



Elizabeth "Beth" Thames

May 2, 1957 - April 22, 2021

Mrs. Elizabeth "Beth" Thames, age 63, of Atlanta, passed away Thursday, April 22, 2021. She was Media Clerk at Beulah Elementary School for 20 years and formerly worked at Winston Elementary and Lithia Springs Elementary. She was preceded in death by her husband, Gregory Travis Thames and is survived by her daughters, Stacie and Eric Farmer, Amanda and Nicholas Skinner, Kristen Thames, Allison Thames, Kaitlyn Thames; sons, Stephen Thames, Travis and Ashley Thames; grandchildren, Haiden, Ben, Joshua, Peighton, Gaby, Bella, Chloe, Eli, Kinley, Aiden, Aaliyah, Kam, Aubrey, Niomie, and Opal; her boyfriend of 3 years, Steven Lawrence; brother, Reed Pollard; brother in-law, Allan and Celia Thames, Brian and Jayne Thames; nieces, nephews, great niece and great nephews. A funeral service will be held Tuesday, April 27, 2021 at 3:30 p.m. at Union Christian Church with remains placed in state at 2:30 p.m. Minister Allan Thames and Dale Hutchins officiating. Those wishing may sign the online guestbook at www.parrottfuneralhome.com. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to Autism Speaks, www.autismspeaks.org.

The family will receive friends Monday evening from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. at Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory, 770-964-4800.

Cemetery Details

Union Christian Church Cemetery

3595 Union Rd
College Park, GA 30349

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **26**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory
8355 Senoia Road
Fairburn, GA 30213
(770) 964-4800
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<https://www.parrottfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

APR **27**. 3:30 PM (ET)

Union Christian Church
3595 Union Rd., SW
College Park, GA 30349

Tribute Wall

MU

“ *MembersFirst Credit Union lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames*



MembersFirst Credit Union - May 06, 2021 at 11:09 AM

MU

*We are sure are sad to hear of Beth's Passing. The staff of MembersFirst Credit Union want you to know we are praying for God to comfort the family during the days to come.
The Staff of MembersFirst Credit Union,*

MembersFirst Credit Union - May 06, 2021 at 11:11 AM

LA

“ *I am so sorry to hear about Beth. She and Greg were always so good to me and I am heartbroken for her family. Prayers for you all in the coming days, weeks and months. What an amazing legacy that she and Greg left.*

Lauren - April 27, 2021 at 03:18 PM

JS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with ALL of the Thames family - children, grand and extended. My heart breaks for you during this most difficult time. Beth was always such a light when I would see her, coming into Beulah several years ago. I also knew her growing up, as her daughter Amanda and I were friends. She was just as amazing then. She bragged about her kids and even more so, of her grandkids. I know she missed her husband and their reunion, I am sure, was probably the most precious time for her but I know so many that are hurting here on Earth of her absence. I pray for time, patience, love and understanding. You have family and friends to lean on - so please reach out if ever you have a need. A donation has been made to Autism Awareness, in her name, so that she may continue to help others.

Jennifer Smith - April 27, 2021 at 01:17 PM

TE

“ Giving thanks to Mrs. Thames for sharing her light and love. She truly made my son's experience and mine as a parent a delight. She genuinely loved and cared about the students at Beulah and it spoke volumes. Peace unto you Mrs. Thames

Tempest - April 27, 2021 at 11:06 AM

KM

“ Thank you Beth for all the love you showed our children through all the years at Beulah Elementary. Your kindness & love of family was immeasurable. I send my condolences to your family. You made those that knew you better for having known you.

Kimberly May - April 27, 2021 at 10:58 AM



“ Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.



April 27, 2021 at 10:44 AM



“ Rest in paradise. Thank you for brightening the world with your smile.



Michelle Williams - April 27, 2021 at 09:13 AM



I met Mrs. Thames at Beulah 10 years ago. Her sweet spirit made a lasting impression on me. My heartfelt condolences to her family and hosts of friends.

Michelle Williams - April 27, 2021 at 09:17 AM



“ To the Thames Gang our love and condolences go out to you. Just thinking when you were little kids playing at the top of the hill! We are here for you💔💔

Terri Canavan - April 26, 2021 at 03:27 PM

MR

“ It is hard to believe that this world is without you. If there was ever an angel on earth, it was you! Thank you for all the wonderful memories of working together, loving my children as your own, and just being a friend. It seems impossible to put all my emotions into words, but just know that you are loved very much. Although I cannot be there tonight or tomorrow, my heart is with you and yours.



-Melissa Russell & Family

Melissa Russell - April 26, 2021 at 03:09 PM

KK

“ Beth, I am heartbroken. Many prayers for your beloved children and grandchildren. I will miss seeing you on FB and am thankful to have known you



Kathy Key - April 26, 2021 at 01:53 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.



