



Faith Germishuizen

January 28, 1942 - September 4, 2025

Faith Germishuizen, 83, of Tifton, Georgia, passed away on September 4, 2025.

Born on January 28, 1942, to the late Aubrey E. Jackson and Lorna Duffey Jackson, Faith lived a vibrant life marked by love, creativity, and unwavering devotion to her family and friends.

Faith was the beloved wife of Peter J. Germishuizen, her best friend and steadfast companion. Throughout her sickness, Peter never left her side and they were an honest example of a loving marriage- for better or worse, in sickness and in health. Their two sons meant the world to her. As a wife, mother, daughter, sister, aunt, and friend- Faith poured her heart into those she cared for, even if they were living across the world from each other- always staying closely connected.

Faith was born as a minister's daughter in a small South African town. Her and Peter left South Africa and raised their children in Swaziland, and eventually settled in the United States. With every move, every country, every challenge- she embraced it with grace. She was brave, resilient, and had a boundless capacity to love. She was truly one of a kind.

A gifted artist, Faith expressed herself through her paintings. Painting for most of her life, she found a way to express herself and allowed others to experience her creativity as well. She had a true talent and while her health postponed her paintings for a time, in her last days- she decided to pick up the brush once more, sparking her spirits once again.

Those who knew Faith will remember her beautiful laugh, her warm smile, how she lit up every room with her presence. Faith had an ability to make others feel seen. She displayed true joy, kindness, and light heartedness. Whether it was duck tape and safety pins before an event or finding coffee mugs in the garden, Faith brought her unique personality to life and made everyone feel at ease. Even in her later days when she wasn't feeling her best, every video call she had with her sons came with a smile and she wanted the focus of conversation to be about them- their lives and their families.

She is survived by her husband, Peter, their two sons, and many family members and close friends- who loved and cherished Faith equally as she loved them.

While the world feels emptier without her here, we are better to have been graced her presence. We have no doubt she is dancing in the streets of gold, picking up a paint brush with our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Faith has forever painted herself in the hearts of those who knew her.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held to honor the life of Faith and the love she brought to all on Tuesday, September 23, 2025 at 2:00pm, at the First Methodist Church in Tifton, Ga.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

SEP **23.** 2:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church
12th Street
Tifton
Tifton, GA 31794

Tribute Wall

MW

“ Dear Peter,
I'm so sorry for Faith's passing. Now, she's peacefully painting and bringing joy to those around her with her art and talent in heaven. Faith was a sweet woman with an infectious smile, a good cook, but even more importantly, a very beautiful woman and a good wife. Always by your side, just as you were by hers. I remember when Keith told me he'd met you and I asked him what they were like. He replied, "You know, they're like Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus?" (No offense). At first, I said, "I don't believe you," but when I met you guys, you as a couple not only resembled Santa Claus and Mrs Claus but also had the candor of those characters. That memory of you and Faith's candor and warmth of home is what I want to celebrate and remember.
Peter, may God give you much strength and health. I'm sure Faith would like to see you strong in these times of tribulation. Faith says hello to Keith over there.
Special hugs and in my prayers. Rest in peace dear Faith.
Myriam Warren



Myriam Warren - September 24, 2025 at 10:32 AM

LM

“ Mr. Peter, you were so blessed with such a sweet, loving wife. Mrs. Faith always had a fondness in her eyes for you; it was evident whenever I saw the two of you together. No doubt she loved you and you loved her! She was blessed with a loving husband who loved her and her took care of her when she needed it most. She now has seen Jesus face to face. Praise the Lord!

Lisa Marchant - September 23, 2025 at 05:57 PM

AG

“ *Adrian Germishuizen lit a candle in memory of Faith Germishuizen*



Adrian Germishuizen - September 23, 2025 at 04:26 PM

AG

“ *Adrian Germishuizen sent a virtual gift in memory of Faith Germishuizen*



Adrian Germishuizen - September 23, 2025 at 04:25 PM

AV

“ *I will always remember the fine sweet lady Faith was, the loving mother & wife, and a great artist. She will always be there in my heart.*

Adriana Vazquez - September 23, 2025 at 05:23 AM

GK

“ Faith was a beautiful soul, inside and out. Her contagious laugh and big smile lit up every room, leaving warmth and joy with all who knew her. A devoted wife, loving mother, and gifted artist, she touched lives in countless ways.

