



Mrs. Maye Lyon Eaton

January 17, 1939 - March 11, 2025

Maye Lyon Eaton

86, Alpharetta, GA

Maye Lyon Eaton, a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and lifelong educator, passed away peacefully on March 11, 2025. She was born on January 17, 1939 and lived a life filled with faith, family, and a passion for learning.

On July 23, 1960, she married the love of her life, Jack Eaton, at the First Baptist Church of Ball Ground, Georgia. A graduate of Tift College, Maye dedicated her life to teaching, shaping the minds of young children as an elementary and preschool educator. She took great pride in the impact she made on her students, instilling in them a love for learning that lasted a lifetime.

Beyond the classroom, Maye had a deep love for music and found great joy in playing the baby grand piano. Whether through teaching or music, she shared warmth, wisdom, and kindness with everyone around her.

She is survived by her devoted husband, Jack Eaton; her children, Jack and (Charlotte) Eaton, Todd Eaton and (Mario Castro), and Merrie and (Todd) Greenfield; her grandchildren, Joshua and (Bethany) Eaton, Robert Eaton and (Caroline Spurlin), Christopher and (Haiden) Eaton, Nicholas Greenfield, Zachary Greenfield, Elijah Greenfield, and Amelia Greenfield; and her great-grandchildren, Wesley, Drake, and Aubrey Eaton.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, March 18, from 5:00 PM until 8:00 PM at

Northside Chapel in Roswell. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the National Multiple Sclerosis Society in her memory.

Maye's legacy of love, education, and music will live on in the hearts of all who knew her.

Cemetery Details

Ball Ground Baptist Church Cemetery

Ball Ground, GA

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 18. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory
12050 Crabapple Road
Roswell, GA

Tribute Wall

BC

“ *Barbara Castro lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Maye Lyon Eaton*



Barbara Castro - March 20, 2025 at 01:15 PM

RA

“ *Richard And Martha Alkonis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Maye Lyon Eaton*



Richard and Martha Alkonis - March 17, 2025 at 03:32 PM

KT

“ *Kay Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Maye Lyon Eaton*



Kay Taylor - March 17, 2025 at 01:52 PM

LB

“ *When I was a junior in college, my father passed away unexpectedly. Maye was so supportive. She instinctively knew exactly what to do in those first days to help keep me afloat. Rest in peace, sweet lady.*

Lisa Byrd - March 16, 2025 at 10:52 AM

TF

“ *Trosch Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Mrs. Maye Lyon Eaton.*



Trosch Family - March 15, 2025 at 06:18 PM

RP

“ *Rusty And Julie Pruitt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Maye Lyon Eaton*



Rusty and Julie Pruitt - March 14, 2025 at 08:49 AM