



## Ellen Gladdish Turner

April 19, 1941 - March 20, 2021

Ellen Gladdish Turner, Cumberland, passed from this life on Saturday, March 20, 2021 at her residence with family by her side, at the age of 79 years 11 months, following a long illness. She was born April 19, 1941 in Christian County to her parents, the late Lee Pascal Gladdish and Kate Blanton Gladdish Sergent.

In addition to her family, she loved her friends and church family greatly. Ellen accepted Christ as Savior at age 5, and began singing and playing guitar with her mother and sister at age 8. She was a dedicated Christian who loved singing praises to the Lord and spreading the message of the gospel of Christ through song. Ellen, along with her sister Norma and brother-in-law Myrthul recorded a long play album of gospel songs around 1969. The trio traveled to churches around Kentucky, Virginia, Tennessee, Indiana, Ohio and Georgia singing in revivals and special services, and she continued with Judy and Mark. She was a homemaker and member of the Totz Church of God for over forty years.

She was preceded in death by her father who was killed in World War II, her mother and step-father Ed Sergent, infant brother Melvin Gladdish, her husband Johnny Turner and daughter, Judy Turner Noah. Ellen will be sadly missed by all who knew and loved her.

She is survived by her son, Mark (Eda) Turner, sister Norma Dixon, grandchildren Elyse and Jared Turner, cousin Sherry Thompson who was raised as her sister, special cousin Janie Thompson who was like a granddaughter, brother-in-law Clarence Turner, sister-in-law Edna Mae Hollon, special friend and caregiver Amy Osborne, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and many other wonderful family and friends.

Funeral services are scheduled for Monday, March 22, 2021 at the Totz Church of God at 2PM with burial following in the Monte Vista Cemetery, Cumberland. All attendees must adhere to the COVID-19 restrictions set forth by the governor of Kentucky. House-  
Rawlings Funeral Home, London, KY was entrusted with the arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

MAR **22**. 2:00 PM.

Totz Church of God  
Totz, KY

# Tribute Wall



“ *House-Rawlings Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ellen Gladdish Turner*



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**House-Rawlings Funeral Home** - March 21, 2021 at 07:20 PM

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*I was raised up with Ellen being one of my favorite people. She always had good things to say when she talk to anyone uplifting and always smiling. I will miss her specially when I go to the places she once use to go. My prayers will always be with the family. Heaven is getting sweeter every day.*

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**Lavondia Dixon -Lloyd** - March 21, 2021 at 08:58 PM

TG

*She was such a great lady, Mark my prayers are with you and your family during this sad time. Theresia Foster*

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**Theresia Gibbons** - March 22, 2021 at 07:47 PM

WC

“ *So sorry to hear of Sis Ellen’s passing, but so happy for her to finally be with her Lord, her husband and daughter that she loved. She was an anointed and gifted sister. The choir in Heaven just got better. ❤️*

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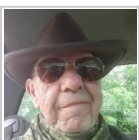
**wanda Carroll** - March 22, 2021 at 05:53 PM

WD

“ *I am so sorry to hear about Ellen. She was one of my favorite people. She was a joy to be with and I loved her singing. This is a great loss for everyone who knew her. My sincere condolences to the family.*

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**wanda Duncan** - March 21, 2021 at 11:38 PM



“ *She and her sister would come over to our little grade school and sing, "I've got a mansion" and I will remember in the little church in the lane.*

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**Larry Lewis** - March 21, 2021 at 10:54 PM

ML

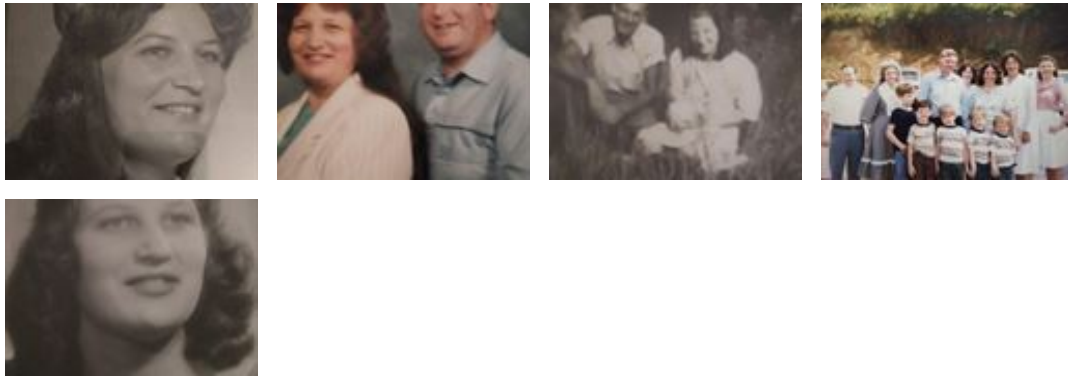
“ In my opinion there’s never been a more Goldly woman than Ellen Turner! We were privileged to know her and her family through traveling and singing. She truly knew the ONE she sang about!

Melissa McGee Long

Melissa McGee Long - March 21, 2021 at 10:26 PM



“ 50 files added to the album LifeTributes



House-Rawlings Funeral Home - March 21, 2021 at 07:07 PM

KD

Ellen was beautiful inside & out my 1st cousin. Her mother was my aunt Kate. The memories of her will last a life time for me. Always loved you Ellen. ❤️❤️❤️

KATHY BLANTON DARK.

Kathy Dark - March 22, 2021 at 07:18 AM

SM

“ I am so sorry to learn of Ellen’s death. I loved to hear her sing and play the guitar. My condolences to the family.

Sheba Miracle-Parson - March 21, 2021 at 06:46 PM

JK

“ She was a jewel and I always loved to be in CHurch with her and hear her sing Praises to GOD! Prayers Mark/Eda and all the family that GOD comforts each of you!



Jean King - March 21, 2021 at 04:40 PM