



## Elin Quicksall Fowler

May 15, 1934 - March 26, 2021

Elin Quicksall Fowler (86) passed away on March 26th, 2021. A graveside service will be held Monday, April 5, at 11:00 am at St James Cemetery, Marietta, GA. Elin was born in St. Petersburg, FL to Dr. John Braden Quicksall and Alice Mitchell Scott. She lived most of her adult life in Marietta after her marriage to Dr. Ralph W Fowler, Jr., and later in life to Patrick Mullins, both who preceded her in death.

Elin's life was centered around her love of family, friends and church. She was an educator, a travel agent, and a lifelong volunteer. In her earlier years she volunteered through many organizations, including church, Medical Society of Georgia, and several student exchange programs. She taught Spanish and French for a number of years at Marietta High School, Paulding County High School, Southern Polytech, and Kennesaw State University until her retirement in 2014.

In addition to teaching, Elin was a travel agent. She frequently traveled abroad and had a special love of Spain. She took many students on international trips, hosted students from Finland and Columbia for the school year and arranged host families for countless other students. Involvement in her church was something she cherished and was a theme throughout her life. She was an avid gardener and a member of Honeysuckle Garden Club. Elin's love of unique varieties of roses can be seen throughout her beautiful garden. She brought joy and enthusiasm to everything she did and was truly a kind and loving person.

Elin is survived by her sons Ralph (Lori), and Charles Fowler, 5 grandchildren: Kari Mesnickow (Sune), Andrew Fowler, Spencer Fowler, Rebecca Fowler (Jason Haberman), Carter Fowler, three great-grandchildren, a sister Maribeth Brannen, Alpharetta, two brothers Eddy Quicksall, Jacksonville and Richard Hill, Carrollton, and several nieces and nephews.

# Cemetery

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## St. James Cemetery

121 Polk Street

Marietta, GA,

# Events

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**APR** **Graveside Service** 11:00AM - 11:30AM

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St. James Cemetery

121 Polk Street, Marietta, GA, US

# Comments

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“ My parents chose Aunt Elin to be my Godmother. Oh, what a wonderful Godmother she was. Aunt Elin always sent a Christmas present to me when I was a child. The gifts were often books from the Cathedral Book store on Peachtree. Many of the books were by Joan Walsh Anglund. I keep the books on the end table in the guest bedroom and read them periodically. Aunt Elin always wrote a sweet note inside the book cover. What great memories I have of Aunt Elin!  
Babs Johnson Price

**Babs Price** - April 05 at 08:14 AM

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“ My name is Sarah Jean Butler Davila. Elin befriended me in the late 1960's when we were both students of Spanish at Georgia State College. She became a mentor for me and ended up arranging for me to spend six months in Ponce, Puerto Rico at an Episcopal Convent, where I worked with disadvantaged children. She was instrumental in my becoming Episcopalian, having introduced me to the Anglo Catholic parish in Virginia Highlands: The Church of Our Savior. She introduced me to the spirituality of Saint Teresa of Avila and Saint John of the Cross. Our friendship continued during the 1970's and 1980's after I married and moved away and later divorced. We ended up losing touch, but I moved back to Atlanta in 1997 and was never able to locate her again. I was just thinking about her today and decided to look her up on Google and found out she had just passed away a week ago. I am so glad I can still attend her graveside service. She was so very kind to me in my younger years, and even later after I had children, and told me she considered me the daughter she never had. Dear Elin, may you rest in Peace. I converted to the Catholic Church after I married, and as a Catholic I shall pray for the Eternal Rest of your soul. One day, maybe soon, I hope to see you again in Heaven. I will never forget you. May you get to know Saint Teresa of Avila in person, whom you so identified with. All my love and prayers.....Sarah Jean Butler Davila

**Sarah Jean Butler Davila** - April 03 at 10:31 PM



“ Sara Jean I remember you from when I was a youngster! I always thought you became a nun and could fly using your hat, like Sally Fields. Bucky

**Bucky Fowler** - April 04 at 03:52 PM



“ Bucky, it was such a joy to get to know your precious family and Elin's close friends after all these years! I am sure your mother was smiling down on us all. The love of Jesus in her heart and the power of His Holy Spirit were responsible for all the good she did in this world. Her greatest desire now, as always, will be for all of her loved ones to join her in Heaven. Jesus is the only Way to get there. Let us all make Him the Center of our lives--as Elin did--for we know not the day nor the hour we might be called into His presence. God has no "grandchildren"--only children. Each of us must have a personal relationship with Him--not a second-hand one. Elin's faith can lead you to Jesus, but you must invite Him into your heart yourself. Let us build our lives on Him who is the Solid Rock--Jesus--and not on the shifting sands of the world's way of thinking. "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting Life." - John 3:16

Your spiritually adopted "big sister" ("the daughter I never had," as your mother called me) - Sarah Jean Butler Davila

**Sarah J Davila** - April 06 at 01:09 PM

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**Gary Benjamin Roberts** - April 03 at 12:27 PM

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**Gary Benjamin Roberts** - April 03 at 12:26 PM

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“ Kim Gresh purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Elin Quicksall Fowler.



**Kim Gresh** - April 01 at 05:06 AM