



## Eva Lorraine Dean

October 6, 1951 - August 8, 2021

Eva Lorraine Dean, age 69 of Dandridge, TN was blessed beyond measure, having been awarded her Angel Wings on August 8, 2021, while receiving amazing care and the Methodist Medical Center in Oak Ridge, TN. She entered Heaven peacefully and pain free with her family at her bedside. For over eight years, she amazed her physicians with the strength and healing provided by her tenacious faith in God! She was born October 6, 1951 at Richlands, VA and was the daughter of the late Walter Jack and Verla Nell Smith Harrison. Lorraine had a compassionate heart and a passion to serve the Lord. She became a Registered Nurse in 1971, loving her profession until 1999. She loved nursing so much, that after retiring to Dandridge, TN, she worked very hard to obtain a Tennessee Nursing License, just to have, in case she had an opportunity to do missionary work or participate in a local medical ministry. While working as a nurse, she was nominated and awarded "Who's Who in Outstanding Women of America." Lorraine was very active in the Woman's Ministry at Tazewell Family Worship Center, to which she attributes her largest blessing in life. In 2012, Lorraine created and held a Women's Conference, to which she named "Step Out into the Deep." She taught the lost about Jesus and gave back to women in need. A special non-profit scholarship fund is being created to assist young women entering the field of nursing, after High School graduation, allowing Lorraine to minister via her special daughters. Lorraine is a 1970 Graduate of Tazewell High School and received her Nursing Degree from Southwest Virginia Community College.

Those who survive to cherish her precious memories include her husband, Don Dean; her son, Jack “J.D.” Dean and wife, Becky of Lynchburg, VA; her daughter, Karen Waldron and husband, Matt of Dandridge, TN; her three grandchildren, with whom she loved spending time with in the swimming pool, Alexandria, Tristan and Damon. She wished to recognize her special brother, Bo Smith and her special sister, Carol Hodge. She was always protected by her “favorite child”, Gizmo. It was very important to Lorraine to mention her many adopted children (spiritual daughters and sons), you know who you are. Several other relatives and so many friends also survive, too many to mention, but each and every one was special and loved by Lorraine.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Dean will be conducted at 1:00 p.m. Saturday, August 14, 2021 at the Tazewell Family Worship Center in North Tazewell, VA with Pastor Lawrence Hayes officiating. Burial will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens in Claypool Hill, VA. Pallbearers will be Tristen Dean, Mike Honaker, Darrell Fisher, Jeremy Dillow, Hunter Dean and Trevor Dean. Honorary pallbearers will be Bo Smith, Damon Waldron, Ike Denton and John Quesenberry. To help celebrate the amazing life of Momma Dean, she requested that, if possible, you wear her favorite color, Lime Green.

The family will receive friends at the Tazewell Family Worship Center in North Tazewell, VA from 6 – 9 p.m. Friday, August 13, 2021.

In lieu of floral tributes, the family request memorial donations be made to the: Step Out into the Deep Scholarship Fund: PO Box 326, Tazewell, VA 24651.

All is well ... Hoorah! Hallelujah!!

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Tazewell, VA is serving the family of Lorraine Dean, and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Greenhills Memory Gardens

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 13. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Tazewell Family Worship Center  
Faith Street  
North Tazewell, VA 24630

## Funeral Service

AUG 14. 1:00 PM (ET)

Tazewell Family Worship Center  
Faith Street  
North Tazewell, VA 24630

# Tribute Wall



“ *Eva Lorraine Dean*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Eva Lorraine Dean*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Lorraine was one of the sweetest persons that God has put in my life! This past year she was my secret sister and that meant so much to me!! I have so many sweet memories of her. I love her and will miss her dearly!*

**charlotte walker** - August 14, 2021 at 04:52 PM



“ *We have truly lost a mighty warrior of God. Many of us were touched and encouraged by our dear sister Lorraine, but she is rejoicing around the throne now, Oh Happy Day, see you soon sis , love Janet and Ronny Tester*



**Janet Tester** - August 14, 2021 at 01:33 PM



“ *Don, sooooo sorry for your loss. Lorraine was very special to me. Loved her dearly. When I worked at Tazewell I loved working with her. She was a wonderful nurse !!!!*

**Cathy Lester** - August 14, 2021 at 11:07 AM

LB

“ Don, Larry and I are so sorry for your loss. We are keeping you and your family in our hearts and prayers.



