

Melissa Manning Bowen

Melissa Manning Bowen, 42, of Loganville, died Oct. 31, 2010, at Embracing Hospice Care in Snellville. She was a homemaker and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, daughter and sister. A friend to many, Mrs. Bowen enjoyed flowers and collecting frogs. She loved traveling to the beach and enjoyed racing, fishing and being outdoors.

Mrs. Bowen is survived by her husband, Charles Bowen, daughter, Kayla Manning, and sons, Justin Manning and Robert Bowen, all of Loganville; five grandchildren; father, Frankie Hicks, of Conyers; brother and sister-in-law, Frankie and Holly Hicks, of Porterdale; sister, Candy Reynolds, of San Diego, Calif.; mother-in-law, Betty Jo Bowen, of Loganville; several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. today at the Access Road Chapel of Caldwell & Cowan, with chaplain 1st Lt. Jonathan Razzanno officiating and interment following in Oxford Historical Cemetery.

Visit www.caldwellandcowan.com to place online condolences.

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