



## Ellen Alderman Gunnels

May 27, 1920 - December 15, 2015

Ellen Alderman Gunnels, 95, passed away in Tallahassee, Florida on December 15, 2015.

Born in Colquitt County, Georgia to John and Minnie Alderman, she graduated from Colquitt High School. She spent her career as an office manager for the Business Services at Florida State University. Since 1960 she was an active member of Thomasville Road Baptist Church.

Mrs. Gunnels was preceded in death by her husband, William Woodrow Gunnels; granddaughter, Amy Elizabeth Gunnels; three brothers, four sisters, and her parents.

She is survived by her sons, William W. "Bill" Gunnels, Jr. (Kaye) of Monticello, Florida and Richard Lee Gunnels of Tallahassee; grandchildren, Ellen Ann Gunnels, Jill Gunnels Denton (Jon), William Casey Gunnels (Claudia); four great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A visitation will be held Thursday, December 17 from 5:00-7:00 p.m. at Bevis Funeral Home, 2710 N. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida, 32303. The service will be held Friday, December 18 at 1:00 p.m. at Bevis Funeral Home. Following the service, interment will be at Roselawn Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Thomasville Road Baptist Church Building Fund, 3131 Thomasville Rd, Tallahassee, FL 32308. Rocky Bevis and Elizabeth Chambers of Bevis Funeral Home are assisting the family with their arrangements (850-385-2193, [www.bevisfh.com](http://www.bevisfh.com))



# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 17. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home & Crematory  
200 John Knox Rd  
Tallahassee, FL 32303  
(850) 385-2193

## Service

DEC 18. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“*Ms. Ellen was a very special lady. Her inner strength, unwavering faith and love for her family were phenomenal. I especially loved her stories about when she, Woodrow and her children were young. What humor and love she showed through those stories! Her family in Heaven and all God's angels are welcoming her and rejoicing.*

*To Ric, Ellie and Bill, please know my thoughts and Prayers are with you. May the memories you hold in your heart comfort and bless you. And Ric, I know you and your mom shared a special bond. My favorite memory was pulling into the neighborhood a few years back and seeing you and your mom walking and talking together. It was the everyday moments you shared at that time that showed how much you cared for and enjoyed one another. And her stories about you showed her great love for you. May God bless and keep you now.*

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