



Denis Keith Shelley

June 14, 1952 - February 21, 2026

Denis Keith Shelly, 73 of Athens, passed away on Saturday, February 21st, 2026, at Grandview Medical Center, in Birmingham, Alabama. Mr. Shelley was born on June 14th, 1952, to Elmer Shelley, Sr. and Betty Lou Ballard Shelley.

Mr. Shelley is survived by his wife Lois Shelley; son Justin Shelley; brothers Elmer Shelley and Richard Shelley (Cindy); sister Denise Kroech (Joe); and a host of nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents.

A Celebration of Life will be held at Lake Ida in Athens, on April 4th, 2026, from 12:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Mr. Shelley will be missed by all those who knew and loved him.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR 4. 12:00 PM (CT)

Lake Ida Cafe and Fine Arts
101 Lindsey Lane South
Athens, AL 35613

Tribute Wall

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“ I remember when he always used to give me more chances then i needed when we were on the bus and i used to get mad but now that he’s gone forever i miss him so much. #IMr.ds

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“ TO THE FAMILY: "For this is what the High and Lofty One says, who lives forever and whose name is holy: I reside in the high and holy place, but also with those crushed and lowly in spirit, to revive the spirit of the lowly and to revive the heart of those being crushed." Isaiah 57:17.

Janice Pulley - February 23 at 07:30 AM