



Ann Taaffe

July 12, 1943 - September 20, 2024

Ann Lou Taaffe, 81, of Jena, Florida passed away September 20, 2024. She was born July 12, 1943 to the late Lois and Nellie Eason in Bowling Green, Florida, but was raised in the Tampa area.

Mrs. Taaffe moved to the Dixie County area over 30 years ago from Ocala, Florida. When she was younger, she enjoyed hunting and fishing. Mrs. Taaffe was a member of the First Baptist Church of Jena.

Mrs. Taaffe is survived by her husband of over 50 years Pete Taaffe, her daughter Cindy Howard, her sons Derrick Howard, Dwayne Howard, and Peter Taffee, II, her sisters Nan Sue Friend and Janice Blanton, 8 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, and other extended family members.

Funeral services for Mrs. Taaffe will be held 1:00 PM Tuesday, September 24, 2024 at the First Baptist Church of Jena in Steinhatchee, Florida, with Pastor Jeffrey Vaught officiating. Interment will follow at the Mount Olive Cemetery in Jena. The family will receive friends at the Church one hour prior to the service.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City Chapel, with locations in Cross City 352-498-5400 and Chiefland 352-493-0050. Please sign the online guest book at

rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olive Cemetery

1039 SW 320th Ave
Steinhatchee, FL 32359

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 24. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Jena
758 SW Highway 361
Steinhatchee, FL 32359

Funeral Service

SEP 24. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



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