



Rose Marie Ball Defoe

April 7, 1957 - January 31, 2023

Rose Marie Ball Defoe of Athens, Alabama, formally of Pulaski, Tennessee, passed away on January 31, 2023 at her home in Limestone County, Alabama. She was born on April 7, 1957 in Pulaski, Tennessee and was 65 years old.

Rose was a loving wife, exceptional mother, and grandmother, and a caring sister. She was employed at Marshall Manufacturing, Torrington Fafnir, and Frito-Lay from which she retired from. Rose loved watching her grandsons thrive in sports and was always extremely proud of them. She loved the Lord and her family, and she loved her flowers and her birds. The Family would also like to send a special thank you to Limestone Hospice.

A visitation will be on Friday, February 3rd, 2023 from 12:00pm until 1:00pm with a funeral service to follow at 1:00pm in the chapel of Bennett-May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory
Burial will take place in Greenwood Cemetery.

She is preceded in death by her parents, William David and Elizabeth Frances Tatum Ball and her brother, William "Bill" Dean Ball.

She is survived by,
Her husband Jim Defoe of Athens, Alabama.

Daughter, Angela Dover (Chris) Putman of Decatur, Alabama.

Son, Andrew Dover of Athens, Alabama.

Daughter, Amanda Dover (David) Word of Lexington, Alabama.

Grandchildren, Devin Word, Ben Putman, Silas Dover, and Grant Putman.

Brother, Charles (Linda) Ball of Pulaski, Tennessee.

Sister, Carolyn Ball Biles (Kenneth) of Murfreesboro, Tennessee.

Sister, Mary Jane Ball White (Bobby) of Anderson, Alabama.

Several nieces, nephews, cousins, and extended family also survive.

Bennett-May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of arrangements for Rose Marie Ball Defoe.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

Lawrenceburg, TN 38464

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Bennett-May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory
1910 Elkton Pike
Pulaski, TN 38478
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Tribute Wall

CW

“ *Our hearts and prayers go out to the entire family during this difficult time.* ”



Cindy Williams - February 02, 2023 at 08:49 PM

RS

“ *Lit a candle in memory of Rose Marie Ball Defoe, JC and Ruth Stewart* ”



Ruth Stewart - February 02, 2023 at 06:16 PM

RS

“ *Ruth Stewart lit a candle in memory of Rose Marie Ball Defoe* ”



Ruth Stewart - February 02, 2023 at 06:10 PM



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Bennett - May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory - February 02, 2023 at 04:03 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear about the passing of Marie. My prayers are with the family and may God give you peace, strength and comfort you.

Carolyn Turner - February 02, 2023 at 01:48 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Benjamin Putman (Grandkid of Rose) - February 02, 2023 at 11:27 AM



Marie and I connected over the last year or so and she always wanted to know how my mother was at NHC. She was kind and kept me up on Cool Springs as we both went to church there for years. May God comfort her family with good memories. Janet Wheeler Sullivan

Janet Wheeler Sullivan - February 05, 2023 at 02:31 PM

AN

“ Angie lit a candle in memory of Rose Marie Ball Defoe



angie - February 02, 2023 at 11:27 AM

KD

“ KD lit a candle in memory of Rose Marie Ball Defoe



KD - February 02, 2023 at 08:19 AM

WA

“ Wanda lit a candle in memory of Rose Marie Ball Defoe



Wanda - February 02, 2023 at 02:43 AM

ST

“ Stacey lit a candle in memory of Rose Marie Ball Defoe



Stacey - February 01, 2023 at 09:10 PM

MC

“ *Mike Chandler lit a candle in memory of Rose Marie Ball Defoe*



Mike Chandler - February 01, 2023 at 08:50 PM

BR

“ *Benjamin Putman (Grandkid Of Rose) sent a virtual gift in memory of Rose Marie Ball Defoe*



Benjamin Putman (Grandkid of Rose) - February 01, 2023 at 06:10 PM