



Alice Brown

February 4, 1951 - January 15, 2022

Mary Alice Cunningham Brown, age 70, of Cedar Bluff, Virginia, passed away Saturday, January 15, 2022 in an Abingdon, Virginia hospital.

She was born in Charlottesville, Virginia and was the daughter of the late Dorris A. and Elizabeth Rollins Cunningham.

She had made her home in the Cedar Bluff area most of her life and was a retired Psychology professor at Southwest Virginia Community College. She was a Richlands High School Class of 1967 graduate and received her Associate's Degree from Bluefield College in 1969, her Bachelor's degree from ETSU in 1971; and her Master's Degree in 1974 from ETSU. Mary Alice became a counselor at SWCC in May of 1974 and then became a member of the Psychology faculty in 1976 until her retirement in 2017. She was a charter member of the Gethsemane Baptist Church in Richlands, Virginia.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, John Earl "Hoppy" Brown, Jr.

Survivors are:

Daughter: Cynthia Renee Brown of Decatur, Georgia

Son: Michael Scott Brown of Belfast, Virginia

Sister: Judy Carol Cunningham Runge and husband, Charles of
Hendersonville, North Carolina

Brother: David Cunningham and wife, Tina of Chapin, South Carolina

Granddaughter: Isabella Grace Brown

Several Nieces and Nephews also survive.

Private funeral services for Mary Alice Cunningham Brown will be conducted at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Dr. Rev. Marc Brooks officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens at Claypool Hill, Virginia. Pallbearers will be: Michael Brown, Jim Reynolds, Wayne Davis, Gary Davis, Shawn Cole, Charles Runge. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: Gethsemane Baptist Church Educational Fund, 2902 Clinch Street, Richlands, Virginia 24641. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

Tribute Wall



“ *Alice Brown*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Alice Brown*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *I enjoyed working and taking courses under Mrs Brown. She will be missed by everyone she touched*
Brian Guy

Brian Guy - January 22, 2022 at 05:52 AM



“ *Don and I are so saddened to hear about Alice's death. I had the privilege of teaching with and learning from Alice for many years at SWCC, and then another joy in seeing her grow as a watercolor painter, producing beautiful work, after she retired from teaching. Don and I send our heartfelt sympathies to you, Mike, and your family.*
Ellen Elmes

Ellen Elmes - January 20, 2022 at 07:14 PM

DM

“ *Dana Altizer Moats lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown*



Dana Altizer Moats - January 18, 2022 at 05:30 PM

BW

“ *Alice was a wonderful teacher, colleague, and friend. She was a light in the classroom, but she really shined outside the classroom in all the work she did for the community. She lived a life and fought a fight in which she never gave up. She lived life as an example. Rest in peace, dear Alice.*

Brian Wright - January 18, 2022 at 12:34 PM

RQ

“ *RUSS, PAT & KELLI QUICK lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown*



RUSS, PAT & KELLI QUICK - January 18, 2022 at 09:46 AM

RQ

“ *Sorry Renee....good memories us all together...praying for you!...Alice was a wonderful person. . . 🌸🌸🌸🌸...come see us....prayg for all!❤️*



RUSS, PAT & KELLI QUICK - January 18, 2022 at 09:45 AM

BL

“ Henry and Brenda Lawson



Brenda Lawson - January 17, 2022 at 05:51 PM

DJ

“ We are so very sorry to hear of your loss, Judy, Charles, and to Alice’s family. Our sincere condolences.

Denise McCurdy and Comin Johnson - January 17, 2022 at 05:16 PM



“ TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown



TonyanEdgar Wicks - January 17, 2022 at 12:15 PM

EL

“ Many memories over the years of working with Alice on church endeavors. She has blessed the lives of many students. My deepest sympathy to Michael, Rene, and other family members.
E. Holmes

Elaine - January 17, 2022 at 10:10 AM

LM

“ I so much enjoyed her as a teacher , she would always one to go the extra mile. She blessed our community more than people knew. She will be missed . Prayers for the family.



