



## Mrs. Thelma Davis Kennamer

January 4, 1932 - December 12, 2025

The family of Thelma Davis Kennamer, 93, is saddened to announce her peaceful passing on December 12, 2025. She was surrounded by her family as she passed on to meet her Lord and Savior. She was born in Grant, Alabama on January 4, 1932 to Samuel E. and Bertie Sutton Davis.

Thelma was a devoted homemaker who provided tirelessly for her family and dedicated her life to them. She found great joy in the kitchen, whether she was cooking, baking, or canning. Her home was always filled with the smells of good food, country music, and love.

A member of the First Baptist Church of Grant, Thelma later attended Lifepoint Church, Smyrna after moving to Tennessee in 2012, where she formed many cherished friendships. She passed on her values of hard work and her love of country music to her family. In her final days, she expressed with joy and peace that she was excited to meet Jesus. As she passed, the expressions of love from her family and “The Old Rugged Cross” played by her favorite singer-George Jones-filled the room.

She is survived by her daughter, Shirley (David) Sanders; granddaughters, Emily (Jason) Dale and Laci (Josh) Barnes; sister, Katie Davis Norman; great granddaughters, Avery Dale and Lucy Barnes; nephew, Shane (Cari) Norman; and great nieces, Audrey Norman and Neeley (Matthew) Hager.

Along with her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, William G. "Doc" Kennamer.

Honoring her wishes, there will be a graveside service at Free Home Cemetery in Grant on Monday, December 15, 2025 at 1 p.m.

Arrangements Entrusted to Grant Memorial Chapel

# Cemetery Details

## Free Home Cemetery

Free Home Rd.  
Grant, AL 35747

# Previous Events

## Graveside

DEC 15. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Grant, AL 35747

# Tribute Wall

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“ I didn't know Thelma very well. However, my family and I went to church in Huntsville, Shiloh Baptist Church, in the early 70's with Katie and her hubby. They were expecting their first baby when their mobile home was destroyed by a tornado. Another family from our church lived across the street from the Normans and got the two of them under their house's crawlspace. When they came out, only the foundation of the house was standing. Since Katie was from Grant originally and we lived there, I put a sign in Melvin Dennis' store and collected food for Katie and her hubby. I'm so sorry for your loss Katie. I know this is long, but I think about you occasionally and if you see this, I would love to reconnect with you. Lynn Russell

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**Lynn Russell** - December 14, 2025 at 04:03 PM

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“ Laci, Josh, and All the Family, we are so sorry to hear of your mom passing. Sure hard to give up our mom. We Pray for your Comfort during this hard time. She will be missed. ☐ 🙏🙏🙏

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**Brenda Walls** - December 14, 2025 at 10:10 AM

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“ I spent many many hours at her house when I was growing up. Praying for her families.

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**Patty smith** - December 13, 2025 at 12:17 PM