



Joyce Collins

April 29, 1964 - October 4, 2009

Mrs. Joyce Marie Collins, age 45, of Cedar Bluff, Virginia, passed away Sunday, October 4, 2009 at her home following a brief illness. She was born in Mt. Airy, North Carolina and was the daughter of Larry and Kay Smith of Seven Mile Ford, Virginia. She had made her home in the Cedar Bluff area for the past seven years and was a member of the Crossroads Community Church in Cedar Bluff. She was a graduate of Liberty University and Chilhowie High School. Survivors are: Her Husband: Rodney Collins Two Sons: Matthew Counts of Radford, Virginia Tyler Counts of Abingdon, Virginia Two Step Sons: Rodney Collins, II and wife, Carrie of Cedar Bluff, Virginia Scott Collins and wife, Angelia of Richlands, Virginia One Sister Laura Teeters and husband, Stan of Richmond, Virginia Step Grandchildren: Sierra Collins, Hannah Collins, and Makala Collins Nephew: Aaron Teeters and Niece: Preston Teeters also survive. Funeral services for Joyce Marie Collins will be conducted Wednesday, October 7, 2009 at 11:00am at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Rick Pruitt officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens in Claypool Hill, Virginia. Family and Friends will serve as pallbearers. Friends may call after 6:00pm Tuesday evening at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia.

Tribute Wall



“ *Joyce Collins*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Joyce Collins*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Rodney, You are in my heart and thoughts, therefore we are never alone.*

Amy Turner - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Larry & Kaye: We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers and thoughts are with you. Joyce was a very special person. We love you both.*

Phillip & Carroll Aker - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Rodney--- I am so sorry for your loss--my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time*

Pam Boulter - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *We know the parents really well. They have been our customers for years. So sorry for the loss.*

Buster and Judy Heath - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *May God help you though this time.*

linda biddy - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ *My condolences to you, Rodney, and your family. May God bless you and keep you and your family in his care.*

*Sincerely,
Karen Holland
Verizon/DRC*

Karen Holland - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PE

“ *My church, Faith Fellowship in Chilhowie, are praying for you during this hard time. Please know that we care and morn for your loss. Please remember that there is more after this life and as a child of God, we will be together for ever. May God bless and keep you is our prayer.*

Pastor Kevin Elswick - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Rodney,
I am so sorry to learn of the death of your wife. May the Lord comfort you with the riches of His grace; with the treasures of His love; with the comfort of His mercies; with the strength of His presence; and with the touch of His care. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Jane Ellen Horton
(RHS '71)*

Jane Ellen Horton - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Rodney,

*I am so very sorry for your loss.
My thoughts and prayers are with you.
Sincerely,
Joan*

Joan Helton - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Sisters share a special bond that even death cannot separate. Joyce was always there for me whenever I needed her. I thank God for the opportunity that I had to know her and to have her as a sister. She will be greatly missed. I will hold her in my heart forever.*

Bill and Jo Haymaker - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Dana and family.yt

Dana Blevins Sullivan - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ *Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.*

Anita Harris Caudill - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PD

“ *we love you very much and will miss you*

Patty Baumgardner and Daughters - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DG

“Joyce was a wonderful woman whom I had the privilege of knowing as a child. Her visits always made us smile. I am sure she is smiling on each of us now.

Dawn Glass - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LA

“i love you and miss you very much sister

Lois Arnold - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JB

“There is comfort in friendship,
Hope in prayer,
Peace in love.
Sharing in your sorrow with love and friendship.
May the love of those around you help you through the days ahead.

We are so very sorry to hear about Joyce's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. Love, Jimmie & Sue

Jimmie & Sue Blackwood - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JC

“Mr. and Mrs. Smith,
You and all of the family are in our prayers. I (Jane) have very fond memories of Joyce coming to Bible School during the summer with you. I was always excited if she agreed to come home with me and spend the afternoon. We always had so much fun! Remember all the fun times and cherish the memories. We love you, Jane and Roger

Jane Carter - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Friends, please accept my condolences. 30 some years ago I worked at Camp Ahistadi and became acquainted with Joyce and her Mother & Father. She and I became friends. I was saddened to hear of your loss. Joyce's kindness, compassion and faith in God never went unnoticed and will always be remembered.

Jeff Fritts - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Rodney I am so sorry for your loss but she is in God's hands now. May he comfort you and give you wisdom and peace. We are only on this earth for a brief time and some of us the time is shorter than other. God go with you and your family.

