



Frances Alice Todd

March 4, 1935 - September 8, 2024

Frances Gore Todd of Guntersville, Alabama, passed away peacefully Sunday afternoon, September 8, 2024, in the presence of family members at Marshall Manor

Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. Frances was 89 years old.

Frances was born March 4, 1935, to the late Walter and Hattie Gore, of Albertville, AL.

She was one of 12 children born to the Gore family where farming was their livelihood.

She often stated how she “never wanted to pick another potato in her life,” but oh how

she could cook them! Frances was an amazing cook and enjoyed singing in the choir at

First Baptist Church in Guntersville, Alabama. She loved her children, grandchildren,

great-grandchildren, parents, siblings, and friends and you always felt welcomed at

holidays around her table. Frances also loved the Lord, her Sunday school class, and

Alabama football. She was known for her various collections: Santa Claus’s, Precious

Memories, teapots, and Beanie Babies.

In May of 1973, Frances married Earl Wayne Todd of Alder Springs, Alabama

and

instantly became a family of 7 with her children: Phil, Luanne, and Bill Wilkes and

Wayne's two girls, Annette and Lisa Todd...a family of 8 (if you counted the family

monkey, Tony). Wayne Todd was the 'love of her life' and they were married 45 years

until Wayne's passing in 2018. Frances worked for the Department of Agriculture until

retirement, then worked for Guntersville Memorial and Carr Funeral Home. You could

always find her on election days volunteering at the voting polls.

Frances is survived by her children, Phil Wilkes (Karen), Luanne Evans, Bill Wilkes

(Denise); stepdaughters Annette Todd, and Lisa Bunch (Buddy); 11 grandchildren, 11

great grandchildren; brother Wayne Gore, sister Betty Branum, and sister Margie Black

(Allen).

Visitation will be held at Guntersville Memorial Chapel, 1601 Henry Street, Guntersville,

Alabama on Saturday, September 14, 2024, from 12:00-2:00 pm. A memorial service

will follow at 2:00 pm.

Cemetery Details

Crestview Cemetery

Guntersville, AL

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 14. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Guntersville Memorial Chapel
1601 Henry Street
Guntersville, AL 35976
(256) 582-7931
guntersvillememorial@gmail.com

Funeral Service

SEP 14. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *So grateful she was my sister. Forever in my heart.* ”

Marjorie Black - September 12, 2024 at 03:58 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Frances Alice Todd.* ”



September 11, 2024 at 08:46 PM



“ *Love, the CATS team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frances Alice Todd.* ”

Love, the CATS team - September 11, 2024 at 08:46 PM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Frances Alice Todd.* ”



September 11, 2024 at 03:41 PM

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“ Janet A. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Frances Alice Todd.



Janet A. - September 11, 2024 at 02:12 PM

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“ Janet A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frances Alice Todd.

Janet A. - September 11, 2024 at 02:12 PM

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“ Your Friends at Spectrum Reach purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Frances Alice Todd.



Your Friends at Spectrum Reach - September 11, 2024 at 09:49 AM

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“ Your Friends at Spectrum Reach planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frances Alice Todd.

Your Friends at Spectrum Reach - September 11, 2024 at 09:49 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Frances Alice Todd*.



September 10, 2024 at 08:47 PM