Though distance kept us apart, she remained close to my heart. Her beloved husband Peter, an inspiration to us all, stood faithfully by her side through every stage of life, including her later days in care.

We will remember my beautiful Aunt Faith only with love and joy.

Her story is painted in the hearts of those who loved her. 🎨

Love and thoughts are with you Peter, Pierre and AD.

Grant & Gavin and family

Grant Kaminer - September 22, 2025 at 04:10 PM

KA

“ Dearest Peter, Pierre & AD,

Our heartfelt condolences to you 3 on losing your beloved wife & Mum. Peter, you were Faithie's rock & she was yours. We will always treasure our time with you in Swaziland & Pmb. You were such wonderful friends to Mum, Dad & just incredible to Ant, Mark & I - u were our second Mum & Dad & we are forever grateful for u both. Pierre, AD - thank u for your friendship over the decades. I know oceans separate us, but just know you all extremely dear to us. 🙏 With love Vonnie, Kari, Ant & our dear Marcus ❤️

Karen Alder - September 22, 2025 at 04:07 PM

KA

With lots of love and hugs from Vonnie, Kari, Ant. & our dear Dad & Marcus heart ❤️💙💜

Karen Alder - September 22, 2025 at 04:10 PM

KA

“ Dearest Peter, Pierre & AD,

So heartbroken for u all on losing yr beloved Faithie & Mum. I remember Faith's mischievous smile & infectious laugh. Will never forget her funny habits like taking her cup of coffee or bowl of cereal with her in the car as she was always rushing off somewhere & trying to multi task!. Faithie, I remember you with such fondness. You and Peter were our other Mum & Dad and we were always grateful for u both. Love Karen Alder

Karen Alder - September 22, 2025 at 04:00 PM



“ *I met Faith and Peter in Chile South America in the early 90s. They very quickly became very close friends and family while we shared long distances from our own families. Faith was such an amazing caring and loving person. I will miss her paintings of the colors of nature and laughter and twinkle in her eyes!*

Andrew Cox - September 22, 2025 at 09:18 AM

MH

“ *My fondest memories of beautiful Faith are her contagious laughter and warm personality. Faith carried the joy of the Lord. I remember Faith & Peter and their boys coming to visit . We always had such fun when the Germishuizens came to town. My mom & Faith shared their passion for art and loved talking about their paintings. I'm sure they are painting together in heaven. Peter, I know you will miss the love of your life. You loved Faith so well & she always adored you. Rest in peace beautiful lady 🌸*

Michelle Haswell - September 22, 2025 at 07:16 AM

RM

“ *Ruth McCall lit a candle in memory of Faith Germishuizen*



Ruth McCall - September 20, 2025 at 10:24 AM

LH

“ *Peter, we are so very deepened saddened for the loss of faith. we have been so very blessed to have gotten to know you and faith. faith was such a sweet beautiful lady. she had a beautiful smile. she will be deeply missed by so many. praying for peace and comfort!!*

Linda & jerry horton - September 08, 2025 at 05:17 PM

RW

Peter I'm sorry for your loss. Faith was such a delightful and pleasant person. Having sat with you and Faith on numerous occasions at the coffee shop, her immense love for you and yours for her was acutely evident. While I know you will miss her, you can always take solace in reflecting on the loving life partner who you were able to share so many years with. Ray

Ray Walker - September 09, 2025 at 04:56 PM

AE

Faith was one of the sweetest people I have ever met. Her sparkling eyes & bright smile will forever be remembered. Prayers for comfort & peace for the family.

Anna Ethridge - September 11, 2025 at 11:22 AM

NC

Faith was an incredible friend to my Grandmother Claire Peacock, during the later years of my Grandmother's life. I have several beautiful paintings by Faith in my home. She was a very gifted artist. She had a wonderful sense of humor and was so deeply kind. The Peacock family sends their greatest condolences to your family.

Natalie Peacock Corral, James and Florence Peacock

Natalie Peacock Corral - September 17, 2025 at 08:03 PM