



## Jessie Elaine Short

June 9, 1946 - January 14, 2020

Jessie Elaine Short, age 73, of Raven, Virginia, passed away Tuesday, January 14, 2020 in a Richlands, Virginia hospital.

She was born in Richlands, Virginia and was the daughter of the late Marvin Fred and Mabel Houchins Underwood.

Elaine's greatest joys in life were her family and especially her three grandsons, Zach, Parker, and Avery. She loved her church family at Raven Assembly of God and she loved to bake and feed those she loved. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her brothers: Donald Blankenship, Tommy Blankenship, Danny Underwood, and Marvin Underwood, Jr.; and sisters, Geraldine Roberts, Janet Annie Bullion, and Dana J. Kennedy.

Survivors are:

Her Husband of 52 years: Buford Eugene Short

Daughter: Natalie Short Wright and husband, Rick of Richlands, Virginia

Son: David Short and wife, Jamie of Raven, Virginia

Sister: Betty Payne of Mansfield, Ohio

Brother: Buddy Blankenship of Sparta, North Carolina

Three Grandchildren: Parker Short, Avery Short, and Zach Strouth

Special Friend: Lois Salyers of Christiansburg, Virginia

Several nieces and nephews also survive.

Funeral services for Jessie Elaine Short will be conducted Friday, January 17, 2020 at 11am at Raven Assembly of God Church in Raven, Virginia with the Rev. Doug Johnson and Pastor Jeremy Smith officiating. Interment will follow at the Ball Family Cemetery on Road Ridge near Raven, Virginia. Pallbearers will be Zach Strouth, Parker Short, Avery Short, Rick Wright, Mike Ball, David Short, Russell Short, Marrison Short, John Short, and Hallie Messick.

Honorary Pallbearers will be: Dr. Fasil Chaudry, Dr. Mansour, Dave Horne, Landon Altizer, and the Men's Sunday School Class at Raven Assembly.

Friends may call after 6pm Thursday evening at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia. 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](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Ball Family Cemetery

Road Ridge  
Raven, VA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 16. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

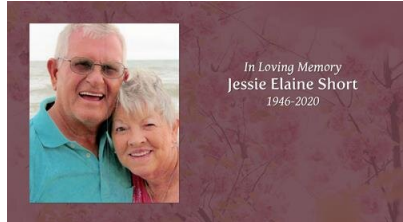
JAN 17. 11:00 AM (ET)

Raven Assembly of God  
814 Raven Rd  
Raven, VA 24639

# Tribute Wall



“ Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jessie Elaine Short



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - January 16, 2020 at 03:01 PM



“ Jessie Elaine Short

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ Jessie Elaine Short

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ Natalie, I'm very sorry to see this sad news. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your loved ones at this time. God bless you.

Kirk Helton - January 18, 2020 at 02:10 AM

JR

“ *John And Wendy Reedy lit a candle in memory of Jessie Elaine Short*



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**John and Wendy Reedy** - January 17, 2020 at 11:33 AM

CN

“ *We are so sorry to hear about your mom. Our hearts and prayers go out to you, Natalie and the family. With love, Richard, Carolyn and Richie Nelson*

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**Carolyn Nelson** - January 16, 2020 at 07:47 PM

CV

“ *Charlotte Vencille lit a candle in memory of Jessie Elaine Short*



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**charlotte vencille** - January 16, 2020 at 07:16 PM

TF

“ *The Buddy Blankenship family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Jessie Elaine Short.*



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**The Buddy Blankenship family** - January 16, 2020 at 06:43 PM

KH

“ *Natalie and Family, I am so sorry for your loss. My mother (Geneva Patton) and I send condolences and prayers for your family. If there is anything we can do to help, just let us know.*

Kathy J Hess - January 16, 2020 at 02:19 PM

GN

“ *Gary And Rhonda Nease lit a candle in memory of Jessie Elaine Short*



Gary and Rhonda Nease - January 16, 2020 at 02:06 PM

RK

“ *Regina Keen lit a candle in memory of Jessie Elaine Short*



Regina Keen - January 16, 2020 at 08:53 AM

RH

“ *Prayers for the family.*



Rocky&Pat Horton - January 15, 2020 at 09:50 PM

JV

“ Sending love and prayers to the Short Family at this sad time. I became friends with Jessie at my former job, she was always so thoughtful to us at the pharmacy sharing her delicious goodies. She certainly was always a ray of sunshine. So very sorry for your family's loss. Prayerfully,  
Judy and Harry VanDyke



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**Judy VanDyke** - January 15, 2020 at 09:18 PM

SL

“ Natalie and Family,  
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. You and your family are in my prayers and thoughts. May the Lord place His loving arms around you and see you through this difficult time. I am sending much love and prayers of comfort your way. Just cling to all your wonderful memories and know that one day you will be reunited.  
Love and prayers,  
Sharon Lowe

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**Sharon Lowe** - January 15, 2020 at 07:00 PM

SL

“ Sharon Lowe lit a candle in memory of Jessie Elaine Short



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**Sharon Lowe** - January 15, 2020 at 06:56 PM

CC

“ *Cathy Cordle lit a candle in memory of Jessie Elaine Short*



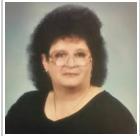
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**Cathy Cordle** - January 15, 2020 at 05:21 PM

GG

“ *Gaynell Goss lit a candle in memory of Jessie Elaine Short*



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**Gaynell Goss** - January 15, 2020 at 01:39 PM



“ *Love & Prayers during this difficult time. Lana was such a sweet lady and will be missed by so many.*



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**Susan Ball** - January 15, 2020 at 01:00 PM

DB

“ *Very pleasant thoughts and memories.*



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**Dairel Bobbitte** - January 15, 2020 at 10:59 AM

AM

“ *Jessie was such a sweet lady. Prayers for the family.* ”



amber - January 15, 2020 at 10:57 AM

RM

“ *Rita And Don Mcglothlin lit a candle in memory of Jessie Elaine Short* ”



Rita and Don Mcglothlin - January 15, 2020 at 10:08 AM

NM

“ *Nellie Maynard lit a candle in memory of Jessie Elaine Short* ”



nellie maynard - January 15, 2020 at 09:04 AM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Jessie Elaine Short* ”



TonyanEdgar Wicks - January 15, 2020 at 08:30 AM

RA

“ So sorry for your loss Lana was a sweet lady prayers love you all.

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**Rita Anderson** - January 14, 2020 at 08:35 PM