



## Mary Gonsalves

January 3, 1943 - March 28, 2024

Mary Leona Shore Gonsalves, 81, of Union and Fannin Counties, Georgia passed away in the home of her daughter in Pound, Virginia on March 28, 2024. Born on January 3, 1943, she was the daughter of the late Homer and Lorene Shore. Survivors include one daughter, Heather (Cliff) Cauthorne and six grandchildren Clifton "Trey", John, Elijah, Mary, Zachariah, and Eden Cauthorne of Pound, Virginia.

Mary graduated from West Fannin High School, Truett McConnell College, and the University of Georgia with a Bachelor of Science Home Economics. She became a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Mary worked as a classroom teacher, nutrition educator, nurse, and caregiver. Mary was of the Baptist faith.

She loved the mountains of North Georgia, and had many and varied interests.

Mary enjoyed talking with people. She had a special place in her heart for children. Primarily, she loved her immediate and large extended family. Memorial service to be held at 7:00 pm on Wednesday, April 3, 2024 at Calvary Baptist Church of Clintwood, Virginia.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, April 6, 2024 at 12:00 pm at

Hemptown Baptist Church in Morganton, Georgia. Interment will follow in the Hemptown Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donations in memory of Mary Shore Gonsalves may be made to Hemptown Cemetery Fund, c/o Damon Davenport  
10623 Old Hwy. 76 Morganton, GA 30560.

Mullins Funeral Home and Staff are serving the Gonsalves family. Online condolences may be made at [www.mullinsfuneralhome.net](http://www.mullinsfuneralhome.net)

# Cemetery Details

## HEMP GEORGIA CHURCH CEMTERY

4394 Star Creek Road  
Morganton, GA 30560

# Previous Events

## Celebration Of Life

APR 3. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Calvary Baptist Church  
1440 Dickenson Hwy  
Clintwood, VA 24228  
(276) 926-4988

## Funeral Service

APR 6 (ET)

HEMP GEORGIA CHURCH CEMTERY  
4394 Star Creek Road  
Morganton, VA 30560

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Mary Gonsalves.*



April 03, 2024 at 10:49 AM



“ *Kimberly & Mildred Stanley lit a candle in memory of Mary Gonsalves*



**Kimberly & Mildred Stanley** - April 01, 2024 at 11:38 PM



*Loved Miss Mary!!!*

**Kimberly** - April 01, 2024 at 11:39 PM



*Mary was my other sister. Mary and I met in college and remained lifelong friends. My condolences to Heather, Clif and her six grandchildren...she loved you all dearly.*

**Louise Morrison** - April 04, 2024 at 06:42 PM



*Mary was a wonderful friend and person. She leaves an incredible legacy with Heather and your beautiful family. The picture I took years ago (!) shows Mary's inner and outer beauty. Sending much love and heartfelt condolences, Jane and Richard*

**Jane Levy** - April 07, 2024 at 10:13 PM