



Ruby Jo Dunnavant

November 25, 1931 - December 1, 2021

Ruby Jo Dunnavant of Athens, AL passed away peacefully at her home on December 1, 2021. Visitation will be at Limestone Chapel Funeral Home on Tuesday, December 7th, from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m. Funeral services will follow at 2:00 p.m. with Debbie Eubanks officiating. Burial will follow at Athens City Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Marvin Putman, Pete Delay, Ramin Ghadimi, Justin Ghadimi, Emily Ghadimi, and Noah Ghadimi.

She is survived by her daughter, Mary Jo Ghadimi and husband Robert; three grandchildren, Ramin Ghadimi and wife Jill, Justin Ghadimi, and Emily Ghadimi; nephew, Pete Delay and wife Katherine; niece, Cheri Delay; and three great-grandchildren, Noah Ghadimi, Breeze Ghadimi, and Zora Ghadimi.

Mrs. Dunnavant is preceded in death by her husband, James Ellis Dunnavant; son, Anthony Dunnavant; parents, Thomas and Lacy Pettus; and sisters, Anna Dew Townsend, Iva Delay.

Ruby Jo was a graduate of the University of North Alabama with a B. S. degree in Education. She retired after thirty years as an elementary school teacher for Athens City Schools and was fondly remembered by countless former students. She enjoyed an active retirement running her beauty shop, sewing, reading, and gardening. She and her husband also spent quality time

in their retirement restoring and collecting antiques, and volunteering with Donnell House and The Salvation Army. She was a member of Ardmore United Methodist Church. She will be missed by all who knew her.

Cemetery Details

Athens City Cemetery

598 Washington St E
Athens, AL 35611

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 7. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Limestone Chapel Funeral Home
322 Hwy. 31 N.
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Funeral Service

DEC 7. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

JB

“ *Jeremy and Amber Boyd purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ruby Jo Dunnavant.*



Jeremy and Amber Boyd - December 06, 2021 at 01:08 PM

RD

“ *Jo (and Ellis) will be greatly missed as I travel north on I-65 and "wave as I pass" the place. They were great friends for more than 50 years. Mary Jo and family: very sorry for your loss. Randall Dyer*

Randall Dyer - December 04, 2021 at 05:11 PM

MB

“ *Marvin, Irene, Sara, Joey and boys purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Ruby Jo Dunnavant.*



Marvin, Irene, Sara, Joey and boys - December 04, 2021 at 10:17 AM

SH

“ *I am so sorry about the passing of Ruby Jo. My grandfather, Mack Daniel, was Ellis's 1st cousin. I know he thought a lot of both Ruby Jo and Ellis. Please know you are all in my prayers!*

Sharon Daniel Ham - December 03, 2021 at 09:38 PM