



Sarah Jane Gilliland

June 17, 1955 - July 20, 2025

Sarah Jane Gilliland, age 70, of Jackson, Ohio, passed away peacefully on Sunday, July 20, 2025. Born on June 17, 1955, in Wellston, Ohio, she was the beloved daughter of the late Calvin Lloyd Gilliland and Mary Ellen Bright.

In addition to her parents, Sarah was preceded in death by her former husband, Eddie; her grandson, Dakota; her sister, Rachel; her brother, Babe; her best friend, Mel Miller; and many cherished aunts and uncles.

Sarah is survived by her loving children: Sharon (Fred) Southall of Steubenville, OH; Darrell “Bub” Mollett of Columbus, OH; Adam Mollett of Jackson, OH; and Brandi Ann Yerian of Oak Hill, OH. She was a proud and devoted grandmother to Ashely, Justin, Kaydence, Nathaniel, Hattie, Adam, Mary Jane, Bella, and Jackson, and a joyful great-grandmother to Bryson, Jayely, and Naserah. She is also survived by her sister, Kim, and her dear aunts, Bootie and Rosie.

Sarah’s life was centered around her love for her family. She found her greatest joy in spending time with her children, grandchildren, and grandpuppies—always ready to spoil them with love and laughter. She was a woman of many passions, enjoying music, gardening, birdwatching, board games with family, and curling up with a good book.

Her warmth, kindness, and gentle spirit touched the lives of all who knew her. Sarah will be deeply missed and forever remembered by her family, friends, and all whose hearts she touched.

Calling hours will be held on Thursday, July 24, 2025, from 3:00 to 5:00 PM at Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home, (Jackson) with funeral services immediately following. Cremation will take place following the service. In accordance with Sarah's wishes, no graveside services will be held.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **24.** 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home
135 Broadway Street
Jackson, OH 45640
(740) 286-4161

Funeral Service

JUL **24.** 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JC

“*Jeremy & Carrie Conley, and the T&R Crew planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sarah Jane Gilliland.*

Jeremy & Carrie Conley, and the T&R Crew - July 23, 2025 at 03:42 PM

JC

“*Jeremy & Carrie Conley, and the T&R Crew purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Sarah Jane Gilliland.*



Jeremy & Carrie Conley, and the T&R Crew - July 23, 2025 at 03:42 PM

TA

“*Tina, Kirk and Addilyn purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Sarah Jane Gilliland.*



Tina, Kirk and Addilyn - July 23, 2025 at 01:11 PM

FS

“*Frederick and Sharon Southall planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sarah Jane Gilliland.*

Frederick and Sharon Southall - July 23, 2025 at 12:50 PM

YF

“ Your Bob Evans Family purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Sarah Jane Gilliland.



Your Bob Evans Family - July 22, 2025 at 05:01 PM

J3

“ Julie Dowler @ Get Go 3537 planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sarah Jane Gilliland.

Julie Dowler @ Get Go 3537 - July 22, 2025 at 03:35 PM

J3

“ Julie Dowler @ Get Go 3537 purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Sarah Jane Gilliland.



Julie Dowler @ Get Go 3537 - July 22, 2025 at 03:35 PM

DB

“ Douglas & Hannah Bonecutter planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sarah Jane Gilliland.

Douglas & Hannah Bonecutter - July 22, 2025 at 01:25 PM

DB

“ Douglas & Hannah Bonecutter purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Sarah Jane Gilliland.



Douglas & Hannah Bonecutter - July 22, 2025 at 01:25 PM

SB

“ You are truly one of the most kind, loving souls I'veever known. You always saw the goodness in all of us, and loved with your whole heart. I love you Sarah.

Stacy Bright - July 22, 2025 at 12:55 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Sarah Jane Gilliland.



July 22, 2025 at 12:42 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Sarah Jane Gilliland.

July 22, 2025 at 12:42 PM

FK

“ From Brandi and Kids purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Sarah Jane Gilliland.



From Brandi and Kids - July 22, 2025 at 12:27 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Sarah Jane Gilliland.

July 22, 2025 at 11:33 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sarah Jane Gilliland.



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