



Linda Gail Wilkinson Chaney

April 8, 1964 - December 27, 2025

Mrs. Linda Gail Wilkinson Chaney, age 61, of West Green, Georgia, passed away Saturday evening, December 27, 2025, at Coffee Regional Medical Center following a recent illness.

Linda was born April 8, 1964, in Douglas, Georgia to Inez Judy Riggins Wilkinson, and the late Bervon Ellis Wilkinson. She was a housewife who made her career caring for her family. She was a loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, and had a special love for her puppy, Gizmo. She enjoyed working in her yard, gardening and raising chickens, but she found her greatest joy in being around her family. Along with her father, Linda was preceded in death by her husband, Billy D. Chaney, and a son, Harley Ray Chaney.

Linda leaves behind three sons: Billy Howard Chaney and wife, Stephanie (AKA: "Ethell") of Hazlehurst, Georgia, Jimmy Ellis Chaney and wife, Stephanie, of West Green, Georgia, Thomas Lindsey Chaney and fiancé, Hollie Fussell, of West Green, Georgia; a grandson, Billy Howard Chaney , III of Hazlehurst, Georgia; a great-granddaughter, Presley Rae Hayes; a sister, Debra Inez Vickers and husband, Clark, of Ambrose, Georgia; and a brother, James Ellis Wilkinson and wife, Rhonda, of Quitman, Mississippi; along with a number of extended family members.

Linda's family is honoring her wish for memorialization by cremation, and no service scheduled at this time.

Condolences, kind words and fond memories may be shared with Linda's family at www.ricketsonfuneralhome.com.

Linda's arrangements have been entrusted to the kind and compassionate staff of Ricketson Funeral Home, Inc. of Douglas, Georgia.

Tribute Wall

DB

“ *Denise Parker Davis Brogan lit a candle in memory of Linda Gail Wilkinson Chaney*



Denise Parker Davis Brogan - January 05 at 07:53 PM

MP

“ *i've known her all her younger life, good friends with her mother and step-dad, so sorry to hear about this. Prayers for the family!*

Marion Phillips - December 31, 2025 at 08:34 AM

BW

“ *Brenda Wilkinson lit a candle in memory of Linda Gail Wilkinson Chaney*



Brenda wilkinson - December 30, 2025 at 11:27 PM

CS

“ *Cathy Stanley-Benson lit a candle in memory of Linda Gail Wilkinson Chaney*



Cathy Stanley-Benson - December 30, 2025 at 07:54 PM

CN

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our hearts and prayers go out to your family. May God uplift you all and take away your sorrow. God Bless yall. Lenell Johnston and Chelle.

Chelle and Nell - December 30, 2025 at 07:48 AM

GB

“ Gerrie Patton Burress lit a candle in memory of Linda Gail Wilkinson Chaney



Gerrie Patton Burress - December 29, 2025 at 08:36 PM

GB

So sorry! Sending hugs and prayers your way! You are loved by so many and will be missed!! 🙏🙏🙏

Gerrie Patton Burress - December 29, 2025 at 08:39 PM

PB

“ Pamela Batten lit a candle in memory of Linda Gail Wilkinson Chaney



Pamela Batten - December 29, 2025 at 05:16 PM

SG

She was one of my favorite people. She always had a smile and something sweet to say about her children and pets. Prayers for peace for her family.

Susan Graves - December 29, 2025 at 07:53 PM