Lynn Mitchell - January 17, 2022 at 10:05 AM

TH

“ What an amazing woman of God. She had a contagious energy and enthusiasm that drew people in. She instructed, but more than that, she inspired. She served with a spirit of excellence and a dedication to quality.
Michael and Renee, I will pray for your peace and comfort and for you to experience a rich measure of our Father's grace.
Terry Hall

Terry Hall - January 17, 2022 at 10:01 AM

NR

“ Alice was a dear childhood friend. She was so smart and creative, as well as a talented musician and artist.

nina rogersrs - January 17, 2022 at 09:45 AM

SS

“ Sandra Lowe Scull lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown



Sandra Lowe Scull - January 17, 2022 at 09:03 AM

PC

“ *Phyllis Christian lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown*



Phyllis Christian - January 17, 2022 at 07:07 AM

R1

“ *You'll never forget how it felt to laugh with her and be loved by her. I hope those memories will bring comfort in time—thoughts and prayers for you and your family.*

RHS Class of 1990 - January 17, 2022 at 12:49 AM

AB

“ *Alice was one of my favorite instructors and a wonderful lady.*



Angela Barazzone - January 16, 2022 at 09:45 PM

RM

“ *Praying for God's comfort to bless Alice's family and friends. Heaven has gained an awesome angel. She left a rich legacy and will be missed. Rhonda Morgan*

Rhonda Morgan - January 16, 2022 at 08:27 PM

AM

“ *Anita McGlothlin-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown*



Anita McGlothlin-Gibson - January 16, 2022 at 08:17 PM

RS

“ *There are too many times we talked and laughed about so many things. I have love and admired you for 18 years. You have guided me, advised me. Isabella when she was younger called me your sister, not by blood but by my love you were.*

Rene Steele - January 16, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Alice Brown.*



January 16, 2022 at 07:42 PM

GE

“ *Wonderful lady, dear friend and sister in Christ. Our condolences and prayers for the family.*



Greg and Carletta Edmonds - January 16, 2022 at 07:40 PM

JW

“ *Judy West lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown*



Judy West - January 16, 2022 at 06:57 PM

TM

“ *Tom And Dot McGlothlin sent a virtual gift in memory of Alice Brown*



Tom and Dot McGlothlin - January 16, 2022 at 06:56 PM

KM

“ *Kathy Mcvey lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown*



Kathy Mcvey - January 16, 2022 at 06:29 PM

DH

“ *Deborah Hunsaker lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown*



Deborah Hunsaker - January 16, 2022 at 05:56 PM

RN

“ *Rosalie Null lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown*



Rosalie Null - January 16, 2022 at 05:38 PM

AD

“ *Alice was the most amazing person that I have ever known! She was committed to serving and educating others. I am greatly honored that she was my friend. Family, I am praying constantly for you, and asking God to comfort and give you peace.*



Anna Damron - January 16, 2022 at 03:56 PM

PC

Alice was an amazing lady that I had the privilege of getting to know. She was so kind and a complete professional in every way. She loved her family, her home away from home, her colleagues and certainly loved and helped educate tons of students. I feel so honored to have known her.

Phyllis Christian - January 17, 2022 at 07:02 AM

DM

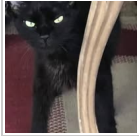
Alice was a friend and I had her for Psych for 3 quarters. She was so very knowledgeable!! She was willing to help those students who were having difficulty grasping the material. I am so very sorry for Michael and Cynthia.

Dana Altizer Moats - January 18, 2022 at 05:26 PM

Carol Whitfield

“ Alice had a huge heart for the Lord and ministry. She was a giver, an encourager, and would go above and beyond what was necessary. She was a true servant-leader within the body of Christ. She has gained a great reward. - Pastor Hugh and Carol Whitfield

Carol Whitfield - January 16, 2022 at 03:35 PM



“ Davie Horton lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown



Davie Horton - January 16, 2022 at 03:22 PM

BR

“ So sorry to hear of Alice's passing. We graduated together at RHS.

Brenda and Bill Richardson - January 16, 2022 at 03:13 PM

SM

Alice was a great friend. I was amazed at her knowledge about lots of things. I enjoyed knowing her & will miss her. Prayers for the family.

suguna Murthy - January 17, 2022 at 01:47 PM

DT

“ Dee Howell Turner lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown



Dee Howell Turner - January 16, 2022 at 03:04 PM

KS

“ *Kathy Sneed lit a candle in memory of Alice Brown*



Kathy Sneed - January 16, 2022 at 02:48 PM