



Sue Billie Matheney Lenox

June 19, 1937 - August 5, 2025

Sue Billie Matheney Lenox, 88, of Paducah, KY, passed into the loving arms of our Lord on Tuesday, August 5, 2025, at her daughter's home in Jacksonville, OR. Sue was born the daughter of the late James Faulkner Matheney and Pauline Way Matheney Timmons in Monterey, TN. Sue attended Lipscomb Academy in Nashville, TN. After graduation, Sue moved to Michigan to live with her Aunt Katherine, where she enjoyed working at Stoffers and met her former husband, Gregory Ralph Lenox. They were devoted members of the Church of Christ. Sue taught Sunday school, and they enjoyed sledding and ice skating with their three children on Thunder Lake. In 1970, they moved to Rockville Center, Long Island. Sue worked as a dental assistant and personal caregiver for John, a sea captain, and Virginia, who reached 104 years of age and volunteered at Mercy Hospital. In 1984, Sue returned to Tennessee to pursue her dream of owning a gift shop, Red Violet. In 1987, she and her daughter, Susan Gay Lenox, drove cross-country camping, fishing and sightseeing, filled with adventure. They visited her youngest daughter, Kristin Lenox-Rustin, in Ashland, Oregon. Sue moved to Chicago a few years later to care for her younger sister, Betty Ruth Rea. Sue worked for 15 years with the Illinois Tollway Division in Chicago. Sue and Betty had fun filling boxes on the Mars candy line during Christmas. After retirement, they moved to Antioch, TN, to care for their mother, Pauline. In March 2007, Sue and Betty moved a few doors from their nephew Kevin Rinearson in Paducah, KY. They continued their devotion to our Lord with the

Broadway Church of Christ, where they loved the seniors' trips and diligently worked to send children's aid worldwide. She was full of life with a bubbly personality. She was survived by two sisters, Bobbie (Barbara) Tayes of Nashville, TN, and Dottie (Doris) Maugherman of Myakka City, FL; son, Damon Gregory Lenox and his three children, Jason, Ryan, and Ariana, 2 Daughters Susan and Kristin, six nieces and nephews, Rhonda, Sheryl, Jerry, Gene, Kevin, and Michelle; and several cousins in Monterey and Cookeville, TN. In addition to her parents, she was preceded by her daughter, Susan Shawn, sister Betty, and several Aunts and Uncles. Visitation was on Friday, August 15, 2025, at 11:00 AM and funeral services followed at 12:00 PM at Goff Funeral Home, 205 E. Cleveland Ave., Monterey, TN 38574. Bro. Tim Singleton officiated and burial followed at Welch Memorial Cemetery in Monterey, TN. In lieu of flowers, the family asked that memorial contributions be given to the Monterey Church of Christ, 308 West Crawford Avenue, Monterey, TN 38574. Arrangements and Care provided by D.M. Goff Funeral Home, Inc., 205 East Cleveland Avenue, Monterey, Tennessee 38574, Phone, 931.839.2311.

Cemetery Details

Welch Memorial Cemetery

960 North Chestnut Street
Monterey, TN 38574

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 15. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Services

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Tribute Wall

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“ Dear sweet Sue will be missed by many. She had the biggest loving, caring heart to every one she met. In her later life, I spent a lot of time caring for her & Betty in their home & mine. Special ladies that I loved and respected. She is in her heavenly home now with God & loved ones. I will never forget her... prayers to all the family. Amen...

Sheila Barnard - August 14, 2025 at 10:46 AM

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“ So sorry to hear of Mrs. Lenox passing..only met her once at Kristins wedding to Raiford...she was such a lovely person. I know she whole and with her Savior..and very happy..thinking of Kristin. Raiford, Susan and her husband, and Damon and his children during this most difficult time..Cecil Hernandez, Charleston sc

Cecil Hernandez - August 13, 2025 at 08:30 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Sue Billie Matheney Lenox.



August 12, 2025 at 05:45 PM