



## Mrs. June Kay Allred

March 31, 1934 - January 16, 2019

A memorial service for Mrs. June Allred, 84, of Anniston, will be held at 2:00 on Sunday, January 27, 2019, at First United Methodist Church of Anniston.

Mrs. Allred passed away on Wednesday, January 16, 2019 at her home. Mrs. Allred is preceded in death by her husband, Bill Allred; and parents, Acie and Faye Meeks.

Mrs. Allred received her Master's Degree from Jacksonville State University and parlayed her education into a rewarding career as an educator and principal. She began as a teacher at Johnston Elementary School, and was promoted to assistant principal at Constantine Elementary School. She was long-time Principal at Golden Springs Elementary School, where she was inducted into the Delta Kappa Gama Sorority and eventually retired. She was active in her church, serving as a Sunday School teacher for many years at the First United Methodist Church of Anniston. She enjoyed traveling, adventure, playing piano, oil painting, and was always active after her retirement. She was a loving wife, mother, and grandmother.

Survivors include her children, Fred Gesling and his wife, Sandee, of Tallahassee, FL, John Gesling, of Deltona, FL, and Johanna Rogers, of Anniston; step-children, Jan Otwell, Jean Allred, Conner Allred, and David Allred; eight grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

# Events

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**JAN**   **Memorial Service**                      02:00PM  
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First United Methodist Church of Anniston  
1400 Noble Street, Anniston, AL, US, 36201

# Comments

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“ I loved and admired June. Due to distance and other circumstances, our times together were always too short and too few, but I treasure the memories from them all--family visits, Gulf Shores vacations, our sea cruises. June was so fun to be with. She had a wonderful way of turning an ordinary event into a completely hilarious story. She also had a strong, serious side and a can-do spirit. Most of all she had a loving and generous heart. My condolences to all who knew and loved her.

**Leslie Mitchell** - January 26, 2019 at 12:46 AM

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“ Leslie Mitchell purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. June Kay Allred.



**Leslie Mitchell** - January 25, 2019 at 08:27 PM

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“ Alan, David and Charlie Meeks purchased the Glorious Memories Garland for the family of Mrs. June Kay Allred.



**Alan, David and Charlie Meeks** - January 25, 2019 at 07:38 AM

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“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. June Kay Allred.



January 23, 2019 at 10:42 PM

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“ Condolences to the entire family. May the sadness which you experience now be comforted by great fond memories. May the loyal love of Almighty God be with you all. John 6:40

**Olevia** - January 21, 2019 at 11:22 AM

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“ I don't believe I've ever known anyone who enjoyed life as much as June.....She was such an inspiration! So many wonderful Christmas eve and Thanksgiving dinner celebrations, Cadillac parties, and Gulf Shores vacations with June and Daddy. June and I had many very long and special girl-talks that I so enjoyed. Through those talks and other times spent with June, I gained much insight regarding her many positive and negative life experiences and character traits that she utilized to deal with each. I gained tremendous respect for her. Both June and Daddy were very intelligent. The first thing that each of them did each morning, while drinking their coffee, was to work on the daily crossword puzzle in the Anniston Star. With June in the kitchen and Daddy in the sunroom/mancave, they would yell out a description to seek the other's input. They would then laugh out loud, at the same time, once the word was identified! After retirement, each of them also read periodically each day. I really loved June with all my heart. After all, she really loved my Daddy, and he could be very difficult, at times! David said it best when he posted "Rest in Peace, June". Hope you are dancing with Daddy, again! Sending much love to my step-sister, Johanna, for stepping up and moving in with June, during the last 1.5 years of her life. Also sending love to my step-brothers, Fred and John, for caring for June, as best they could on a long-distance basis.

Jan Allred Otwell

**Jana Otwell** - January 21, 2019 at 12:41 AM

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“ My condolences, June was a very special lady and I have so many good memories. She had a heart of gold and will be sorely missed. Much love to all the family.....

**Conner Allred** - January 20, 2019 at 01:54 PM

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“ At the end of each life is a legacy of love and memories. Hold tight to those memories...Lean on each other for support. And look to God and his Word, the Bible, for strength and comfort We are encouraged at 1 Peter 5:7 to “throw all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you.”

**AnnieB** - January 19, 2019 at 03:21 PM



“ June was so much fun to be with. I cherish the years I spent working with her and the fun we had online after retiring. During June’s years as an educator, she touched the lives of so many. Children loved her and she loved them. She will be greatly missed by many.

**Ellen Akin** - January 19, 2019 at 02:15 AM



“ Thank you Ellen. She had a heart of gold. Loved here with all my heart! Miss her to the moon and back!

**Johanna Rogers** - January 19, 2019 at 09:22 AM



“ She dearly loved you and your boys and was always telling me about the fun you had. June loved all her kids and grandchildren, but was fortunate to have you living close by. She looked forward to vacations with the others.

**Ellen Akin** - January 19, 2019 at 11:49 PM

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“ Remembering June with lots of joyful memories. Sending our most heartfelt condolences and prayers to her family. She was loved and will be greatly missed

**Joni Hazle Ray** - January 18, 2019 at 01:49 PM



“ Thank you Joni.

**Johanna Rogers** - January 19, 2019 at 09:26 AM