



Alba Burton Melton

December 10, 1944 - January 29, 2022

Melton – Alba Burton Melton, age 77 of Jefferson, GA formally of Dacula, GA passed away on Saturday, January 29, 2022. A Memorial Service will be held at 3:00 PM on Saturday, February 19, 2022, in the Lawrenceville Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home. Visitation will be held from 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM prior to the service. She graduated from Dacula High School where she played basketball. Alba was the former owner of Oak Grove Child Development Center and Ramblin Ranch Learning Center both located in Lawrenceville. She currently worked beside her daughter LaNita at Fort Daniel Children’s Academy where she continued to touch the lives of children and their families. Alba had a very giving heart accompanied by a big personality; she never met a stranger. She will be deeply missed by those who knew and loved her. She is preceded by her parents Waymon and Vera Harrison Mitchell, husband Clarence Melton, brothers, Charles Mitchell, Dewey Mitchell, and Dorsey Mitchell. Alba is survived by her daughter & son-in-law, LaNita and Gary Ricks, son & daughter-in-law, Todd and Eve Burton, daughter & son-in-law, Lynnette and Micah Ross, daughter, Daphne Melton, sister & brother-in-law, Bernice and Loy Whitley, 13 grandchildren and 2 great granddaughters. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to www.komen.org or www.qualitycareforchildren.org. Arrangements handled by Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 300 Simonton Road SW, Lawrenceville, Georgia 30046. 770-962-3100. Please sign the online guest registry at www.stewartfh.com

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 19. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road SW
Lawrenceville, GA 30046

memorial service

FEB 19. 3:00 PM (ET)

Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road, S.W.
Lawrenceville, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Alba Burton Melton*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - February 17, 2022 at 12:17 PM



“ *Alba Burton Melton*

October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM

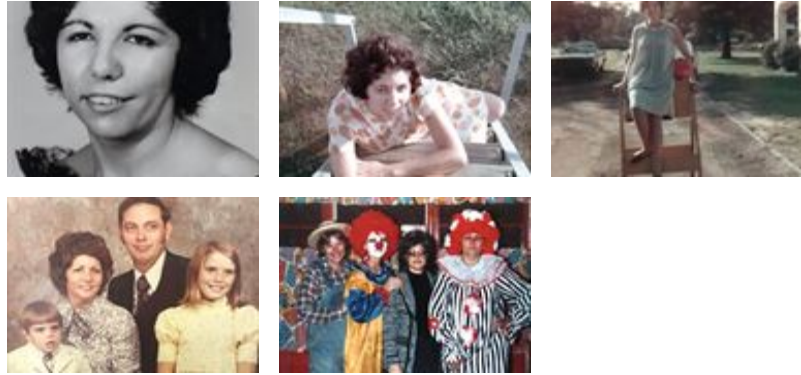


“ *Ms. Burton touched the lives of so many! My mom worked for her when she had the daycare in downtown Lawrenceville and the first one she had on Buford Drive. Ms. Burton was so good to our family and made sure we did not do without. She even let my mom borrow her big yellow car to take to Tennessee so my mom could visit her brother and sisters. She was truly an angel on earth! My mom passed last March; she thought the world of Ms. Burton! My deepest condolences to her family.*

Joyce Gobble Martin - February 18, 2022 at 03:21 PM



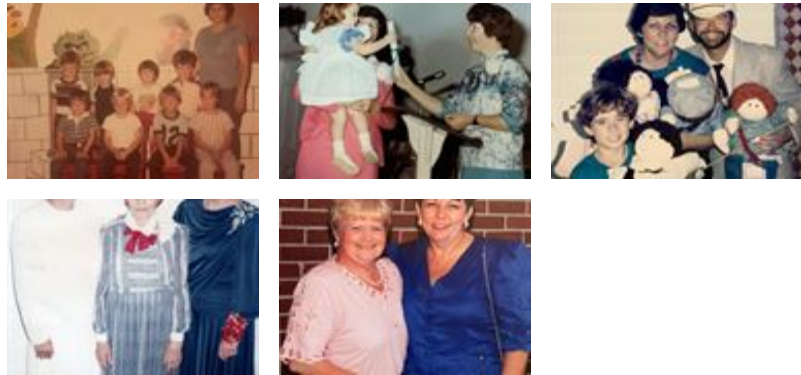
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Tim Stewart Funeral Home - February 18, 2022 at 11:08 AM



“ 16 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - February 17, 2022 at 11:45 AM



“ *Ms. Alba will be missed. One of the kindest souls I have ever met She touched so many people with her kind heart. ..Prayers for the family*
Chris, Nicole Foster and Family

Nicole Foster - February 17, 2022 at 10:17 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Alba Burton Melton.*



February 16, 2022 at 08:54 PM



“ *Alba touched so many lives in so many ways. Her kind heart and loving soul brought joy to all of us who knew her.*

Tina Boyle

Tina Boyle - February 16, 2022 at 02:50 PM



“ *Alba was one of the most caring people I have ever encountered. She will be truly missed. Russ Strickland and family!*

