



Leisha Faye Powers

March 15, 1966 - January 26, 2025

Leshia Faye Cochran Powers, age 58, of Pounding Mill, VA, passed away on Sunday, January 26, 2025 at her home.

She was born on March 15, 1966, in Richlands, VA and was the daughter of the late Ralph Cochran and Sarah Catherine Harrison Cochran.

She worked at Clinch Valley Community Corrections Program as a local probation officer. In 1983, she began working at the Mattie Williams Hospital in Richlands, VA through the COE program and remained there until its closure in October 1986. In April of 1987, she became a Business Office/Admissions Case Manager for Tazewell and Bland County until June of 1995. She enjoyed making crafts and reading. She was a Richlands High School Class of 1984 graduate and she attended the Yost Chapel Freewill Baptist Church.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her paternal grandparents, Leonard and Gladys Taylor Cochran; maternal grandparents, Thomas Ferguson and Sally Altizer Harrison; brother, Ralph Michael Cochran; and numerous aunts and uncles.

Leshia is survived by:

Step-Daughter, Rebecca Osborne and husband, John of Lebanon, VA

Grandsons:

Eli Thomas Osborne and Samuel John Osborne, both of Lebanon, VA

Also surviving are a few uncles and aunts, several cousins, and numerous good friends including Chuck and Yvette Patterson, Jason and Sherry Chambers, and Sandra Corell.

Funeral services for Leshia Faye Cochran Powers will be conducted Wednesday, January 29, 2025 at 2pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Pastor Chuck Patterson officiating. Burial will be private. Pallbearers will be: Jim Delp, Kevin Delp, Jay Chambers, Greg Hurst, Bobby Alicie, Charles King, Alan Harrison, and John Osborne. Friends may visit with the family from 12pm to 2pm on Wednesday prior to the funeral at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia. Hurst Scott Funeral Home in Richlands is in charge of arrangements. Those wishing to express sympathy may do so at www.hurstscottfunerlahomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Earls Family Cemetery

Clifffield, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **29**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral

JAN **29**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SA

“ *Leisha was not only my cousin, she was one of my childhood best friends. She was one of the kindest people that I knew. I was so sad to hear that she left this earth way too soon!* ”



Shelia Addair - January 31, 2025 at 10:06 AM

RE

“ *Leisha was a wonderful person!! I am going to miss her. She was so caring and always asked how me and my family were. I really appreciated her kindness. I'm so sorry to all her family and workmates at CVCA. Leisha will be dearly missed!!* ”
Sincerely
Rejohnda Puckett

Rejohnda - January 29, 2025 at 09:32 PM

TR

“ *Rest in peace sweet Leisha. Your kindness & smile was a light in this world that will always be remembered by our family.* ”



Terry & Bobbie Ray - January 29, 2025 at 07:37 AM

CH

“ Carol Hodge lit a candle in memory of Leisha Powers



Carol Hodge - January 28, 2025 at 09:32 PM

PS

“ I was so sorry to hear of Leshia's passing. I got to know her when I was visiting her mother for hospice care. Leisha was a very sweet lady. My condolences and prayers for her family. Paula Slate

Paula Slate - January 28, 2025 at 07:04 PM

KF

“ Kim Farmer lit a candle in memory of Leisha Powers



Kim Farmer - January 28, 2025 at 06:40 PM

MI

“ Leisha I knew for many years. At clinch valley community action. She was a very kind stern lady. Always with a smile. And very friendly. She was like a sister. That I never had. She will be greatly missed.



michelle - January 28, 2025 at 05:50 PM

PW

“ *She was such a sweet lady. Worked with her at Mattie Williams Hospital, but knew her sweet parents and the Cochran family. Wonderful people. Prayers for her family. May God bless and comfort her family .*

Pat Warner - January 27, 2025 at 11:02 PM

PS

“ *Peggy Sparks lit a candle in memory of Leisha Powers*



Peggy Sparks - January 27, 2025 at 10:53 PM

KM

“ *Kaytha McKeel lit a candle in memory of Leisha Powers*



Kaytha McKeel - January 27, 2025 at 10:08 PM

SR

“ *Sheri Rasnake lit a candle in memory of Leisha Powers*



Sheri Rasnake - January 27, 2025 at 07:50 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Leisha Faye Powers.

January 27, 2025 at 07:43 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Leisha Faye Powers.



January 27, 2025 at 07:43 PM



“ Leisha was always kind to me when we were in school together, never heard a bad thing about her and that says a lot about a person.

Sheila Lowe Monahan

Sheila - January 27, 2025 at 07:01 PM



“ TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Leisha Powers



TonyanEdgar Wicks - January 27, 2025 at 06:25 PM

DB

“ *David Beavers lit a candle in memory of Leisha Powers*



David Beavers - January 27, 2025 at 05:12 PM



So sorry to hear.

Peggy Sparks - January 27, 2025 at 06:15 PM



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