



## Susan Richeson Lee

October 29, 1962 - March 27, 2026

Susan Richeson Lee, 63, went to be with the Lord on March 27, 2026. She was born in Athens to Anna Ruth and Glenn Richeson on October 29, 1962. She attended school and was part of the last graduating class at the old McMinn County High School. The Class of 1980. Susan was crazy about all the kids in her family and loved to spend time with them all. She loved the holidays and would decorate every room in the house. Her favorite was Halloween and Susan enjoyed dressing up and handing out hundreds of dollars of the “good kind” of candy to all the trick or treaters. Susan loved to travel, often going to the beach with friends or family, sometimes with little notice. Susan could be packed and ready to go in a matter of minutes. Susan also loved animals but leaves behind her special fur babies Macy the dog and Lily the cat.

In addition to her parents, Susan is preceded in death by her brother, Steve Richeson and niece, Lori Annette Richeson.

She is survived by her only child, Jason (Ashley) Lee; sister, Vickie (John) Proffitt; nieces, Stephanie (Jesse) Morrow and their children Lucas, Logan, Lauren and Acelynn; Jamie Ghorley and Tyler (Venice) Corbett; Sarah (Amos) Clark and their children Marshall and Charlie; Jessica (Donald) Hoppel and their children Owen and Evan. Also left to cherish her memory is her sister-in-law, Annette Richeson.

Receiving of friends will be held on Tuesday, March 31, 2026 from 5:00pm-7:00pm in the chapel of Kyker Funeral Home, Sweetwater. Funeral Services

will immediately follow at 7:00 pm with Rev. Jeffrey Haney and Rev. Todd Humbert officiating. Interment will be held on Wednesday, April 1, 2026 at the cemetery of Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church at 11:00 am.

Kyker Funeral Home, Sweetwater is honored to serve the family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 31. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

MAR 31. 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Burial

APR 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt Pisgah Cemetery  
Niota, TN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Susan Richeson Lee*



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**Kyker Funeral Home** - March 31 at 12:39 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Susan Richeson Lee.*

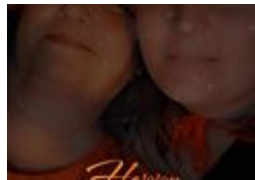


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March 31 at 12:19 PM



“ *76 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Kyker Funeral Home** - March 31 at 12:03 PM

FA

“ *With our sincere sympathy.*

*City of Athens - Finance Department Staff  
Mike Keith, Connie Wyatt, Janet Sherman,  
Becky Leamon & Jackson Goins*



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**Finance Dept - City of Athens** - March 31 at 08:28 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of  
Susan Richeson Lee.*



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March 30 at 11:32 PM

SV

“ *Susan came into my life when I was in the 5th grade at Niota School. We still remained close friends and would talk on the phone just about every nite until 2, 3 and sometime til 4am...we always had something to talk about. She was a very special and dear friend. Susan will never be forgotten and I will always cherish our friendship....Rest easy sweet friend until we meet again...*

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**Susie Hampton Vaughn** - March 30 at 09:25 PM

RC

*So sorry to hear of Susan's passing I worked with her for years at JCI wonderful lady praying for family God bless*

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**Ricky Crowden** - March 31 at 08:44 AM

AG

*So sorry to hear of Susan's passing! We worked together for many years at JCI, and she was a sweet lady. Praying for her Family, and Friends, during these difficult days. 🙏. Alice Gilreath*

**Alice Gilreath** - March 31 at 11:24 AM

TB

*So sorry to hear Susan passed away.I worked with her for years at JCI.She was a sweet lady.Thoughts and prayers are with family and friends.God Bless.*

**Tammy Boatman** - March 31 at 11:58 AM

WC

*So sorry to hear of Susans passing I had the privilege of working with her for several years at JCI and Mig she was a sweet lady and model coworker.Praying for her family that God's grace will be sufficient for their time of sorrow.Will and Carolyn Cass*

**William Cass** - April 02 at 09:04 PM

SW

“ *Seth Wilson purchased the Simply Elegant Spath iphyllum for the family of Susan Richeson Lee.*



**Seth Wilson** - March 30 at 06:17 PM

SM

“ *I worked at JCI we started the same day she will forever be my friend you will be sadly missed she isn't suffering anymore I will always love you ❤️*



**Sally McConkey** - March 30 at 05:24 PM

VT

“ Susan and I met in High school we had a class together every year we became good friends, we worked together at Johnson Controls I will miss her deeply.

*Vicki Flatt Tiegs*

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**Vicki Tiegs** - March 30 at 02:27 PM

TW

Susan and I worked together for many years at JCI. Always loved Susan because she was an exceptionally nice person. Susan and I shared ball fields together while watching Jason and my son playing football many years ago. My heart breaks for this loss and I am sending prayers to Jason and all the family and friends who will miss her dearly.

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**Tracy Wilson** - March 30 at 02:30 PM

CG

*Vickie, I'm so sorry to hear of the loss of your sister.*

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**Carol Green** - April 01 at 01:14 AM