



Mary McMahan Richesin

August 21, 1934 - December 1, 2025

Mary McMahan Richesin, age 91 of Sweetwater, passed away on Monday, December 1, 2025 at her home surrounded by her loving family. Mary was the owner and operator of Richesin's Florist & Gifts for many years in Sweetwater. She was a faithful member of the First Baptist Church of Sweetwater where she worked the nursery for over 25 years. She was a beloved wife, mother, and manmère. Preceded in death by her parents: Avery and Helen McMahan, sister: Betsy Clark, brother: Jimmy McMahan.

Survivors include her loving husband of 70 plus years: Billy Richesin, daughters and sons-in-law: Vickie and Larry Belk, all of Sweetwater, Suzie and Scottie Holder of Decatur, Ill. Grandchildren: Hayley and Wes Isbill, of Sweetwater, Russell and Anna Belk, of Mt. Juliet, TN., Kirt Holder, and Karen Holder, of Decatur, Ill., great-grandchildren: Britton, Piper, Allie Isbill, of Sweetwater, Aydan Smith, of Mt. Juliet, TN., Jaxon Holder, of Shreveport, LA., Carter, Olivia, and Gabby Holder, of Decatur, Ill., sisters-in-law: Pat Richesin, and Patricia Richesin, of Sweetwater. Several nieces, nephews, and special friends.

A special thank you to all of the staff of Amedisys Hospice Group of Sweetwater, for their support and passionate care provided. "Momma, you are now in that bright beautiful blue sky with the white fluffy clouds."

Family and friends will meet at Sweetwater Memorial Park on Thursday at 9:45 A.M. for a 10:00 A.M. graveside service and interment with Rev. Brian

Courtney officiating. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church of Sweetwater. Sweetwater Memory Chapel in charge of arrangements. www.kykerfuneralhomes.com

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC 4. 10:00 AM (ET)

Sweetwater Memorial Park
1838 Hwy 11 N
Sweetwater, TN 37874

Tribute Wall

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“ *Margarette Cleveland family purchased the Sweet Snacks Gift Crate for the family of Mary McMahan Richesin.*



Margarette Cleveland family - December 03, 2025 at 04:55 PM

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“ *Margarette Cleveland family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary McMahan Richesin.*

Margarette Cleveland family - December 03, 2025 at 04:55 PM

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“ *My heart hurts for all of you. Sweet Mary was in rehab the same time as mom. They would sit and talk (and scheme) at the nurses station. Mary told mom one day that they were going to stick together and blow that joint! I remember seeing her and Bill working puzzles and playing bingo. She was a precious soul that always made me smile. I will remember her beautiful white hair, her captivating smile and her mischievous eyes!! God bless you all and hold you tight!*

Vickie Bolduc, Phillip and Barbara Ward - December 03, 2025 at 02:57 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mary McMahan Richesin.



December 03, 2025 at 01:42 PM



“ Julia Wilson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary McMahan Richesin.

Julia Wilson - December 03, 2025 at 01:42 PM



“ I can still see and feel her sweet smile and kindness she afforded to me throughout my life time . A very special lady. Thank you for extending God's grace to me.
Blessings and peace for the family

john sutton - December 03, 2025 at 08:38 AM



“ Steve and I are sending heartfelt condolences, much love and prayers to all of you. Our prayer is for God to wrap His loving arms around you and give you peace, comfort and strength in the days to follow.

Steve & Cyndi Kyker

Steve & Cyndi Kyker - December 02, 2025 at 04:10 PM