



Mrs. Gwen Dora McDowell

March 9, 1956 - February 1, 2025

Mrs. Gwen Dora McDowell, 68, of McComb, MS, departed this earthly life on Saturday, February 1, 2025, at her residence in McComb, MS.

Visitation Friday, February 7, 2025, from 5pm to 7pm., Peoples Undertaking Co, Service Saturday, February 8, 2025, Mt. Canaan Missionary Baptist Church Viewing 10:00 AM until 11:00 AM and the funeral will begin at 11:00 AM, Rev. Timothy Hughes, Officiating. Internment Mt. Canaan Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery

Gwen Dora McDowell was born on March 9, 1956, in Tylertown, MS to the late James Dewitt and Ethel Bullock Lenard.

She was employed at Southwest Community College as a Canteen Assistant for many years. She was a member of the Mt. Canaan Missionary Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by: Both parents, James Dewitt Lenard and Ethel Bullock Lenard; A son, Gregory McDowell, two sisters, Brenda Joyce Lenard and Lucille Martin, and a niece Teresia Lenard.

She leaves to cherish her fondest memories Her husband Albert E. McDowell, three sons, Albert L. McDowell (Shaunta McDowell), Jerome McDowell, and

Jermy McDowell all of McComb, MS, Three brothers, James(Barbara) Lenard, Tylertown, MS, Lewis(Barbara)Lenard Magnolia, MS, Denman(Brenda)Lenard, McComb, MS, five sisters, Lorriane(Harry Patterson) Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Beverly(Freddie)Alexander, Detroit, Michigan, Neldia(Nolan)Ball, Mable Lenard both of Tylertown, MS and Vivian(Norbert Williams) Birmingham, Alabama.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Cannan Missionary Baptist Church

1012 Mt Canaan Rd,
Tylertown, MS 39667

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 7. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

FEB 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Mt. Cannan Missionary Baptist Church
1012 Mt Canaan Rd,
Tylertown, MS 39667

Service

FEB 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Peoples Undertaking Co. Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Gwen Dora McDowell



Peoples Undertaking Co. Inc. - February 11, 2025 at 12:41 PM

MA

“ Moultrie Family, Trussville, AL purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mrs. Gwen Dora McDowell.



Moultrie Family, Trussville, AL - February 06, 2025 at 11:10 PM

FL

“ Fontaine, Owens, Hamm....with Love purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Gwen Dora McDowell.



Fontaine, Owens, Hamm....with Love - February 06, 2025 at 07:11 PM

RM

“ Ran, Michelle, and Monica purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Mrs. Gwen Dora McDowell.



Ran, Michelle, and Monica - February 06, 2025 at 06:46 PM

BA

“ The love and joy you brought into our lives will never be forgotten.
Rest in peace my Dear Sister.

*Love you Forever,
Beverly Alexander*

Beverly Alexander - February 05, 2025 at 08:50 AM

DB

“ Diana & E. Jane Brewer & Leota Bell purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Gwen Dora McDowell.



Diana & E. Jane Brewer & Leota Bell - February 04, 2025 at 07:18 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Gwen Dora McDowell.



February 04, 2025 at 06:40 PM

EB

“ She was one of our "East McComb Neighborhood Mom's" So sweet, loving & attentive with a witty sense of humor. Whenever I was home visiting, The McDowell house was my first stop. She'd be sitting on her favorite chair, smiling. After a warm hug & kiss on the cheek, I would sit on the loveseat & the reminiscing & laughter would begin... something I wish I could get back. I'm going to miss those visits & your presence so much. My sincerest & heartfelt condolences to the entire family, especially Mr. Albert (one of my Dad's good friend's), Vone, Jeremy, Jerome, Aunt Nell, Aunt Mable & Uncle Denman. Rest In Love, Ms. Gwen..until we meet again. Love,
E. Jane Brewer (Atlanta, GA)

Evangeline Jane Brewer - February 04, 2025 at 04:53 PM

SA

“ To my family, Know that my prayers for all of you will continue to go up. My thoughts are with you always. Cherish all of the sweet memories that you carry in your hearts knowing that it's not goodbye, it is "I will see you later, on the other side". Auntie, you will be dearly missed, your warm and loving smile, kindness and pure love that you had for me, and everyone around you will never be forgotten. To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord. Rest peacefully in Heaven Auntie. Mark 11:23-24 was our special prayer 🙏 I will forever remember you as I continue to recite this scripture.



Love, Sharon Alexander-Brooks

Sharon Alexander-Brooks - February 04, 2025 at 02:02 PM



“ We, The Peoples Undertaking Company Staff extends our condolences to the McDowell family. In the Word of God, We can be comforted in knowing Gods promise:

*"I will not leave you comfortless; I will come to you. Yet a little while.
John 14:18-19*

We will continue to keep the McDowell family in our prayers.

The Caring Professionals of Peoples Undertaking Company INC.

Peoples Undertaking Company Inc - February 03, 2025 at 01:53 PM