



Cynthia Fell Sute

September 23, 1946 - July 6, 2024

The sweetest mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, Cynthia Fell Sute, of Foley, Alabama, passed away peacefully at her home on July 6, 2024, surrounded by her three loving sons.

The baby of five girls born to Rodney and Bernice Fell, Cynthia - also known as Cindy to many and Sissy to some - was always a positive person, often focused on supporting those around her. Born and raised in, and a proud life-long resident of Foley, she loved her sisters, the University of Alabama football, and Atlanta Braves baseball. She enjoyed visiting Asheville, North Carolina, and the Biltmore Estate in particular on multiple occasions. She was a proud member of the Poarch Creek Indian Tribe, adored Elvis music, and had an affinity for dragonflies. Always one to have the television on, she followed game shows and animal programs, often subjecting visitors to marathon episodes of Dr. Pol and Family Feud. During her lifetime, she faithfully attended St. Margaret's Catholic Church and later in life First Baptist Church, both in Foley, and she was a long-time fan of Bill and Gloria Gaither gospel music.

Cynthia was also a big fan of sports that her boys played and her husband Bill coached in the Foley community. She was an especially passionate baseball mom, enjoying many a game at local Foley parks. As her boys grew and had children of their own, she became an equally passionate grandmother,

cheering on and encouraging each grandchild with pride in whatever activity they might enjoy - whether football, baseball, soccer, theater, cheer, and more. Without a doubt, she loved her grandchildren deeply - all nine- plus a recent addition - her first great-grandson. She also greatly missed her husband Bill who passed in 2004, and she released a balloon annually on his birthday in July.

Cynthia spent many years volunteering with St. Benedict's Catholic School where all three of her boys attended through eighth grade, and she coordinated the school's annual car raffle for many years. When the outlet mall opened in Foley, Alabama, she ventured into retail, working at stores like OshKosh B'Gosh, Liz Claiborne, and eventually serving as manager at Ellen Tracey, putting her strong people and customer service skills to great use.

In her later years, she enjoyed playing cards with friends on Tuesdays and Fridays, often politely but quickly ending phone calls with family if they inadvertently called during a good game of "hand and foot." Most recently, as her health declined, and daily assistance became part of her life's journey, she grew friendships with and love for the many women who served as her caregivers around the clock.

Cynthia is survived by sons Brent Sute (and wife Kellie) of Tuscaloosa, Alabama; Michael Sute (and wife Jeri) of Acworth, Georgia; and Preston Sute (and wife PJ) of Foley, Alabama. She is also survived by granddaughter Jordan Norton (and husband Jake and son Beau (Mrs. Sute's first great-grandchild)) of Marietta, Georgia; as well as grandchildren Hunter, Conner, Carson, and Allie Grace Sute of Tuscaloosa, Alabama; Will and Zach Sute of Acworth, Georgia; and Fell and Molly Sute of Foley, Alabama. She was preceded in death by her parents, Rodney and Bernice (Steadham) Fell; her husband William F. Sute; and her sisters, Virginia, Mildred, Mary Lou, and Nan. She was the last of her generation of Fell women, and undoubtedly

enjoyed a special reunion with her sisters, husband (just in time for his heavenly birthday), parents, and other loved ones in heaven to the backdrop of an OWA fireworks show on the evening of July 6, 2024.

Visitation will be held Wednesday, July 10, 2024, at First Baptist Church, Foley, Alabama, from 1-2 PM, followed by services there at 2 PM and graveside services immediately following at Pine Rest Memorial Park.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 10. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Foley
221 N Alston St
Foley, AL 36535
(251) 943-8352

Funeral Service

JUL 10. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Foley
221 N Alston St
Foley, AL 36535
(251) 943-8352

Burial

JUL 10 (CT)

Pine Rest Memorial Park
16541 US-98
Foley, AL 36535
(251) 943-5667

Tribute Wall

SB

“ *My sincere condolences to the Sute family.*

I met Miss Cindy while I was taking care of her sister, Miss Virginia. She visited with her sister often and I was fortunate to experience the people skills talked about.

