



## Louise Melton

October 20, 1937 - November 18, 2019

Louise McClain Melton was born in Pelham, GA on October 20, 1937. She was preceded in death by her husband, Luther Alexander (L.A.) Melton of 42 years; her parents, John and Alma McClain, and brother John Dudley McClain, Jr. She is survived by her 2 sisters, Sue White of Bangor, ME, Miriam Garrett of Macon, GA; daughter Melanie and son-in-law David Collins of Commerce, GA; grandson, Wesley Collins and granddaughter-in-law, Taylor Collins of Augusta, GA; grandson, Kyle Collins of Wheeling, WV; 6 nieces, and 4 nephews. Louise attended Georgia College and State University (formerly Georgia College for Women), where she received a Bachelor's Degree in Home Economics. She retired from teaching after 31 years, 27 of which were in Rockdale County where she lived for 54 years. Louise participated in Pilot Club, 2 Bunco groups, Gadabouts, Rockdale Retired Teachers, Happy Hearts, Pathfinders Sunday School, and was an active member of Crossroads United Methodist Church. She loved teaching, sewing, cooking, and serving others. Even though she only had two grandsons, she was Nannie to many. She had a heart for young people-a passion for missions-giving and serving in many ways. She enjoyed family, meals around the table, and a hot cup of coffee. Funeral Services will be held Friday, November 22, 2019 at 1 p.m. at Crossroads United Methodist Church with Rev. Julie Schendel and Rev. Mike Morgan officiating; interment will follow at Green Meadow Memorial Gardens. Family will receive friends Thursday, November 21, 2019 from 2 until 4 p.m. and from 6 until 8 p.m. at the funeral

home. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Brain Injury Foundation of Georgia, 1447 Peachtree St, Atlanta, GA 30309, Special Olympics of Georgia, [www.specialolympics.org](http://www.specialolympics.org), Crossroads UMC, 2460 Highway 138 NE, Conyers, GA 30013, or Homestead Hospice, 1561 Lenru Rd Ste A, Bogart, GA 30622. Condolences may be submitted on-line at [www.scotward.com](http://www.scotward.com). Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Rd., Conyers, GA, 770-483-7216.

# Cemetery Details

## Green Meadow Memorial Gardens

677 Legion Rd.  
Conyers, GA 30012

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 21. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Scot Ward Funeral Services at Green Meadow Memorial Gardens  
699 American Legion Road  
Conyers, GA 30012

## Visitation

NOV 21. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Scot Ward Funeral Services at Green Meadow Memorial Gardens  
699 American Legion Road  
Conyers, GA 30012

## Service

NOV 22. 1:00 PM (ET)

Crossroads United Methodist Church  
2460 Highway 138 NE  
Conyers, GA 30013



# Tribute Wall

SD

“ I so enjoyed knowing Louise. My art room was catty-corner across the hall from her home ec room. She had a delightful personality.  
Sharon Degonia

Sharon Degonia - March 20, 2020 at 08:01 PM

TC

“ Dear family of Louise,  
I am so sorry to hear of her passing, as I was out of town. She was a dear friend and a precious pilot pal, and I always enjoyed the train set and village. My prayers are with all of you. Tiny Sherrill (Conyers Flower Shop)

Tiny Sherrill Cox - December 02, 2019 at 11:00 PM

VS

“ I had Ms.Melton for a teacher and she was one of my favorite. She seemed to love being around and teaching us. I didn't see her after graduation until I saw her at Crossroads Methodist Church. She remembered me and knew my mom and sister from church. She also remembered that I tried my best and still couldn't sew. Every time I saw her she was smiling and seemed to be so happy. This world needs more people like her, she will be missed. Love and prayers Valerie Hopkins Smith

Valerie Smith - November 22, 2019 at 06:44 PM

MC

Valerie, thank you so much! Mom did love teaching. She tried teaching me to sew. It didn't go well for me either. Melanie Collins

