



# Karla Bell Maneval

October 23, 1945 - January 30, 2024

Karla Bell Maneval, preceded in death by her parents, Dr. Karl and Letty Maneval, died on January 30, 2024, in Huntsville, Alabama, at age 79.

Graveside service to be held on Friday February 2, 2024 at 1:00PM at Winston Memorial Cemetery in Haleyville, AL.

She is survived by her sister, Jenny Batchelor, two nephews, Jack Batchelor Jr. (Teresa) and Karl Batchelor (Sarah), niece Jeanette Baumgartner (Drew), four great-nephews, Jack Batchelor III, Josh Batchelor, Jared Batchelor and Max Baumgartner, and two great nieces Emma Johnson and Jenny Baumgartner.

Along with her sister and many nieces and nephews, Karla leaves behind thousands of students that she lovingly taught at Johnson High School during her 40 years there.

Karla was born on October 23, 1945, in Leeds, Alabama, but considered Haleyville her home.

She attended Birmingham Southern College for her undergraduate degree in education and the University of Alabama for her master's degree in English literature. She loved reading, going to the movies, and attending Broadway Theater League productions.

Karla was a loving, kind, and fiercely independent woman. We will miss her every day.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Linda Thomas lit a candle in memory of Karla Bell Maneval*



**Linda Gunter Thomas** - February 01, 2024 at 11:00 PM

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“ *Godsey Linda lit a candle in memory of Karla Bell Maneval*



**Godsey Linda** - February 01, 2024 at 05:41 PM

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“ *My deepest condolences to Karla's family. She was a caring and kind neighbor. We had wonderful conversations and discovered that we were both from Haleyville. We always worked Haleyville into our conversations. Karla will definitely be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Rest in Peace Karla.*

**Susan Jandovitz Gwathney** - February 01, 2024 at 02:29 PM

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“ *Susan Gwathney lit a candle in memory of Karla Bell Maneval*



**Susan Jandovitz Gwathney** - February 01, 2024 at 01:59 PM