on July 21st, 1931, in Athens, she was the beloved daughter of Joe L. and Julia McClanhan Compton.

Mrs. Thompson's legacy is carried on by her loving family. She is survived by her daughters, Renea Rupp (Jimmy) and Lisa Bowen (Lee). Her cherished grandchildren include Whitney Kennedy (Jeff), Jacob Rupp (Jeana), Logan Cotton (McKenzie), Joseph Bowen, and Sarah Bowen. She was also the proud great-grandmother of Jackson Rupp, Carley Kennedy, Rylie Cotton, and Carter Cotton. Beyond immediate family, she was deeply loved by many nieces, nephews, and friends.

She is predeceased by her parents, Joe and Julia Compton, and her husband of 59 years, Leatus Thompson.

Friends and family are invited to honor Mrs. Thompson's memory during a visitation on Thursday, February 5th, 2026, from 6:00 to 8:00 PM at Limestone Chapel Funeral Home. A funeral service will be held on Friday at 12:00 PM at the same location, with Clint Coffey officiating. She will be laid to rest at Roselawn Cemetery. Barry Thompson, Jeff Thompson, Jacob Rupp, Jackson Rupp, Jeff Kennedy, and Logan Cotton, her grandsons and nephews, will be

serving as pallbearers, with Tony Compton as an honorary pallbearer.

Mrs. Thompson was a remarkable lady, known for her kindness and warmth. Her presence will be missed by all who knew and loved her, leaving behind a legacy of love and cherished memories.

# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Cemetery

523 US Hwy 31 South  
Athens, AL 35611

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 5. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Limestone Chapel Funeral Home  
322 Hwy. 31 N.  
Athens, AL 35611  
(256) 232-1051  
info@limestonechapel.com  
<https://www.limestonechapel.com/>

## Funeral Service

FEB 6. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

BS

“ Brenda, Keith and Sonda planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carolyn Compton Thompson.

Brenda, Keith and Sonda - February 05 at 12:09 PM

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“ Brenda, Keith and Sonda purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Carolyn Compton Thompson.



Brenda, Keith and Sonda - February 05 at 12:09 PM

GF

“ Gen-Co Family purchased the Sweet Solace Spray for the family of Carolyn Compton Thompson.



Gen-Co Family - February 05 at 12:01 PM

GF

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HG

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for family and loved ones during this difficult time.

Harriette Glover - February 05 at 11:21 AM

LF

“ Love The Lovell Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carolyn Compton Thompson.

Love The Lovell Family - February 04 at 06:03 PM

LF

“ Love The Lovell Family purchased the Beautiful i n Blue for the family of Carolyn Compton Thompson.



Love The Lovell Family - February 04 at 06:03 PM

BS

“ She was a really sweet lady with a warm, welcoming heart, who knew how to show out on some country cooking. My favorite might still be the fried cornbread!

Brennen Shores - February 04 at 04:28 PM

CV

“ Cindy Moore Vinson lit a candle in memory of Carolyn Thompson



Cindy Moore Vinson - February 04 at 02:51 PM