



Jane Marie Funkhouser

July 10, 1939 - March 4, 2025

Jane Marie Funkhouser, age 85, of Memphis, Tennessee, passed away Tuesday, March 4, 2025 in Memphis. She was born July 10, 1939, along with her twin sister Dana, in Altus, Arkansas to Milton Vanbern Dawson and Hazel S. Hall Dawson.

Jane attended the University of Arkansas and graduated with a PHD in Biochemistry. She performed research and taught at the Medical School at the University of South Alabama in Mobile, Alabama. Jane enjoyed playing tennis, golf, and sailing and settled near Mobile Bay in Daphne, Alabama.

Jane is preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Harold Funkhouser; her brother, Bud Dawson; and her twin sister, Dana Dawson Whittington.

Jane is survived by her nephew John Whittington and wife Ellen of Marion, Arkansas and their children, Jane Ellen Whittington and Dawson Lowell Whittington also of Marion, as well as her sister-in-law, Norma Dawson of Ozark, Arkansas.

Visitation will be 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M., Wednesday, March 12, 2025 at Shaffer Funeral Home, 2315 West Commercial Street in Ozark.

Graveside service will be 10:00 A.M., Thursday, March 13, 2025 at Burnett Cemetery, County Road 3001 Altus, Arkansas, with Brother Jan Akins officiating, with burial at Burnett Cemetery.

To leave an online memorial visit www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com

Cemetery Details

Burnett Cemetery

County Road 3001
Altus, AR 72821

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 12. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Shaffer Funeral Home
2315 West Commercial Street
PO Box 680
Ozark, AR 72949
(479) 667-4147
shafferfuneralhome@gmail.com

Graveside Service

MAR 13. 10:00 AM (CT)

Burnett Cemetery
County Road 3001
Altus, AR 72821

Burial

MAR 13 (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Sorry to read of Jane's passing. She and Dana were delightful. I graduated High School with them. Jane and I worked together at Adams Abstract for a long time. I was in her wedding. I have not seen her in a long time but have thought of her often. Rest in love Jane.

Ruby Adams Tolton - March 12, 2025 at 04:09 PM