Melanie Collins - November 23, 2019 at 05:31 PM

JJ

“ Louise taught me in 1963 in Dublin, GA, however, she was also a close friend. She & I shared many trips to Pelham during 1963 when she was dating LA and I was visiting family there. I am so sorry to hear of her passing  
Joan Davis Johnson

Joan Davis Johnson - November 21, 2019 at 10:44 PM

MC

Joan, thank you so much. Melanie Collins

Melanie Collins - November 23, 2019 at 05:33 PM

RN

Melanie & Family,  
My heart aches for your loss. Louise also was my Home Ec. Teacher when she first starting teaching in Dublin. Fast forward many years & I am married with 2 sons moved to Conyers. Louise & I reconnect through Bunco. We spent so much time talking of past memories while making new ones. She finally convinced me to call her Louise as she was no longer my teacher. What an amazing lady she was . I shall never forget her love & kindness.

Rose Nance - December 20, 2019 at 10:05 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Louise Melton.



November 21, 2019 at 05:25 PM

TK

“ Tony, Catie, Sam, Kara purchased the Arrive in S  
tyle for the family of Louise Melton.



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**Tony, Catie, Sam, Kara** - November 21, 2019 at 11:30 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for  
the family of Louise Melton.

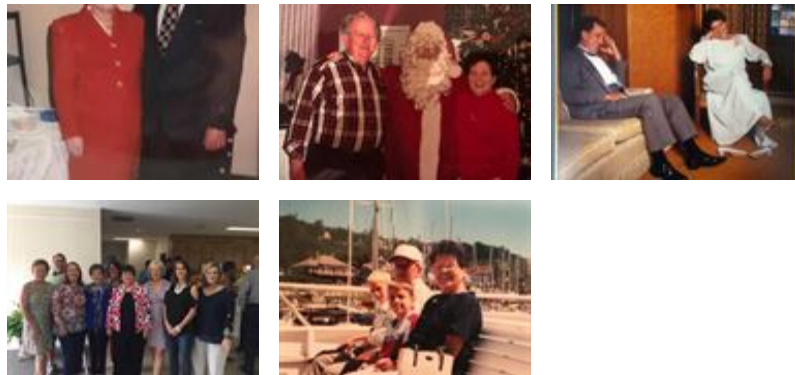


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November 21, 2019 at 10:29 AM



“ 47 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Scot Ward Funeral Services** - November 21, 2019 at 10:28 AM

LE

“ *I just loved mrs Melton we shared alot of laughs during school and  
in my adult life she will be missed Linda Edward*

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**Linda edwards** - November 21, 2019 at 06:49 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Louise Melton.*



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November 20, 2019 at 07:51 PM



“ *This makes me so sad. Mrs. Melton was my absolute favorite teacher in high school! She taught me so much more than sewing. I loved her class so much that I took it all four years. She was such a special lady. She always caught me when I had gum in my mouth. Her memory always makes me smile. I graduated in 1989 and have thought of her often. Because of her, I have been able to make lots of clothes and costumes for my children. Sending prayers to her family.*

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**Shannon Terry Stanley** - November 20, 2019 at 06:36 PM



*Shannon,  
Thank you so much for your kind words. She loved sewing and would be so pleased you have used that skill.*

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**Melanie Collins** - November 20, 2019 at 09:11 PM



“ *Rosie B. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Louise Melton.*



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**Rosie B.** - November 19, 2019 at 05:23 PM

RB

“ *Melanie and David,  
I'm so sorry to hear about your mother - my prayers and love are  
with you and your family. I loved her very much and it was wonderful  
knowing her over the years. Love you all and thinking of you. Rosie  
Bucknor*

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**Rosie Bucknor** - November 19, 2019 at 05:12 PM

MC

*Rosie,  
Thank you so much for your kind words! We love you too!*

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**Melanie Collins** - November 20, 2019 at 09:13 PM

BK

*Love and prayers to your family Melanie. The Key family. Neighbors  
from Old Salem Rd.*

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**Betty Key** - November 21, 2019 at 10:04 PM