



## Mary Davis

August 3, 1924 - June 5, 2007

Mary Elizabeth Davis, of Raven, Virginia peacefully went to be with the Lord, Tuesday evening, June 5, 2007 as her children maintained a loving atmosphere around her. She was born August 3, 1924 in Tazewell County, Virginia and was the daughter of the late John and Mandy Hager Brown. Mary was a retired nurse of 25 years, and relished in the profession of caring for others throughout her years as a nurse. Mary Elizabeth was an advocate of the medical profession and steered many of her children and grandchildren in that direction. Her greatest joy was the gathering of her family and having them all around her. Mary always made the time for each one of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren, their smiles and hugs were a delight only a grandmother could garner. Mary Elizabeth was the last surviving member of her immediate family. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by, her husband, Luther McKinley Davis, two daughters, Mary Elizabeth Davis and Barbara Sue Keene; one daughter-in-law, Claretta Davis; one son-in-law, William E. Hale, two sisters, Lucy Short, Lelia Fortner, and four brothers Rufus, Clyde, John and Clint Brown. Those who survive her are: Three daughters: Patsy J. Ball and husband, Dennis of Richlands, Virginia Lisa M. Stanley and husband Buddy of Richlands, Virginia Stephanie M. Tatum and husband, Steven of Dublin, Virginia Two Sons: James L. Davis of Knoxville, Tennessee Jerry J. Davis and wife, Marie of Claypool Hill, Virginia Five Grandchildren: William E Hale, II and wife Eloise of Charlotte, NC; Karen Davis Beggs and husband, Mark of Church Hill, TN; Dr. Tamra Davis of

Knoxville, TN; Sheri Hale of Belfast, VA; Jamie H. Davis of Knoxville, TN. Two Great-grandchildren: Avalon Elizabeth Beggs and William Dahmon McKinley Hale. Special caregiver and friend, Helen Bales of Richlands Funeral services for. Mary Elizabeth Davis will be held, Friday, June 8, 2007 at 2:00 pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Ralph Horton officiating. Private Entombment will follow at the Greenhills Memory Gardens Mausoleum. Pallbearers will be Dennis Ball, Ira Brown, Allen Brown, Leslie Brown, Ray Fortner, David Pinion and John Davis. Honorary pallbearers will be, Dr. Mario Stefanini, Dr. James H. McVey, Dr. Ernest Moore, Former staff and employees of Mattie Williams Hospital and Dr. Edson Knapp. Friends may call after 6 pm on Thursday evening, at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia, and memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Davis*

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January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Mary Davis*

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January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Lisa , I am so sorry about your mom maw . I know you are heart broken . I wanted you to know I would be there if there was any way possible But Blake's last day of school is Friday and he has an exam. I just want you to know I am there in spirit and I love you all . Mary has always been a part of my life and I love her very much ! I don't think there was any child in that bottom that she wasn't a mom maw too... You are in my prayers!! Love Tabby*

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**Tabby McGhee Trull** - June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ James, Jerry, Pat and Lisa  
Mary was one of the finest women that I had the privilege of knowing and working with. I loved her dearly. She always had that smile on her face, even when I knew she wasn't feeling well. She was a wonderful wife and mother and friend. She was always so good to my mother when they worked together and she never failed to ask about her everytime I saw her. I could go on and on about how special she was, but you already know that. She was a hard worker and someone that really appreciated life and she truly did love the profession she chose. Jerry and I will be praying for God to comfort and bless each one of your family. In loving friendship. Pat and Jerry.

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**Jerry and Pat Warner** - June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ DEAR JERRY AND MARIE,  
I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS OF YOUR MOM. THERE IS NO GREATER PAIN. I WILL KEEP YOU AND YOUR FAMILY IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS.  
MAY GOD BLESS,  
CINDI

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**CINDI STINSON** - June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ We are sorry to hear about Mary. We loved this lady. She was like part of our family. Once again, we are sorry to hear about her.

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**Marilyn Richardson** - June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. She was great to work with at the hospital. We will have each of you in our prayers. The Horton Family "Lou"- Tommy-Betty-Danny-Jeffrey

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**Danny Horton** - June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ Jerry, James, Pat and the entire Davis family, My life has been blest having known your mother. She always had a warm loving smile for everyone she met. She made a big impression on a very young radiology tech back in the 70's and 80's. A lot of the patient treatment skills I learned came from her and other great nurses at the Old Mattie. On a more personal note is was great to call her friend and neighbor for all these many years. She has fought a great battle and won. May the love of the heavenly father be with each of you.

Love

Carol Lee

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**Carol Lee Plaster Farley and Pauline Plaster** - June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Our heartfelt condolences to you and your family.

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**Trevor Cooke** - June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ lisa, i am very sorry to hear this sad news. i will always remember mary and her smiling face. she was wonderful to work with. love, jackie

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**jackie pack smith** - June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ *Mother and I would like to express our deepest sympathy, and want you to know you are in our prayers.  
Your Mother was such a wonderful lady.  
God Bless You All,  
Jane*

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**Jane Lankford-Jeffries** - June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ *We were so sorry to hear about the loss of your Mother. We were out of town and were unable to be with you during this sad time.  
Mary was a beautiful lady and I have fond memories of her.*

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**Betsy and Sonny Plaster** - June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM