



Mildred Kay McAdams

April 9, 1937 - December 1, 2025

Mildred Kay McAdams, 88, of Ashdown, AR passed away on Monday, December 1, 2025. Kay was born in 1937 to Martha and William Franklin Anderson in Toulminville, AL, a suburb of Mobile, AL. Kay had a very busy life. After graduating from high school in 1955, she was employed at Brookly Air Force Base. Later, she went to work for the Army Corps of Engineers. In 1969 the family moved to Dothan, AL. She worked at Dothan Nursing Home. In 1970 the family moved to Edmundston, New Brunswick, Canada for her husband, Ray, to accept a position as Transportation Manager for a paper company, Fraser Paper Ltd. She would later work for that paper company. In 1980 the family moved to Ashdown, AR, where her husband, Ray, and son, David, started work for the local paper company. In 1982, Kay started nursing school at William Buchanan School of Nursing on the Texarkana Community College campus. She graduated in 1986 as a registered nurse.

Kay's greatest gift in life was her family. Her hobbies were gardening and painting. Her paintings are scattered about four countries.

She was preceded in death by two sons, infant Jonathan Ray McAdams and years later, Jonathan Craig McAdams. Also, by siblings, sisters Connie Howell and Gwin Williams and brother, William Franklin Anderson, Jr.

She is survived by husband of 69 years, Ray McAdams and son, David McAdams.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, December 3, 2025 at 1:00 at First United Methodist Church in Ashdown with Bro. Jim Cross officiating. Visitation will

begin at noon, one hour prior to the service. Interment will be at Wilmer Cemetery on Monday, December 8, 2025 at 10:00 in Mobile, AL.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 3. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
145 E Commerce Street
Ashdown, AR 71822

Funeral Service

DEC 3. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Madden Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mildred Kay McAdams*



Madden Funeral Home - December 02, 2025 at 11:43 AM

KS

I met Kay at Ashdown Sr Center. She was a very sweet pretty lady and will be missed. My Deepest condolences to family

Kathy Stokes - December 02, 2025 at 04:46 PM

EM

David, I am sorry for your loss.

Elton Miller - December 03, 2025 at 05:27 PM

PL

“ *Kay was a very special lady. Always enjoyed our visits at the senior citizens. Family in my 🙏*

Patsy Little - December 04, 2025 at 06:22 PM

BT

“ *Sympathies from the Crowe Family in Georgia. We first met Kay in 1955 at the wedding of Ray's sister. In the years since, we've heard wonderful stories from our Wilmer family.*

Barbara Crowe Tarpley - December 04, 2025 at 08:22 AM

SS

“ *Ray and David, you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Scott Stevens - December 03, 2025 at 06:36 PM

GM

“ *Ray & David, I am so sorry for your loss. Kay was a true Southern lady...I loved to hear her talk. She is surely resting in the arms of our Savior now. God bless you with peace at this time.*

Gail McKellar - December 02, 2025 at 04:34 PM