



## Eva Mae Walton

November 10, 1938 - December 4, 2025

On November 10, 1938 in Buena Vista, Georgia, Eva Mae Milner also known as “Sister” by her siblings was born to the union of Willie and Leila Mae Milner. She would be the oldest girl of thirteen children that would be born to their parents. Two of her brothers (Willie and Curtis) and two sisters (Mary Lee and Azell) along with her parents preceded her in death.

Eva received all of her education in Buena Vista, Georgia and this is also where she met and married Horace Walton which resulted in the births of two sons, Horace Walton Jr. (in Georgia) and Gregory Walton (after moving to Chicago.) Her boys were the light of her life. When referring to them she would always say, “I have two sons, Horace Jr. and Gregory!” After her divorce in Chicago, Eva worked hard to provide for her sons until her illness would no longer allow her to.

After many years of being sick one thing Eva never forgot, she never forgot who her family were. On FaceTime calls she would call them all by name even when she heard their voices and this lit up the faces of whoever was on the other end of the phone. She would sometimes even ask about the well being

of her siblings who fell asleep in death prior to her.

Eva peacefully fell asleep in death on December 4, 2025.

She leaves to cherish her memories: two sons, Horace Walton Jr (Bettina) of Germany and Gregory Walton (Angela); two sisters, Carolyn Milner Gooding (James), Brenda Milner Jones (Herbert) of Georgia; six brothers, Homer Milner (Frances) of Chicago, David Milner (Gladys), Shelton Milner (Gwendolyn), Elder Milner, Otis Milner, and Andrew Milner all of Georgia; five grandchildren, Leomie, Gregory Jr. and Juwan (Carmen) of Chicago, Gregory and Joshua Grieshaber of Germany; three great grand children; Michael, Alina and Emilia; one affectionate social worker, Edwina and a host of nieces; nephews; other relatives and friends.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **20**. 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Calahan Funeral Home - Legacy Center  
7046 S. Halsted  
Chicago, IL 60621

## Memorial Service

DEC **20**. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

JM

“ Please accept our deepest condolences for your loss. May you find peace during this difficult time. Jason and Christina McCoy

Jason and Christina McCoy - December 20, 2025 at 04:21 PM

ET

“ Sending our heartfelt prayers and condolences. Eric and Toya

Eric & Toya - December 20, 2025 at 04:07 PM

SR

“ Shelton(Brother),the Seventh's Son, RIP. lit a candle in memory of Eva Mae Walton



Shelton(Brother),the seventh's son, RIP. - December 20, 2025 at 04:00 PM

MM

“ And love and memory of my auntie Eva, my family, Madison, Meghan, and myself Maxine Milner extend our deepest console condolences to Greg, Walton and Family. I remember my auntie Eva being a beautiful vivacious woman. I maintain that memory in my brain of all the wonderful perfumes that lied to her bedroom dresser, all the beautiful clothes that hung in her closet and all the loving and warm hugs and kisses, but stole upon me as a child. Rest in peace Auntie you will be missed.

maxine Mikner - December 20, 2025 at 03:57 PM

DH

“ With heavy hearts the Henry, McDaniel, Coleman, and Allen families send our love and deepest condolences. No doubt, Miss Eva Walton, had an amazing love for her children and family and all who knew and loved her. We are looking forward to us all living in the new world God promises ,and there will be no sickness or death . We didn't have the opportunity of meeting Miss Eva , however, we look forward getting to know and come to love her in Gods new world . Your families have all our love and support at this time ❤️

Debra and Eric Henry - December 20, 2025 at 03:37 PM



“ Rest in Peace Auntie...I will never forget your beautiful smile and your loving ways. You rest now with the Lord. Love you your niece Linda Milner-Walton

Linda Milner - December 20, 2025 at 02:53 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eva Mae Walton.



December 20, 2025 at 01:07 PM

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“ Lori Bussey ( Niece ) lit a candle in memory of Eva Mae Walton



Lori Bussey ( Niece ) - December 20, 2025 at 11:17 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Eva Mae Walton.



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December 11, 2025 at 09:22 PM



“ Love your sisters, Brenda and Carolyn planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Eva Mae Walton.

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**Love your sisters, Brenda and Carolyn** - December 11, 2025 at 09:22 PM