



Maria Denise Etter-Collins

May 16, 1955 - March 28, 2022

Maria Denise Etter-Collins, 66 of Athens, passed away on Monday, March 28th, 2022, at her residence. Denise was born on May 16th, 1955, to Don and Dorothy Etter.

Denise was a loving mother, sister, wife and friend to many. She was a hippie at heart and had a great love for her husband, good music and her puppy dogs. Her positive attitude and grace, even in the face of uncertainty will never be forgotten.

Denise is survived by her husband Charles Collins; children Travis Cosby, Justin Spence, and Jessie Spence; parents Don and Pauline Etter; siblings Viki Juzwiak and Steve Childress; many step children and adopted children whom she loved dearly.

She was preceded in death by her mother Dorothy Etter and siblings Jeffery and Don Etter.

A memorial gathering will be held on Saturday April 2, 2022 honoring her life

and the many lives that she touched. A private visitation for the family will begin at 3:30 PM followed by open visitation beginning at 4:00 PM and continuing until 7:00 PM

If you would like to donate to a charity in her honor, please consider donations to <http://limestonepets.org/website/donate.php>

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 2. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall

DK

“ *Donna Kane lit a candle in memory of Maria Denise Etter-Collins*



Donna Kane - April 02, 2022 at 11:48 AM



“ *Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Maria Denise Etter-Collins.*



March 31, 2022 at 12:17 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Maria Denise Etter-Collins.*



March 30, 2022 at 08:48 PM

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“ *Susie & Lewis purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Maria Denise Etter-Collins.*



Susie & Lewis - March 30, 2022 at 05:30 PM

JS

“ 1 file added to the album Mom



Jessie Spence - March 30, 2022 at 01:56 PM

MG

*Today you are on my mind & forever in my heart. Denise you were my VERY BEST FRIEND in the world and I will always love you. Because of you my life changed for the better and for that I will forever be thankful. Not a day goes by that I don't take a minute and remember the way you would greet me Hey Buddy whatcha doing? I can close my eyes and still hear you. I love you Denise. Till I see you again I'll hold you in my heart forever
Loving you always, Melinda*

Melinda Greenwood - May 14, 2025 at 07:30 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Maria Denise Etter-Collins.*



March 29, 2022 at 07:15 PM