Russell Scott Strickland - February 16, 2022 at 01:00 PM



“ *54 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - February 15, 2022 at 04:06 PM

TF

“ *The Griffin Brooks Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Alba Burton Melton.*



The Griffin Brooks Family - February 14, 2022 at 11:51 AM

LJ

“ *Our family and children were blessed by her daily. What a fun and loving woman! From dressing Trish in an Easter dress and hat because I forgot picture day to showing up on the door step as Mrs. Santa Claus. The big hugs and humor will always be a part of our lives.*

David, Laura, Brenden, Trish and Nicole Jenkins

Laura Jenkins - February 14, 2022 at 08:09 AM



“ *"On Angel's Wings" Sympathy Gift Wind Chime to Send for Funeral Or Memorial was purchased for the family of Alba Burton Melton.*



February 13, 2022 at 12:49 PM

SM

“ I am very sorry for the loss of your dear Alba. My first job was with Ramblin Ranch Day Care Center. Alba loved children, and I knew she loved me. I have precious memories with your mom. They all make me smile. My heart is heavy with you during this most difficult time.

Sandra Brooks-McCravy

Sandra McCravy - February 10, 2022 at 09:38 AM

KW

“ I will always cherish Ms. Melton's memory, she has taught me so much and was a true mentor to me. RIP beautiful lady ❤️

Kerry Walker - February 07, 2022 at 02:19 PM

DH

“ Alba was one of the most caring people I have ever encountered. She will be truly missed. My thoughts and prayers are with her family and loved ones.


Debbie Henson - February 01, 2022 at 02:51 PM

DH

“ Sorry for your loss Todd

Doug Henry - January 31, 2022 at 01:00 PM

BM

Very sorry for your loss!!
Alba was always friendly and kind. We will be praying for all the Family


Barbara Mahaffey - January 31, 2022 at 05:24 PM

BM

“ So sorry to hear of Alba's passing . We went to schoolmate years together. She was always very happy and willing to help others. She leaves good memories for everyone to lean on. May you find peace in the memories and the Lord. He is the maker that we lean on. God Bless each of you. Alba's friend Barbara Etheridge McDaniel

Barbara and Jackie McDaniel - January 31, 2022 at 11:02 AM

PG

“ I am so very sorry to hear about your precious, beautiful mother. She was one of the most beautiful, caring, and generous ladies I have ever met. She helped so many, many children throughout her lifetime and the contributions she made to the day care for children will never be forgotten. She will be missed by so many. I will never forget her sense of humor and how she could just make anyone feel better by just talking to her. I loved her with all my heart and God has truly gained another angel in heaven. Praying for all of the family with all my heart.

Pat (Huff) Gridley

Pat Gridley - January 31, 2022 at 12:37 AM

AH

“ Alba was a very sweet person and I will really miss her



Andrea Hinson - January 30, 2022 at 08:52 PM

AT

“ What a precious, beautiful lady she has always been. She always had a hug for anyone and everyone. She always had such uplifting words and gave opportunities to folks when others would not and could not see their worth. Seemed like everyone knew "Mrs Burton"...for all so many special reasons. Growing up just two houses down and eventually working for her .. the memories are many. I am sure she ran into the arms of Jesus healed and whole. Prayers for all who have been touched by this sweet lady over the many years.

Angie Bowers Thompson - January 30, 2022 at 07:56 PM

DT

I am so sorry for the family's loss. Alba was an amazing lady. Both my children, Tammy and John Tillis went to her daycare when they were young. Tammy loved Alba, as most of her children she cared for did. When she moved to Jefferson, she came in contact with Tammy again. Which made Tammy so happy. Alba was a Special person with a Special heart for everyone she came in contact with. Prayers for all that knew her and will miss her.

Diane Way and Tammy Tullis - February 02, 2022 at 01:06 PM

JH

“ I loved going to Oak Grove as a child. Two of my kids went there as babies/small children. She was a nice lady. Mrs. Melton allowed me to help with the babies and smaller children classes when I was in my pre-teens. She gave me a job helping with after-school when I was in college. She will be missed. Prayers to all of the family and everyone who's lives she touched!

Jill "Staton" Haney - January 30, 2022 at 07:28 PM

BM

“ *LaNita, Lynette and Todd, and Bernice, I Am So Sorry To Hear About Alba Passing Away, She Was A Very Sweet Lady and A Hard Working Woman, I Used To Work For her At Rambling Ranch and I Cleaned Her House and Cooked Some For Her and Watched her Uncle Elmon, I Have Known Alba Just About All My Life and I Went To School With her At Dacula and She Graduated With My Sister Mary Lou (Cain) Faulkner, My Sister Passed Away In June,4-1994. I Have Always Loved Alba and Me and Her Sister Bernice and Her Husband Loy Was In Class At School Together, Alba Will be Missed, My Thoughts and Prayers Are With You All, God Bless You All And I Love You*



Betty McDaniel - January 30, 2022 at 06:25 PM