



Geneva Dowdy Hess

March 29, 1946 - October 24, 2015

Geneva Dowdy Hess, age 69, of Cedar Bluff, VA, passed away Saturday, October 24, 2015 at her home.

She was born in Richlands and was the daughter of Gladys Shelton Dowdy of Roanoke, Virginia and the late Albert Lee Dowdy. In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by her husband, Bobby Eugene Hess; one daughter, Beverly Denise Hess; and one brother, Ernest Wayne Dowdy.

Survivors, in addition to her mother, are:

Daughter: Rebecca Keen and husband, Dennis of Baptist Valley, Virginia

Son: Anthony Hess and wife, Debbie of Cedar Bluff, Virginia

Sisters:

Lennie Burke and husband, James of Richlands, Virginia

Merna Dowdy Beavers and husband, Mike of Roanoke, Virginia

Judy Dowdy Underwood of Richlands, Virginia

Brother: Albert Lee Dowdy, II and wife, Jessica of Lebanon, Virginia

Three Grandchildren: Kristen Keene Minnix and husband, Tony; Benjamin

Hess and wife, Jennifer; and Russell Rakes and wife, Jacky

Four Great Grandchildren: Jonathan Minnix, Chloe Rakes, Kylan Hess, and Colby Rakes

Special Friend whom she loved like her own: Tommy "Petel" Smith and wife, Peggy

Lifetime Friend: Carol Hayes

Special Friend: Donna Hill

Funeral services for Geneva Dowdy Hess will be conducted Tuesday, October 27, 2015 at 2pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with Pastor Barry Absher officiating. Entombment will follow at the Clinch Valley Memorial Cemetery Mausoleum in Richlands, VA. Family and friends will serve as pallbearers. Friends may call after 6pm Monday evening. 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

Clinch Valley Memorial Cemetery

3201 West Front Street/US 460
Richlands, VA 24641

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **26.** 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home
1401 2nd Street
Richlands, VA 24641
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

Service

OCT **27.** 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Geneva Dowdy Hess*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Geneva Dowdy Hess*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Our sincerest condolences to the family. And may the God of all comfort become your strength and courage during this most difficult time.*

Mines family - October 28, 2015 at 07:50 PM



“ *Dana Underwood Kennedy & Sam Kennedy*



dana underwood kennedy - October 26, 2015 at 10:02 PM



“ *Calvin & Shirley Dowdy lit a candle in memory of Geneva Dowdy Hess*



calvin & shirley dowdy - October 26, 2015 at 03:29 PM

JR

“ *John And Wendy Reedy lit a candle in memory of Geneva Dowdy Hess*



John and Wendy Reedy - October 26, 2015 at 02:29 PM

KH

“ *Lennie*

I'm so sorry to hear of your sister Geneva's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you in this difficult time. God bless you.

Kirk Helton

kirk helton - October 26, 2015 at 12:27 PM

DF

“ *DR PARULIS, DR MARGOLIS & YOUR ROANOAKE ORAL SURGERY FAMILY purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Geneva Dowdy Hess.*



DR PARULIS, DR MARGOLIS & YOUR ROANOAKE ORAL SURGERY FAMILY - October 26, 2015 at 09:11 AM

JH

“ James & Ruby Harmon sent a virtual gift in memory of Geneva Dowdy Hess



James & Ruby Harmon - October 26, 2015 at 08:45 AM

HS

“ Harrison & Rebecca Street lit a candle in memory of Geneva Dowdy Hess



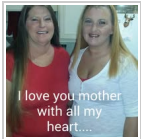
Harrison & Rebecca Street - October 25, 2015 at 11:31 PM



“ Carolyn Pyles lit a candle in memory of Geneva Dowdy Hess



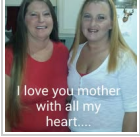
Carolyn Pyles - October 25, 2015 at 06:46 PM



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Tonya Woody - October 25, 2015 at 03:54 PM



“ *Tonya Woody sent a virtual gift in memory of Geneva Dowdy Hess*



Tonya Woody - October 25, 2015 at 03:51 PM