



## Mary Ellen Langford Holmesley

May 4, 1945 - August 24, 2025

Mary Ellen Langford Holmesley, 80, passed away on Sunday, August 24, 2025.

Born in Greenville, she was a daughter of the late Kathleen Goodlett. Mrs. Holmesley graduated from Parker High School, was a Cosmetologist for many years and was a member of Wrenn Memorial Baptist Church.

Surviving is her husband: Donnie Glenn Nichols; one son: Charles Norman Holmesley, Jr. (Sue Ellen); one daughter-in-law: Tracy Lyn Hanna Holmesley; four grandchildren: Charles N. Holmesley, III "Chaise" (Monica), Ashley Avery (David), Dillon Holmesley (Kristen), and Brittany "Bree" Holmesley; and five great grandchildren: Brayden Brock, Austin Cordell, Liam Brock, Aubree Holmesley, and Caroline Holmesley.

Along with her mother, she was predeceased by her first husband: Charles Norman Holmesley, Sr.; and one son: Mark Eugene Holmesley.

The family will receive friends Monday evening, September 1, 2025 from 5:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. at The Howze Mortuary.

Graveside services will be at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 2, 2025 at Woodlawn Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's/Parkinson Association, 2300 5th Ave., #150 Vero Beach, FL 32960.

Online condolences may be expressed to the family at [www.thehowzemortuary.com](http://www.thehowzemortuary.com)

The Howze Mortuary, Travelers Rest, is in charge of the arrangements. (864) 834-8051.

# Cemetery Details

## Woodlawn Memorial Park

1 Pine Knoll Dr.  
Greenville, SC

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 1. 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary  
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369  
Travelers Rest, SC

## Graveside Service

SEP 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

Woodlawn Memorial Park  
1 Pine Knoll Dr.  
Greenville, SC

# Tribute Wall

NF

“ Nina, Chaise, Ashley and Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Mary Ellen Langford Holmesley.



Nina, Chaise, Ashley and Family - September 01, 2025 at 10:59 AM

NF

“ Nina, Chaise, Ashley and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Ellen Langford Holmesley.

Nina, Chaise, Ashley and Family - September 01, 2025 at 10:59 AM

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“ Abundant Life Church planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Ellen Langford Holmesley.

Abundant Life Church - August 29, 2025 at 01:55 PM

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“ Abundant Life Church purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mary Ellen Langford Holmesley.



Abundant Life Church - August 29, 2025 at 01:55 PM

JN

“ *Mary Ellen was a special lady. Glens brother Ron and I had some good times together when they got married. Family , you have my sympathy. May God bless you.*

Joan Nchols - August 28, 2025 at 09:05 PM

SF

“ *Scott & Joy (Guthrie) Owen & Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mary Ellen Langford Holmesley.*



Scott & Joy (Guthrie) Owen & Family - August 28, 2025 at 12:12 PM

SF

“ *Scott & Joy (Guthrie) Owen & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Ellen Langford Holmesley.*

Scott & Joy (Guthrie) Owen & Family - August 28, 2025 at 12:12 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mary Ellen Langford Holmesley.*



August 27, 2025 at 05:06 PM

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“ *Annie Mae Blackburn lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Holmesley*

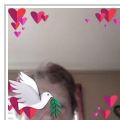


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**Annie Mae Blackburn** - August 26, 2025 at 03:27 PM

JK

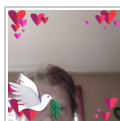
“ *Mary Ellen was my cousin by marriage. Even though we weren't blood cousins, we always felt a special bond. Growing up, I would love to visit her and Norman so much. Prayers for Glenn, Chuck and all the family. With sympathy and prayers, your Texas cousin, Jan*

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**Janine Kerr** - August 26, 2025 at 02:15 PM



*Mary Ellen was my niece but we were like sisters e my mom raised her most half her life*

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**Snookie Clark** - August 27, 2025 at 04:46 PM



*I love her so much*

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**Snookie Clark** - August 27, 2025 at 04:47 PM

JV

*Was a neighbor of Mary Ellen's for several years. Always smiling dressed to the nines every day. A true southern lady. Rest in peace sweet lady you've earned it. Joan Vaughan.*

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**Joan Vaughan** - August 27, 2025 at 06:57 PM