



Charla Henry Gregory

November 17, 1969 - March 16, 2026

Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford

Charla Henry Gregory, 56, of Oxford, Mississippi, died peacefully on March 16, 2026.

The family will have a private service at Coleman Funeral Home on Thursday, April 2, at 11:00 a.m.

Charla was born in Batesville, Mississippi, on November 17, 1969, to Cornelia and Charles Henry.

Charla graduated from Oxford High School in Oxford, Mississippi, in 1988. She furthered her education at the University of Mississippi, where she earned a Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Science in 1992.

Charla grew up attending North Oxford Baptist Church, where she and her siblings spent much time in youth group activities. She was actively involved in Girls in Action, a mission program, and a bible study for girls.

Charla was a lifelong resident of Oxford, Mississippi. She was deeply involved in the local community and served for many years as a board member of the Oxford Humane Society and Resource Center. She was passionate about

finding homeless pets a forever home and spent countless hours volunteering at the animal shelter. She adopted two dogs from the shelter, Gebe and Mia.

After graduating from Ole Miss, Charla worked at The Frame Up on The Oxford Square, where she eventually managed the business for 22 years. She later started her own business, The Oxford Frame Company, serving customers from across the Southeast. Charla took great pride in her work with the University of Mississippi, where she formed lifelong friendships through the years, including her favorite artist, Paul Edelstein. Her creative talent also led her to create her own pottery line, Charla's Pottery, which she sold to businesses around the Southeast. Her legacy and talent will live on through her beautiful art pieces.

Charla's greatest joy came from spending time with her family and doting on her nieces and nephews, as well as her great-nieces and great-nephews: Joseph Gex V, Taylor Gex Walhood, Maggie Hewitt Mounger, Peyton Hewitt, Walter Gex VI, Louise Gex, Ellison Walhood, Della Peyton Walhood, Wells Mounger, and Rollins Mounger.

She is survived by her parents, Charles and Cornelia Henry; her sisters, Dee Henry Gex (Joe) and Debra Henry Hewitt (Bobby); and her brother, Charles Albert Peyton Henry.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents, Mildred and John Jamison, and Della and Clarence Henry.

For those wishing to honor Charla's memory, donations may be made to The Magee Foundation, 850 Insight Park, Suite 132, University, MS 38677, or to the Oxford/Lafayette Humane Society – <https://checkout.shelterluv.com/donate/LCMS>.

The staff at Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford is honored to serve the family during this challenging season of life. Condolences may be expressed online on her Tribute wall at www.colemanfuneralhomeox.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford
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Tribute Wall



“ Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford created a Webcast in memory of Charla Henry Gregory



Coleman Funeral Home - April 02 at 10:03 AM

JG

“ What a physically and spiritually beautiful woman. I have so many wonderful memories of laughing with Charla. My heart aches for the Henry family. JP

JP Gentleman - April 01 at 06:33 PM

KR

“ Khristi Aquilini Russell purchased the Heavenly and Harmony for the family of Charla Henry Gregory.



Khristi Aquilini Russell - April 01 at 05:33 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Charla Henry Gregory.



March 31 at 09:40 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charla Henry Gregory.*



March 31 at 10:23 AM



“ *Cissy and Billy Mounger purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Charla Henry Gregory.*



Cissy and Billy Mounger - March 30 at 06:20 PM



“ *The Wessons & The Glovers purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Charla Henry Gregory.*



The Wessons & The Glovers - March 30 at 06:17 PM



“ *Love, Tammy and Jim Jones purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Charla Henry Gregory.*



Love, Tammy and Jim Jones - March 30 at 02:18 PM

AN

“ Charla was a wonderful person. She will be missed.

anonymous - March 29 at 11:48 PM

ES

“ I first met Charla in 1993, when I arrived in Oxford and she was working at The Frame Up. After I left Oxford, we stayed in touch. Although we couldn't always see each other in person, we spoke often, sometimes several times a week and rarely it went more than a few weeks without catching up. We talked about everything, from world events to the daily goings-on around Oxford. Once, Charla did something so kind for me that it truly changed my life, setting me on a better path. Just a few weeks before receiving the heartbreaking news, we'd had one of our usual conversations filled with laughter. Anyone listening might have thought we were crying from laughing so hard at one of our stories. There was never a dull moment when we talked, and what began as a quick chat often turned into hours of conversation. Many of us have important people in our lives, but Charla was truly special to me, and I know she knew that. Not a day will pass without my thinking of her and wishing my phone would ring with her voice on the other end. Still, I find comfort in knowing that we will see each other again. She was one of my best friends. - ES

E. Stiles - March 29 at 08:46 PM

JA

“ Charla was full of laughter and very sweet . I pray for her family and friends . Jesus has her No more pain or sadness only freedom and pure joy . Perfect angel 🙏❤️🙏



Jamie - March 27 at 05:46 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charla Henry Gregory.*



March 27 at 06:15 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with all of you.* 🙏🙏❤️
Midge McCay

Midge McCay - March 26 at 07:50 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Charla Henry Gregory.*



March 26 at 06:50 PM