To say Miss Cindy was a people person would be putting it mildly. The first time I met her she welcomed me into the "family". She was always quick with a kind word and a smile on her visits. She knew that my daughter was one of her son's students, and loved telling stories about her children and grand children every time I saw her.

She was truly a bright light in the world and I am blessed to have known her.



Shari Ballinger - July 17, 2024 at 08:46 AM

KA

“ *Kathy Allen lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Fell Sute*



Kathy Allen - July 10, 2024 at 09:52 PM

KA

She was a very sweet Lady,prayers for her family.

Kathy Allen - July 10, 2024 at 09:53 PM

ML

“ I am saddened to hear of "Cincy's" death - her dad and my dad, Mack Fell, were first cousins. She and I were never sure what we were! I guess first cousins-once removed? I regret that I was not aware of her declining health. We did not stay in touch until Facebook came along. I was so pleased when her grandchild was named Fell and thought to myself, "I wish I had thought to do that." The Fell name lives on in the women of my dad's family - Jenny, Nancy and Jill, but unfortunately, our Fell men left us - Charles, Charlie and Derek...my condolences to all her family.

Maxine Fell Lutz - July 10, 2024 at 09:53 AM

MS

Thank you for the kind words. "Fell" is indeed a treasured name in our family.

Michael Sute - July 10, 2024 at 11:30 AM

JC

Aunt Cynthia,
Thanks for all the talks we had from time to time. You will always there for me after mother passed away. You meant so much to me. I'm really going to miss you.

Jan Chaisson - July 11, 2024 at 01:39 PM

JS

“ Sending my heart felt condolences to Cindy’s boys and their families. Cindy and I became inseparable friends when we moved to Foley in 1959. We were so close all the way through high school that we called each other’s parents mom and pop. I was one of her bridesmaids when she and Bill married. I have so many great memories of us. We went riding in her old green car one night and all of a sudden the drive gear wouldn’t work so we went down the street backwards. We laughed so hard about that. Eventually she got it to go into drive. So many fun times and some sad times we had. In our later years we didn’t see or talk much but we still loved each other. I went to see her a couple months ago and saw that she was having lots of health issues. My heart is broken 💔 but I know we will be reunited in Heaven someday. I love ❤️ you Cindy.



Jearlean Petrey Stowe - July 09, 2024 at 09:47 PM

MS

Thank you for sharing your wonderful stories! Love it! Mom will be dearly missed but hearing great stories from others sure is comforting.
- Michael

Michael Sute - July 10, 2024 at 11:29 AM

TS

“ Tony, Frances, Page & Dickie Sute planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia Fell Sute.

Tony, Frances, Page & Dickie Sute - July 09, 2024 at 08:45 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Cynthia Fell Sute.*



July 09, 2024 at 08:45 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Cynthia Fell Sute.*



July 09, 2024 at 08:09 PM



“ *With all my love, Lisa Keller purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Cynthia Fell Sute.*



With all my love, Lisa Keller - July 09, 2024 at 07:33 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Cynthia Fell Sute.*



July 09, 2024 at 04:32 PM

SC

“ Sandra Carroll planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia Fell Sute.

Sandra Carroll - July 09, 2024 at 02:04 PM

SC

“ Sandra Carroll purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Cynthia Fell Sute.



Sandra Carroll - July 09, 2024 at 02:04 PM

GC

“ Gwendolyn C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia Fell Sute.

Gwendolyn C. - July 09, 2024 at 01:38 PM

VN

“ Vanessa N. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia Fell Sute.

Vanessa N. - July 09, 2024 at 12:58 PM

MB

“ Mike Boone purchased the Simply Elegant Spathi phyllum for the family of Cynthia Fell Sute.



Mike Boone - July 09, 2024 at 12:29 PM

LF

“ Lynn F. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia Fell Sute.

Lynn F. - July 09, 2024 at 11:39 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Cynthia Fell Sute.



July 09, 2024 at 11:15 AM

BM

“ Bobbette M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia Fell Sute.

Bobbette M. - July 09, 2024 at 11:15 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Cynthia Fell Sute.



July 09, 2024 at 11:06 AM

PC

“ Patricia C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia Fell Sute.

Patricia C. - July 09, 2024 at 10:34 AM