Larry and Debbie Brewster - August 13, 2021 at 08:19 PM

CH

“ Cynthia Hilyer lit a candle in memory of Eva Lorraine Dean



Cynthia Hilyer - August 13, 2021 at 06:55 PM

CH

“ Lorraine was truly an angel on earth. She was my mother in Christ. She blessed so many people. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of the family. Don we are praying and thinking of you.

We love y'all  
Don and Cindy Hilyer

Cynthia Hilyer - August 13, 2021 at 06:55 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Eva Lorraine Dean.



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August 13, 2021 at 04:27 PM



“ *Lorraine was truly an angel on earth. She touched so many lives in a positive way and she will definitely be missed. She was a blessing to my children who loved her dearly. I knew her in school and reconnected with her through my children. Prayers for the family during this difficult time and hope you will be comforted in knowing she is no longer suffering and is now rejoicing in Heaven.*



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**Loretta Hartman** - August 13, 2021 at 01:57 PM



“ *Jackie Smith lit a candle in memory of Eva Lorraine Dean*



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**Jackie Smith** - August 12, 2021 at 11:51 AM

SM

“ Dear Don and Family, My hear hurts for your loss; but rejoices knowing that Lorraine is now safely resting in the arms of God. Her work here is over; God needed His Angel home. Her loving touch will forever remain on the hearts of those she loved. So Lorraine go rest high on that mountain until we meet again “All is well Amen”



Sandy Dean Magee - August 12, 2021 at 08:49 AM

LE

“ Karen,  
So sorry to hear about your mom.  
LeeAnne Chambers



Leeanne - August 11, 2021 at 03:06 PM

KK

“ Jack and Becky, Our deepest sympathy at the loss of Jack’s mom. May you be comforted knowing she is at peace and with the Lord now. God Bless. Ken, Pam, and Matt Kinzer

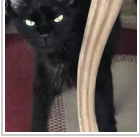
Ken, Pam, and Matt Kinzer - August 11, 2021 at 01:35 PM

Donald Meade

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the Dean family;



Donald Meade - August 11, 2021 at 01:26 AM



“ SHE LASSED A SHOOTING STAR AND  
HELD ON FOR THE RIDE OF A LIFETIME .  
RIP EVA !



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**Davie Horton** - August 11, 2021 at 12:36 AM



“ Lorraine, you know you are unforgettable. I  
know you are unforgettable because of the  
wonderful selfless, loving, giving way you  
lived your life. Heaven is even more precious  
now with you there. Thank you for making a  
difficult situation tolerable for me At Tazewell Community Hospital. I  
love you my sweet friend



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**Dana Moats** - August 10, 2021 at 11:02 PM



“ With much love, I am remembering my  
beloved niece. And send my sincere, heartfelt  
thoughts to all of our family. Wishing I could  
be there with you. With all my love, Frankie



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**Frankie Jessee** - August 10, 2021 at 10:38 PM

KJ

“ Lorraine has always been a shining light in my life and always will be. We shared many things through our stages in life. I am glad she will be watching over me for now. And I am ever so grateful for times to just be in her space.



Karen Jessee - August 10, 2021 at 10:32 PM

BJ

“ Have a lot of memories shared with this great lady The conference in Tennessee Step out into the deep The Foot washing ceremony The marriage ceremony and the list goes on I have so much love and respect for her She will live on in memories till I meet her again



brenda Marshall jackson - August 10, 2021 at 07:33 PM

PW

“ Grammie I will miss our texts and talks about our little angel. You were the perfect example of what a true Christian should be. I am blessed to have shared special memories with you. I will never stop praying. I will miss you.



Patty Waldron - August 10, 2021 at 06:54 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Eva Lorraine Dean*



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**TonyanEdgar Wicks** - August 10, 2021 at 05:18 PM