



Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman

December 2, 1933 - September 27, 2025

Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman, 91, wife of the late Henry Ed Cushman, of Walhalla, passed away on Saturday, September 27, 2025 at Lila Doyle Post Acute.

A native of Oconee County, Mrs. Cushman was the daughter of the late J.Q. McGuffin and Rachel Turner McGuffin. Mary Lou was known for her love of gardening and she shared with others many plants from her garden on Jaynes Street in Walhalla. She was an avid reader who loved to visit the library. Mrs. Cushman worked in textiles for many years but later retired from the Walhalla Police Department and was a member of Walhalla First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Cushman is survived by her daughter: Rachel L. Smith (Cooly); son: Kirby D. Land, Jr. (Debbie);; grandchildren: Reah Land Smith (Andy), Roth Smith (Jessica), Matthew Land (Lisa), and Koban Battle (Anna); great-grandchildren: Aubrey Battle and Davis William Smith; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to her husband and parents, Mrs. Cushman was preceded in death by her first husband: Kirby Land, Sr.; sisters: Mattie Rimrodt Kelley, Maude Austin, Margie Williams, O'dell Chappell, and Marion Towe; brothers: J.T. McGuffin and L.B. McGuffin.

The family will receive friends from 3:00 – 4:00 PM, Sunday, October 5, 2025 at Davenport Funeral Home.

Flowers are accepted or memorials may be made in her memory to: Oconee County Friends of the Library: 501 W.S. Broad St., Walhalla, SC 29691.

The family is at their respective homes.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 5. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Davenport Funeral Home
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West Union, SC 29696
(864) 638-3611
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Tribute Wall



“ *Davenport Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman*



Davenport Funeral Home - September 30, 2025 at 02:58 PM

SJ

So very sorry to hear that Mary Lou has left us. She was a very loving and caring person. She will forever be in our hearts. Prayers for the family. Sandra Johnson

Sandra Johnson - September 30, 2025 at 03:55 PM

LQ

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all. She was a sweet lady to me.*



Linda Quarles - October 09, 2025 at 09:28 AM

LE

“ *Mary Lou was an amazing lady loved sitting with her and talking and making lunch and whatever else was needed She left a beautiful impact on my life! Thanks for letting me be a part of her life*



leah - October 05, 2025 at 11:39 AM

RS

“ Rhonda Stanford-Zahn purchased the Forever Our Angel Bouquet for the family of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman.



Rhonda Stanford-Zahn - October 03, 2025 at 10:23 AM

RS

“ Rhonda Stanford-Zahn planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman.

Rhonda Stanford-Zahn - October 03, 2025 at 10:23 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman.



October 01, 2025 at 11:49 AM

DO

“ Don Land Owens lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Cushman



Don Land Owens - September 30, 2025 at 06:32 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman.*



September 30, 2025 at 03:44 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman.

September 30, 2025 at 03:44 PM



“ *Dale and Marie Land lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Cushman*



Dale and Marie Land - September 30, 2025 at 01:39 PM



“ *Lots is love and prayers!*



Darla Rogers - September 30, 2025 at 09:49 AM

DC

“ Kirby so sorry to hear about your Mom. May God wrap his wonderful grace around you and your family. My prayers and thoughts are with you and Debbie at this time

Debbi Collins - September 29, 2025 at 03:09 PM



“ I never met MaryLou in person but shared many great memories with her online. She had a keen sense of humour and always a kind word for others in our forum group. I will always remember her telling us about the little dog she found. I think she named it "Bella". She spoke highly of her family and her faith in God. I loved chatting with her and it seemed like I had always known her. Thank you so much for keeping us informed about her well being over the past few years. Donna Ritter....Alberta, Canada

Donna Ritter - September 29, 2025 at 02:57 PM

PC

“ pat b Culbertson lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Cushman



pat b Culbertson - September 29, 2025 at 02:48 PM

PH

“ Pat Hall



Pat Hall - September 29, 2025 at 01:50 PM

KH

“ *Kay Pat Hall lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Cushman*



Kay Pat Hall - September 29, 2025 at 01:48 PM

WS

“ *Wayne and Peggy Sibbett lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Cushman*



Wayne and Peggy Sibbett - September 29, 2025 at 11:03 AM

RA

“ *Rod & Katherine Albertson lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Cushman*



Rod & Katherine Albertson - September 29, 2025 at 10:53 AM

LC

“ *Mary Lou was a phenomenal lady!! She was fun to be around, loved her flower garden, her children and grandchildren
Love always Leah*

Leah Cannon - September 29, 2025 at 10:07 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman.



September 29, 2025 at 08:15 AM



“ *Wayne F. Barton lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Cushman*



Wayne F. Barton - September 28, 2025 at 11:16 PM



“ *Burgess (Bird) Laye lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman*



Burgess (Bird) Laye - September 28, 2025 at 09:25 PM



“ *Renea Mahaffey lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman*



Renea Mahaffey - September 28, 2025 at 04:14 PM

SB

“ Susan Bishop purchased the Simply Elegant Spa thiphyllum for the family of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman.



Susan Bishop - September 28, 2025 at 02:42 PM

JM

“ Jim & Becky Manley lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman



Jim & Becky Manley - September 28, 2025 at 02:03 PM

VA

“ Virginia Alexander lit a candle in memory of Mrs Mary Lou McGuffin Land Cushman



Virginia Alexander - September 28, 2025 at 01:57 PM

ET

“ Mary Lou was employed with the Walhalla Police Department when my father served there, and she was highly regarded by all of my family. Her loved ones are in my thoughts and prayers in a hope that God will hold you tight during your loss.

Evelyn Cox Teague - September 28, 2025 at 12:50 PM