



## Mary Ellen Sebring

March 11, 1951 - February 25, 2026

Mary Ellen Sebring, 74, of Lamar, MS, died unexpectedly on Wednesday, February 25, 2026, at Methodist Hospital Olive Branch. She was surrounded by her family and passed peacefully into the presence of her Savior whom she loved with all her heart.

Mary was born on March 11, 1951, in Suffield, OH, to James and Kathleen Gillespie, both of whom preceded her in death. Mary had a thirst for knowledge and was a voracious reader. She was happiest when she was outside savoring God's creation. Some of her other passions revolved around the fiber arts and her home. Her family will treasure many recipes, quilts, and creative projects that she passed on – not the least of which was “Mamo's Potato Salad.”

Mary responded to the call of Jesus as a young wife and mom in the 1970s. His work in her life made her even more beautiful. She was transformed as she poured over God's Word – a lifelong pursuit that she passed on to her daughters. She was moved to tears often when she spoke of God's grace. She and her husband, Dave, shared a love for Him that shaped the very fabric of their relationship.

She leaves to mourn her husband, David William Sebring, of Lamar, MS; her three daughters, Shannon McKee (Rick) of Kent, OH, Crystal Iannetta (Scott)

of Cuyahoga Falls, OH, and Jamie Sebring of Akron, OH; and her seven grandchildren, Kaitlin White, Caleb McKee (Rachel), Jackson Iannetta, Madison Adekunle (Xavier), Jillian Iannetta, Cheyenne Miller, and Joshua Iannetta; and honorary son, Josh Berryhill.

In lieu of traditional flowers, donations can be made to her church, Grace Bible Church, 7145 Malone Road, Olive Branch, MS 38654.

Online condolences may be left on her tribute wall at [www.colemanfuneralhomeob.com](http://www.colemanfuneralhomeob.com).

Arrangements for memorial services will be announced at a future date.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you Dave and your family. Mary was a very special person. Shirley & Phillip Santucci*

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“ ❤️ *Sending Hugs!* ❤️ *Our thoughts are with you Dave and family. ---  
Dave and Darla G*

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