



Glenda Sue Barnes

July 12, 1940 - January 22, 2026

Glenda Sue Barnes, 85, went to be with her Lord on January 22, 2026. She was born on July 12, 1940 in Cardiff, TN to Dovie and Lester Todd and attended school in Harriman, TN. Glenda was affectionately known as “Nanny” by most everyone. She enjoyed bowling, arts and crafts, cooking, gardening and growing beautiful flowers. Glenda was a member of Salem Baptist Church in Ten Mile. Most of all, Glenda loved to spend time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, Glenda is preceded in death by her daughter, Teresa Fletcher; three brothers John Todd, Hobert Todd, and Steve Todd; three sisters Peggy McCullough, Wilma Cofer, and Donna Cunningham; one grandson James Fletcher.

Left to cherish her memory is her beloved husband of 60 years, Kenneth Barnes; her daughters Karen (Lee) Ramsey, Lesa (Billy) Crump, Barbara Rowe, Vivian Holzer and Kathy Goad.. Glenda also leaves behind her brother, Gary Todd, multiple grandchildren and great-grandchildren. There’s just too many to list, but she loved them all.

Receiving of friends will be held in the chapel of Kyker Funeral Home, Sweetwater, on Tuesday, January 27, 2026 from 11:00 am- 1:00 pm. Funeral services will follow at 1:00 pm with Pastor Ted Clower and Pastor Mark McCullough officiating. Following the funeral, interment will be held at Beulah’s Chapel Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to St. Jude

Children's Research Hospital at 501 St. Jude Place Memphis, TN 38105 or to Salem Baptist Church at 1212 Salem Valley Road Ten Mile, TN 3788 in memory of Glenda.

Kyker Funeral Home Sweetwater is honored to serve the Barnes Family.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 27. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Kyker Funeral Homes
OUR SWEETWATER CHAPEL
PO Box 309, 113 W. North Street
Sweetwater, TN 37874
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Funeral Service

JAN 27. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

JAN 27. 2:30 PM (ET)

Beulah Chapel Church of the Nazarene
270 County Road 231
Niota, TN 37826

Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Glenda Sue Barnes*



Kyker Funeral Home - January 26 at 09:42 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Glenda Sue Barnes.*



January 26 at 03:39 PM



“ *Ashtin Harris planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Glenda Sue Barnes.*

Ashtin Harris - January 26 at 03:39 PM



“ *Glenda was one of the nicest and kindest person I ever known. I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts are with you during this difficult time.*

Cheryl Thomas - January 26 at 10:52 AM



“ 60 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Kyker Funeral Home - January 26 at 09:38 AM



“ Cheryl Thomas lit a candle in memory of *Glenda Sue Barnes*



Cheryl Thomas - January 24 at 08:49 PM



“ Shelbytuck lit a candle in memory of *Glenda Sue Barnes*



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“ Nanny was the most loving caring woman ever. She was always there for any of us anytime we needed her. She was the best cook ever. You were never hungry at nannies house. She is greatly loved and missed. Fly high nanny til we meet again. I love you with all my heartSusann

Susann Roberts - January 23 at 06:07 PM