



## Katie Francis Adams Goines

October 17, 1934 - October 12, 2019

Katie Francis Kennedy Adams Goines, 84 transitioned on Saturday, October 12, 2019. She was born on October 17, 1934 in Camden Alabama. She was the 3rd daughter of 13 children of the late Sam and Ruth Kennedy.

She was educated at Camden Academy and after high school relocated to Massachusetts. In 1958 she married the late Joe Nathan Adams. Katie was employed and retired from the General Electric Corporation after 23 years. While residing in Pittsfield she was a loyal member of Second Congregation Church, proudly serving as a member of the choir and as a trustee, also serving on numerous committees including the Annual Martin Luther King Day service. Katie was an active member of the local Pittsfield branch of the NAACP. In 1996 she married the late Oliver Goines and moved to Charlotte, NC. Shortly after she joined the New St. John Missionary Baptist Church. Katie was continuously involved in spearheading the Kennedy family reunion committee for over forty years.

Katie's life and influence was a blessing to all that knew her. Be it a kind word, stern advice or a whopping, God used her to help shape and keep his children. Her loving spirit will live on through all those she has touched.

Katie was preceded in death by her husband, Oliver, brothers James, Wazell, Ernest, Sam (Emma) Leon, David (Arlene) and Wayne and sisters Nancy, Adele and Sallye. She is survived by sisters Ruth McIntosh of AL and sister Magdalene and brother-in-law Len Patton of AL, her loving children, son Gary, daughter-in-law Susan of VA and daughter Glenda whom she made her home

with in Charlotte, granddaughter Raegan and great grandson Desmond of MD, grandson Shea of MA, and a host of loving cousins, nieces, nephews, relatives and dear friends.

She fought the good fight, she finished her course, she never lost her faith, now she can rest.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Memory Gardens

8901 Lawyers Road  
Charlotte, NC 28227  
<http://www.cmseast.com/sunset-memory-gardens/>

# Previous Events

## Gathering of Friends and Family

OCT 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

New Saint John Missionary Baptist Church  
2000 St Johns Church Road  
Charlotte, NC 28215

## Celebration of Life Service

OCT 18. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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2000 St Johns Church Road  
Charlotte, NC 28215

# Tribute Wall



“ *Katie Francis Adams Goines*

October 05, 2023 at 07:26 AM



“ *Katie Francis Adams Goines*

October 24, 2022 at 08:52 PM



“ *Glenda, Gary & family. I was so sorry to learn of your mom's passing. She was an incredible woman & dear friend of my mom who always looked forward to their yearly laughs. I think that is what I remember most about her is her infectious laugh and tremendous smile. I remember as a child being at her home & her little dog & the antics which went on. Or visiting Charlotte with a friend of mine & being lost & she talked us out of a traffic jam. She was always there, if not in person then in spirit. May her gracious soul be at peace and you find solace in the grand memories you hold dear of her. Love you Katie, you will be missed. ♡ Nikki Kellogg, Pittsfield, Ma*

**Nicole Kellogg** - October 19, 2019 at 09:57 AM



“ *Glenda and Gary, our sincere condolences for the loss of your mother, you are in our thoughts and prayers. Memories from the old neighborhood in Pittsfield.*

*Joe and Tina Maffuccio*

**Joe Maffuccio** - October 19, 2019 at 09:23 AM

CK

“ Glenda, Gary and family . Katie was a true friend having worked with her for many years she became like an older sister to me . I will miss our yearly birthday calls that always left me laughing so hard my sides would ache. She was always there whether it was a stern lecture or a gentle guiding thought. She meant a lot to my family Marc and Nikki and will be truly missed. Chris Kellogg

chris kellogg - October 18, 2019 at 08:47 AM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Katie Francis Adams Goines.



October 18, 2019 at 08:28 AM

KG

“ Gary and Glenda, We are sorry for your loss. May God Grace and Mercy continue to be with you and your family. May God Bless you with Comfort, Love and Peace. Love Kenny and Michele.



Kenneth and Michele Giles - October 18, 2019 at 03:18 AM

MK

“ Gary and Glenda, Sorry for your loss. May God Bless you and keep you. Aunt Mary.

Mary Kelly - October 18, 2019 at 03:10 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Katie Francis Adams Goines.



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October 17, 2019 at 12:28 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Katie Francis Adams Goines.



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October 16, 2019 at 07:24 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Katie Francis Adams Goines.



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October 16, 2019 at 06:32 PM

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“ Gary, Glenda and all the family:  
May your faith, inner strength, and the power of God's love carry you through this time of sorrow. I will miss my cousin Katie and our frequent telephone calls whereby many of our conversations were lengthy and sometimes short. Most were filled with laughter talking about things of the past. Our conversations always ended with "I love you". Now she sleeps in peace in the loving arms of our Lord and Savior.

Fran

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**Fran Weaver** - October 16, 2019 at 06:07 PM

BT

“ Ballston Quarter Management Team purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Katie Francis Adams Goines.



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**Ballston Quarter Management Team** - October 16, 2019 at 12:13 PM

LS

“ Katie and I were neighbors and friends for around 20 years. We talked on the phone regularly and visited each other. She was a delightful person to know. I will miss her so much. My sympathies to Glenda, Gary and Sue and all the other family members.

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**Larry Skipper** - October 16, 2019 at 07:23 AM

KN

Katie, will be truly missed, I always enjoy our talks. We would talk a lot of smack when playing cards would always lead to a lot of laughter. Love YOU, my cousin. Karen's

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**Karen Nixon** - October 16, 2019 at 11:44 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Katie Francis Adams Goines.



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October 15, 2019 at 11:50 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Christine** - October 15, 2019 at 09:51 PM



“ Christine lit a candle in memory of Katie Francis Adams Goines



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**Christine** - October 15, 2019 at 09:50 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Katie Francis Adams Goines.



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October 15, 2019 at 04:26 PM

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“ *Blanca Rivas lit a candle in memory of Katie Francis Adams Goines*



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**blanca rivas** - October 15, 2019 at 12:36 PM

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“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Tina Helms** - October 15, 2019 at 12:20 PM

DN

*Your love, your heart, and your smile priceless. Rest auntie I know you fought a good fight. Love Niecy*

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**Denise noble** - October 15, 2019 at 09:13 PM

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“ *Katie was the most loving, caring friend & neighbor anyone could have. I will miss her sweet face & visits beyond words! I know she is in heaven & out of pain. She loved all her family members deeply. She & I enjoyed talking about our families & our growing up years. Many good laughs & memories we shared. Prayers go out especially to Gary, Sue & Glenda, also to all who loved her.*



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**Tina Helms** - October 15, 2019 at 12:16 PM

AB

*Several years ago, Katie's sister, Magdalene and I went to Massachusetts to pursue work for the summer. Magdalene stayed with one sister and I stayed with Katie. I will forever be grateful to her for her warm hospitality. Rest in peace Katie. My sincere condolences to the rest of the family.*

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**Alice Burton** - October 16, 2019 at 01:39 PM