



Bonnie Dean Smith Stephens

May 4, 1939 - February 8, 2026

Bonnie Dean Smith Stephens, age 86, lovingly known as “Nana,” passed away surrounded by her children on February 8th, 2026, leaving behind a legacy of love and family. Bonnie was born on May 4th, 1939, at her family home in Munford, Al. She was the daughter of R.L. and Sid Smith.

Bonnie is preceded in death by her husband, Ralph Stephens; parents, R.L. and Sid Smith; sister, Faye Adams and great granddaughter, Anna Faye Mizzell.

She is survived by her children, Cindy (Darren) Genz, Jenny (Tommy) Seriana and Preston (Sherry) Stephens; grandchildren, Laura (Wayne) Mizzell, Emilee (Todd) Gauntt; great grandchildren, Troy Gauntt, Rylee Gauntt and Tyler Mizzell.

Bonnie and Ralph owned and operated the Country Corner and Bonnie’s BBQ in Munford for many years. She also worked at the Anniston Army Depot and her love of gardening brought her to a job at Southern Heritage Landscaping. Bonnie also worked as a paramedic at Oxford Rescue Squad.

Bonnie found joy in spending time with her family, gardening, painting, ceramics, puzzle books, reading and crocheting.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday February 11th, 2026, at Miller Funeral Home from 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm. A graveside service will be held the following day Thursday, February 12th, 2026, at Bethlehem United Methodist Church Cemetery in Munford, AL starting at 11:00 am. with Reverend John Reynolds officiating.

The family would like to thank the staff at Gadsden Regional Medical Center, especially Laci Hinkle and Kenzie Hunter, for their professional care and comfort for our mother and family.

Cemetery Details

Bethlehem United Methodist Church

Munford, AL

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 11. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (cst)

Miller Funeral Home
50 Hamric Drive East
Oxford, AL 36203
(256) 831-4611
millerfuneralcal@gmail.com

Graveside Service

FEB 12. 11:00 AM (cst)

Bethlehem United Methodist Church
Munford, AL

Tribute Wall

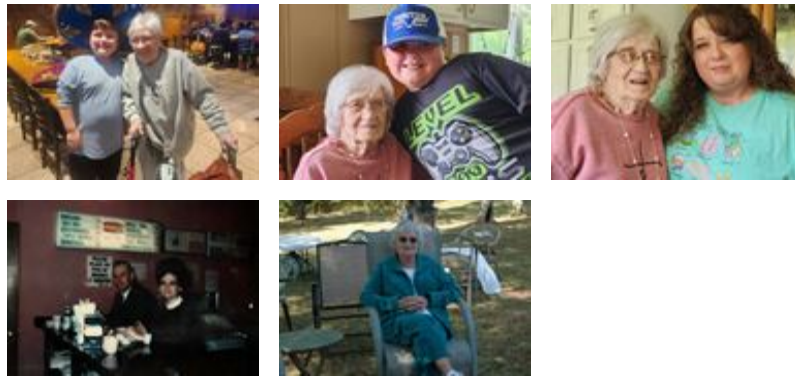
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“ I worked for Ralph and Bonnie @ Bit's and Bites in Oxford when I was 13. Made 40 cents/hour, learned a lot of life lessons and made great memories! I also babysat their children Cindy, Jenny and Preston. Precious memories.

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