



## Sheliah Mae Whitley

April 9, 1962 - January 27, 2024

Sheliah Mae Whitley, 61, passed away Saturday, January 27, 2024, at her home in Marietta. She was born in Somerville, TN, on April 9, 1962. Her parents were John E. Crum and Donna VanDyke Crum. She enjoyed fishing, watching sports and cooking. She loved spending time with her husband, grandchildren, and her church family. Anytime that you saw Sheliah, she was smiling.

She is survived by her husband, Bobby Wade Whitley; children, Mallory (Seth) Lewis, Rachel (Jesse) Finley, and Ryan Whitley; grandchildren, Leelyn Finley, Sadie Lewis, and Rilyn Finley; brother, Kenny (Becky) Crum; sisters, Linda (Ron) Jacoby, Carolyn Reddick, Tina (Ronnie) Thomas; father and mother-in-law, Robert (Martha) Whitley; and a host of nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Funeral services will be 3:00 PM Tuesday, January 30, 2024, at East Marietta Baptist Church with Bro. Ray Hall officiating. Visitation will be Monday night, January 29, 2024, from 5:00 until 9:00 PM at Booneville Funeral Home.

Visiting time will also be from 11:00 until service time on Tuesday at the church. Burial will be in Sumners Chapel Cemetery. Booneville Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers will be Ricky Lewis, Derek Devaughn, Trinston Reddick, Danny Holder, Matt Thornton, and Tyler Thornton.

# Cemetery Details

**Sumner's Chapel Cemetery**

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

JAN 30. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

East Marietta Baptist Church  
Marietts, MS 38856

# Tribute Wall

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“ When thinking of Sheliah, I see smiles, laughter, cooking, a love of kids, a hard worker, helper, a good listener...just a great lady and friend. She would get so aggravated at that cafeteria computer, but was always determined to make it work! And that she did! She was patient, when I know it was hard; she was kind; even though she was frustrated; and she kept going; even though I know she wanted to quit. That was her character. She applied that in the small and the big things. She was dedicated and I knew I could count on her. She loved her sweet family.. always so very proud of them. I could go on and on but what I know is that all of heaven rejoices as she is home and I know I will see that smiling face again when I get there. We will miss her here, but we know Lord...its only for a little while. Lord thank you for our sister and for her life she shared with us.

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**Tanya Morgan** - January 30, 2024 at 01:04 PM

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“ Sheliah (Gigi) always had an infectious smile. She could walk in a room and could make everyone smile without speaking a word. My grand babies and Sadie are going to feel lost without Gigi. She was so sweet and loved all three the same. Prayers for the family in days to come.

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**Charlotte Finley** - January 29, 2024 at 03:57 PM

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“ Love you dear Sister. A godly woman and she would do her best to help anyone that needed her. Loved by all that knew her. She has the biggest heart!!!

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**Carolyn** - January 28, 2024 at 09:12 PM

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“ *My sister was a beautiful lady who loved her family and she was so special to so many people. She will be missed and there is a high hole in our hearts. Heaven got a beautiful angel* 😇❤️

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**Linda Jacoby** - January 28, 2024 at 06:24 PM