



## Sue Sutherland

March 24, 1941 - November 9, 2024

Ida Sue Sutherland, age 83, passed away peacefully on November 9,, 2024 at Haleyville Health &Rehab Center. Sue was born on March 24, 1941 in Haleyville, AL. to Walker and Pauline Floyd Swims.

Visitation will be Tuesday November 12, 2024 from 11:00AM - 1:00PM at New Prospect Baptist Church in Haleyville, AL. Funeral service at 1:00PM at the church. Burial to follow in New Prospect Cemetery.

Sue eloped with Luther Gurvis Sutherland to Fulton, Mississippi on September 18, 1957 at the ripe old age of 16 and he was 17 years old. They celebrated their 67th wedding anniversary this year. She was a proud resident of Haleyville and was a 1959 graduate of Haleyville High School. Sue played clarinet and was a majorette in the Haleyville Junior High Band and served as President of the Alumni Association as well.

Sue worked at her daddy's cafe, the Walker Swims Cafe (best hamburgers in town), the Haleyville Textile and owned Sue's Dixie Flower Shop and Sue's Plunder Parlor. Sue was a member of New Prospect Baptist Church in Haleyville and belong to the Order of The Eastern Star (OES) in Haleyville since September 6, 1973. Sue was very outgoing and generous to others. She loved to travel especially to Memphis and Tupelo to visit Elvis Presley's Graceland and Birthplace. To say that she was just an Elvis fan would be an

understatement. She even had her own Elvis fan club called, If I Can Dream Elvis in Alabama.

She is survived by her husband, Gurvis; daughters, Susan Sutherland and Stephani Sutherland Williamson (Damon); grandsons, Josh (Danielle) Sutherland and Juston (Robin) Sutherland, Brayden Williamson and Canaan Williamson; great grandchildren, Lauren, Libby, Collier and Beckham and a host of family and friends.

Sue is preceded in death by her parents, Walker and Pauline Swims; sons, Michael Gurvis Sutherland and Rex Allen Sutherland.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to New Prospect Baptist Church, the Linda Campbell Sunday School Class or St Jude's Hospital.

You may leave online condolences at [www.pinkardfh.com](http://www.pinkardfh.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Pinkard Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Sue Sutherland*



**Pinkard Funeral Home** - November 11, 2024 at 07:24 PM

EC

*My love thoughts and prayers are with you all 🙏❤️. Ms Sue was a life long friend and will be missed.*

**EuGenia Cottongin** - November 12, 2024 at 06:18 PM

JP

“ *Sue you sure will be missed. love you sweet lady, fly high my friend with those new wings!!*



**JoAnn Plaxco** - November 13, 2024 at 11:15 AM

SS

*Thank you JoAnn ❤️*

**Susan P. Sutherland** - November 14, 2024 at 11:56 PM

SK

“ Sherrie Kois sent a virtual gift in memory of Sue Sutherland



Sherrie Kois - November 13, 2024 at 09:31 AM

SK

“ Their Is Not Enough Words That Can Be Spoken About This Wonderful Sweet Lady Who Was a True Pillar Of Our Hometown!.. The Love She had For ELVIS Was Unconditional As She Did For her Husband A True Life Fairytale She Lived & Loved 💔 I Could Understand & Relate To Sue's Love For Elvis Because I'm On That Same Page With her Myself 😍!!..But We Both Know "Just Like Elvis Did" Who The REAL KING IS ALWAYS OUR LORD & SAVIOR 👑🙏🙏 Sue Was a Very Special LADY To Me, I had Bought Many Wonderful Things From her Two "Plunder Shops" & Treasure Them ALL "Mostly Elvis Thing's"😍 & She Would Pick me Up Thing's That I Would Ask her Too When She Would Be Going To "Graceland" For Especially His Birthday Celebrations!..Their are So Many Special Stories I Could Share About This Precious Sweet Lady That I Will ALWAYS Hold Close To My Heart 💖 She Will Be Missed Each & Everyday Until We ALL See Her AGAIN & I Pray That She's Up There In Heaven With Elvis 🎵 Singing "Precious Lord" With The Angels 😇 Praying For Her Family & Friends That Our Heavenly Father Will Comfort Them Give Them Strength In This Difficult Time As Only He Can Untill We Are ALL TOGETHER AGAIN FOREVER!..THANK YOU JESUS 🙏🙏 WITH MUCH LOVE TO ALL HER FAMILY & FRIENDS. 🌹🙏❤️👑🙏



Sherrie Kois - November 13, 2024 at 09:29 AM

SS

Thank you so much Sherrie ❤️

Susan P. Sutherland - November 14, 2024 at 11:58 PM

JC

“ Jan Cornelius lit a candle in memory of Sue Sutherland



Jan Cornelius - November 12, 2024 at 07:25 PM

SS

“ I had the pleasure of having Ms. Sue as a patient a few years ago. She was the same sweet smiling lady I remembered from growing up. She and Mother went to HHS together so I heard a few stories, like her love for Elvis and for traveling. My deepest sympathy to her family and friends.



Sharon D Spangler - November 12, 2024 at 02:20 PM

SS

Thank you ❤️

Susan P. Sutherland - November 14, 2024 at 11:59 PM

MH

“ Margaret Harrison lit a candle in memory of Sue Sutherland



Margaret Harrison - November 11, 2024 at 09:04 PM



“ 66 files added to the album LifeTributes



Pinkard Funeral Home - November 11, 2024 at 02:19 PM



“ I loved her so very much. I am so very grateful for the time I got to spend with her . I love you all abundantly and all of my prayers are sent to find peace .

Gina Bell - November 11, 2024 at 01:43 PM



Thank you. We love you 💕

Susan P. Sutherland - November 15, 2024 at 12:00 AM



“ Manda Rae lit a candle in memory of Sue Sutherland



Manda Rae - November 11, 2024 at 12:04 PM

JC

“ *Rev.billy and jerri camp*



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**Jerri Camp** - November 11, 2024 at 10:22 AM

PS

“ *I will be praying for the family and friends.*



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**Patsy Smith** - November 11, 2024 at 07:57 AM

CJ

“ *I worked at the cafe while I was still in school. That was more than 55 years ago.*

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**Connie Jones** - November 11, 2024 at 04:53 AM

BB

“ *Betty Bryan lit a candle in memory of Sue Sutherland*



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**Betty Bryan** - November 10, 2024 at 10:41 PM