



Anne Elizabeth Thornton

May 19, 1946 - September 15, 2025

Anne Elizabeth Thornton, age 79, of Jonesboro, Georgia, passed away peacefully on Monday, September 15, 2025.

Born on May 19, 1946, Anne was the beloved daughter of the late Varnum Dwight and Lezette Ella Ludington. She was also preceded in death by her devoted husband, Dennis Thornton.

Anne dedicated much of her career to caring for children as a daycare worker at Community Christian School, where she was known for her kindness and gentle spirit. A faithful member of Jonesboro First United Methodist Church, Anne lived her life with love, service, and unwavering devotion to her family and faith.

She is survived by her children, Jason (Tiffani) Thornton of McDonough and Mindy (Sheldon) Pearce of Baxley; her brothers, Jerry (Kim) Ludington, Jack (Jeanne) Ludington, and Barry (Janet) Ludington; and her cherished grandchildren, Amber Thornton (Graham Marsh), Cassidy (Alonso) Martinez, Savanna Thornton, and Brayden Pearce (Madison Griffin). She also leaves behind her beloved granddogs, Zar and Oso, as well as extended family members and many dear friends who will miss her deeply.

A visitation will be held on Friday, September 19, from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM at

Ford-Stewart Funeral Home, 2047 Hwy 138 SE, Jonesboro, GA 30236.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **19**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Ford Stewart Funeral Home Inc.
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Tribute Wall

JM

“ *Jubert Martinez purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Anne Elizabeth Thornton.* ”



Jubert Martinez - September 18, 2025 at 09:03 PM

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“ *Isela, Anthony y Ever purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Anne Elizabeth Thornton.* ”



Isela, Anthony y Ever - September 18, 2025 at 05:55 PM

GP

“ *Gina Parker lit a candle in memory of Anne Elizabeth Thornton* ”



gina parker - September 17, 2025 at 02:38 PM

GP

Anne is going to be missed by many,she was strong and she loved her family and friends,thank you for being my friend

gina parker - September 17, 2025 at 02:39 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Anne Elizabeth Thornton.

September 17, 2025 at 01:28 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Anne Elizabeth Thornton.



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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Anne Elizabeth Thornton.

September 17, 2025 at 01:09 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Anne Elizabeth Thornton.



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