



Margaret Hankins Bailey

March 6, 1942 - December 20, 2017

Margaret Hankins Bailey, age 75, of Seymour, TN, died on Wednesday, December 20, 2017, resulting from injuries sustained from an automobile accident. She was born on March 6, 1942 in Cedar Bluff, VA to the late J. Leck and Sallie Mae Hankins. She married Frank Richard Bailey, Jr. on December 20, 1964, in a double wedding with her brother and sister-in-law, David and Judy Hankins – 53 years to the day.

She loved growing, drying and preserving flowers, creating pottery, listening to music, reading, volunteering, and spiritual development. She also worked with various organizations to advocate, and care for the elderly and impaired. Margaret especially enjoyed spending time with family, friends, and community.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her brother, Kenneth Hankins of Weirton, WV.

She is survived by, her husband, Frank Bailey, Jr.; son, Jonathan Bailey; daughter, Christy Bailey; sister, Martha Worsham and husband, Andy of Seymour, TN; eight brothers, Cecil Hankins and wife, Francis of Bristol, TN; David Hankins and wife, Judy of Cedar Bluff, VA; Marvin Hankins and wife, Patsy of Richlands, VA; Danny Hankins and wife, Miriam of Richlands, VA; Don Hankins and wife, Susan of Colorado Springs, CO; Jim Hankins and wife,

Marlyn of Midlothian, VA; Reverends Buford Hankins and wife, Phyllis of Chuckey, TN;

Carl Hankins and wife, Nancy of Black Mountain, NC; aunt, Evelyn Norman Hankins of Smyrna, GA; cousin, Linda Norman Nixon of Bristol, VA. Also surviving are numerous nieces and nephews, along with a host of family and friends.

Margaret was deeply loved and will be genuinely missed.

The family wishes to extend their gratitude to the University of Tennessee Trauma ICU for the support during her final days.

The Quaker funeral service will be held at 1:00 pm on Saturday, February 3, 2018 at Atchley's Seymour Chapel; 122 Peacock Court, Seymour, TN 37865.

Online condolences may be made at www.atchleyfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Margaret Hankins Bailey*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



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“ *Margaret and I shared a special bond as the only sisters among nine brothers. What great fun and memories we all shared as we grew up in the large house built by our Dad and the older brothers. I am thankful for the times we shared in the last three years since Margaret and family moved near me, especially all the great Gospel music concerts we attended. Frank, Christy, and Jonathan, we will remember the good times until we all meet again in Heaven.*

Martha Hankins Worsham - February 05, 2018 at 07:42 PM

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“Margaret and I shared a special bond as the only sisters among nine brothers. I have many fond memories of our growing up years in the large house built by our Dad and older brothers. Once we were grown, our family reunions began as gatherings at Mom and Dad’s house, where our own children piled sleeping bags into a large closet known to us as the play room. Later years found us gathering at Buffalo Mountain Methodist Camp and King College for our reunions. When Margaret and family moved near me, her desire was to be closer to family where she could more easily attend those family reunions. She and I also shared good times listening to Gospel music at Dollywood, National Quartet Convention, and various churches. Another special memory is when she accompanied me to my 50-year high school reunion, which allowed us the opportunity to visit with five of our brothers as well. My heart will always hold a special place for the home and the memories of Margaret we all shared on Edgewater Drive, but what comfort to know we will one day share living in the Father’s House with many mansions. Perhaps Margaret and I will once again get to share a room or mansion, or at least be next door to each other. Margaret, “...may the Lord make His face to shine upon you and give you peace.”

Martha Hankins Worsham - February 05, 2018 at 04:03 PM

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“Frank, Christy, Jonathan I am so sorry we could not have been there with you but circumstances kept us away. You are in our thoughts and prayers. I really loved her just like a sister. We had some awesome times together. Jim & Linda

Linda Nixon - February 05, 2018 at 11:06 AM