April 26, 2021 at 01:04 PM



“ 50 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Parrott Funeral Home - April 26, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.



April 26, 2021 at 10:25 AM

JD

“ Don't know where to start. Have so many fond memories from over the years. We lived two doors down from each other growing up. She babysat me when she was 11. She helped teach me to swim. We went trick or treating together. We did everything together. I was always running down to her house and she mine. We were inseparable. I remember when she graduated from South Cobb High, her getting married, the birth of her children, the day she and Greg bought their first house. We spent holidays together and we had a blast. She was my best friend then and continued to be throughout our adult lives.

We had a strange babysitting situation. She babysat me when I was young. I babysat for her when her children were young. She babysat my son when he was young. Full circle babysitting that we would laugh and joke about all the time.

We would talk for hours and laugh, share about the kids, grandkids, and everything else in between. We cried together, laughed together, and shared our faith. She was older than me so she became more than my best friend. She was a mentor. She was my sister, my family. We were always a part of each other's lives thick through thin, heartache to bursting hearts. She was empowering, strong, inspirational, loving, and everything else you'd want in a human being. My life was very blessed because she was so much a part of my life. I love her and will miss her. I know in my heart she hasn't left us completely. God made her an angel and she'll still be with all of us. Love you Beth. I'll keep my promise to you.

Julie Davis - April 26, 2021 at 10:14 AM

GA

I had ms.thames when i was in beulah she was a great person she was an assistant to ms clarke and i am proud knowing as a 7th grader that i know ms.thames is in a better place,i know that she is probably looking over my 7th grade classroom laughing and catching up with those she lost.

gary - April 26, 2021 at 10:32 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 26, 2021 at 07:16 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 26, 2021 at 05:24 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 25, 2021 at 10:08 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.



April 25, 2021 at 09:42 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.



April 25, 2021 at 01:33 PM



“ Beth been knowing you for a long time our kids grew up together n had a lot of fun. you will be missed so much n all the laughs n fun we had back in the day. Love you my friend. My heart is with all the family n you all are in my prays

Marian glover - April 25, 2021 at 11:44 AM



“ Beth will always remain in my heart as the sweetest and caring person that I have worked with. My family and I send our deepest condolences to you all. May the Lord bless your family with his peace and keep you all in his embrace forever.
Ms. Bonheur

Yvette Bonheur - April 24, 2021 at 02:16 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 24, 2021 at 12:06 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 24, 2021 at 11:06 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 24, 2021 at 10:18 AM



“ *I was an upperclassman at South Cobb High of Beth's but used to see her on Facebook in recent years. I want to extend my deepest sympathy to your entire family. I'm praying for all of you and the students at Beulah who loved her.*

Susan Osborne Weegar - April 24, 2021 at 08:40 AM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 23, 2021 at 09:10 PM



“ *Ms. Thames was a genuinely sweet person. She cared for the children at Beulah and always had a smile. Thank you for sharing her with us.*

Kimberly - April 23, 2021 at 09:03 PM



“ *Jayne Bennett lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames*



Jayne Bennett - April 23, 2021 at 08:59 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 23, 2021 at 06:54 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 23, 2021 at 06:47 PM



“ *We met as neighbors and watched as our kids became friends. Beth and Greg were always extremely kind and even after we moved away our families kept up with each other. Beth was an amazing mother, always there to cheer on and brag on her kids and became an even more amazing grandmother. I loved watching her exploits with the "grands" and it was evident that she made time to create special memories with each one of them that were uniquely theirs. Her dedication to her in laws, her children, her grandchildren and to Greg's memory were truly a reflection of the heart that she had for all she held dear. My heart aches for your family and the tremendous loss you must be feeling. I do know though that she felt Greg near in the times she needed him the most and I know she will be doing the same for each of you, her love will never leave you. All our love to you all...The Reece Family*

Heather Reece - April 23, 2021 at 06:17 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 23, 2021 at 05:48 PM

DP

“ *Condolences from the Percell Family.*

She was definitely loved by the parents and students of Beulah Elementary School. I had the pleasure of teaching her daughter and she worked at the School where my son attended. She will definitely be missed! My prayers go out to her family.

Deta Percell of Turner Middle School and Clifford Percell, former student of Beulah Elementary.

Deta Percell - April 23, 2021 at 05:35 PM

LH

“ *Lawrence Harmon lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames*



Lawrence Harmon - April 23, 2021 at 05:31 PM

LH

Sending my thoughts and prayers for the entire family so sorry. Wish I could do more may God send angels of comfort for you. Lawrence Harmon

Lawrence Harmon - April 23, 2021 at 05:35 PM



“ *Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 23, 2021 at 05:30 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 23, 2021 at 05:01 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Beth" Thames.*



April 23, 2021 at 04:41 PM