Jackie

Jackie Vencill Cantrell - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ I was so sorry to hear of your loss Rodney. I was not able to come in for the funeral so I thought I'd just let you know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. It is my prayer that you will feel the Lord so ever close to you comforting you as only he can do. He does know how you feel because he had to give up his best for us and I can only imagine how crushed he was. Just look to him in the days and weeks to come. He will never leave you nor forsake you. God Bless you, Harold and Gay Nell [Skeens} Bandy

gay nell bandy - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ My prayers are with you.

Rev. Richard P. Stone - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ RODNEY,OUR PRAYERS AND LOVE ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.JOYCE WAS A VERY SPECIAL PERSON. WE WILL MAKE SURE THE GRANDDAUGHTERS WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER HER AND HER LOVE FOR THEM.TAKE CARE. TOM AND LOU

LULA COLLINS - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ Rodney
We are so sorry for what has happened and we are praying for you. This was so sudden and we're sure you're still in shock, but as the days approach, we pray that you will be able to slowly come to grips with everything, and hopefully, as people so often quote, time can heal.....
God Bless

Randall & Beth (Elkins) Hill - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ Rodney:

So sorry for your loss, our prayers and thoughts.

Ronnie & Peggy Pinkerton - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

C(

“ Rodney,
I just wanted you to know we are praying for you and your family. Lean upon the Lord and trust Him and He is there for you. May God Bless you. Love In Christ,
Brad&Cosby Bostrum

Cosby (Skeens)Bostrum - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JC

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You and all of the family are in our prayers. I have very fond memories of Joyce coming to Bible School during the summer with you. I was always excited if she agreed to come home with me and spend the afternoon. We always had so much fun! Remember all the fun times and cherish the memories. Love and prayers, Jane*

Jane Carter - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ *Dear Larry & Kay, please accept our sympathy for your loss. We have not lost a child, so we can only imagine your grief. But we also know you have a blessed hope of seeing her again. God bless you with His peace at this time.*

Lewis & Julia Shortt - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Rodney, We are so sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Take Care, From the team and all your friends at the company.*

Rick Fazzi - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your family during your loss. God Bless You All.*

Butch & Elaine Crewey - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ Rodney,
Our sincere sympathy is with you and your family at this sad time.
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Cherish the memories of the good times that you and Joyce shared.
May God bless you and give you strength.
Carol, Bobby, Robyn and Ashley

Carol Myer Raines - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ We are very sorry for your loss. We will keep you all in our thoughts and prayers. Please let us know if there is anything we can do for you.
Joe & Donna Denton
Mike & Christy Danser & kids Katlyn & Bryson
Joe & Leigh Denton & kids Justin, Cody, Joleigh, & Colton

Mike Danser - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
(I am June Christian's sister)

Carol Christian Burress - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Larry and Kay,
We want you to know our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
You both have been there for my family through some hard times. If there is anything we can do, let us know.
We know the Lord will help you through this. We will be praying for you and your family.

Timothy & Sharon Matthews - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Rodney, So sorry to hear about your wife. You are in my thoughts and prayers...Sincerely, Laraine

Laraine Haughton - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ We are praying for all of you and may Gods love surround and comfort your precieuse broken hearts . If you need anything. We love you all. please let us know

Rev. Ralph and Dottie Surber - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ May God comfort your precious hearts as only He can at a time like this . Our prayers are with you all.

Charlotte Parks and Family - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ When I learned of Joyce's passing, I couldn't help but think back to all of the wonderful times we had growing up. I will always remember her playing piano and singing at VBS, traveling all over the place with Buddy & Kay. Joyce had the most beautiful smile, it could always light up any room. I thought of all the fun times we had at Bible Camp. We just couldn't seem to wait until the next year to get together again. Joyce was such a good listener. She was always willing to listen to a friend and help when she could. All of you are in our prayers. We love you.

Tracey Dingus - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ Rev 21:4

And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.

What a true and blessed promise we have. My memories of Joyce go back to the times we shared in the Lord's house and at Bible Camps. I thank the Lord most that I can call her a sister in Christ. Brother Larry and Sister Kay and family we are praying for the entire family that the Lord will give Peace and Grace in a time such as this. Sister Joyce beat us to the finish line and as Paul stated To live is Christ to die is gain.

God Bless you and your family.

Tim & Cheryl Bresette - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Smith,*

We are so sorry to hear of Joyce's passing. There is so little anyone can say at a time like this. Please know that your are in our thoughts & prayers. May God hold you close now & always. We love you both. Justin, Kathleen, Jason & Jacqui

Kathleen Helbert - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ *Dear Matthew,
I was so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. I will keep you and your family in my prayers. Even in the toughest times, God promised to give us the strength and the courage to see us through if we only trust Him and rely on Him.*

*Love and Prayers!!!
Mrs. Widener*

Sue Widener - October 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM