



## Roma Gayle Elkins

February 15, 1943 - August 10, 2015

Roma Gayle Elkins, age 72 of Raven, Virginia was surrounded by her family at home as she drew her last breath here on earth on Monday, August 10, 2015.

She was born in Raven, Virginia and was the daughter of the late, Leo E. and Velma Green Lawson. Gayle was a graduate of Richlands High School and began working at Clinch Valley Medical as an Insurance claim adjuster at the age of eighteen, and was relocated to The Clinic some years later. After 55 years of loyal service she retired to enjoy time with her grandchildren. Gayle was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and friend. In her spare time she loved to cook, knit, read Danielle Steele Novels, shop and make crafts at Christmas time. She had such a kind and loving spirit that it seemed radiate from her. She attended the Clearview Methodist Church and was a lifetime resident of the area.

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her son, Bobby E. "Robbie" Elkins and two brothers, Carl Lawson and Dave Lawson.

Those who remain to carry on her spirit are:

Her loving husband, Bob Elkins of Raven, VA

Daughter-in-law, Crystal Elkins of Raven, VA

Grandchildren, Tanner Elkins and Tiarra Elkins of Raven, VA

Three Nieces: Tina Altizer, Karen Pruitt and Donna Alley

Two Nephews: Charlie Lawson and John Lawson

Sister-in-laws:

Shirley Lawson of Cedar Bluff, VA

Mary Lawson of Paintlick, VA

Jean Elkins of Claypool Hill, VA

The family would like to thank, Pat Vernon, Laura and Randy Vernon for always being there for the family. Also a special thanks to the outpatient infusion staff on the 5th floor at Clinch Valley Medical Center for always going above and beyond for their patients.

Funeral services for Roma Gayle Elkins will be conducted at 7:00 pm on Thursday evening, August 13, 2015 at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia with the Minister's Angie and Thomas Stranger and Rev. Scott Gooch officiating. Entombment will be on Friday for the family at Greenhills Memory Gardens Mausoleum in Claypool Hill, VA. Family and friends will serve as pallbearers. The family suggest memorial donations be made to the Clearview Methodist Church, P.O. Box 55, Doran, VA 24612 in lieu of flowers.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 – 7:00 PM on Thursday, August 13, 2015 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

## Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy  
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 13. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

AUG 13. 7:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Roma Gayle Elkins*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Roma Gayle Elkins*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Gayle will be greatly missed. She was a very professional and caring co-worker. May God give her family comfort and peace.*  
*Sandra Dye Magee*

**Sandra Dye Magee** - August 19, 2015 at 06:06 AM



“ *Sandra Dye Magee lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



**Sandra Dye Magee** - August 19, 2015 at 06:03 AM



“ *Peggy Christian lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



**Peggy Christian** - August 18, 2015 at 10:29 PM

RN

“ *Rosalie Null lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Rosalie Null** - August 18, 2015 at 03:31 PM

ES

“ *Ed And Jackie Smith lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Ed and Jackie Smith** - August 17, 2015 at 11:06 AM

ES

*Bob, we are so sorry for your loss. May the Lord bless and keep you close to Him!*

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**Ed and Jackie Smith** - August 17, 2015 at 11:08 AM

VC

“ *Dear Bob and family, we are so very sorry for your loss. Gayle was a wonderful lady and she will be missed by lots of family, friends and neighbors! I pray that God will comfort and be with you during your grieving.*  
*The Richard Conner Family*



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**Velma Conner** - August 16, 2015 at 04:32 PM

SA

“ Steve And Susie Addison lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins



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**Steve and Susie Addison** - August 14, 2015 at 10:06 PM

KM

“ What a sweet and wonderful, beautiful woman. Gayle will be so missed. My thoughts and prayers will be with you!

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**Kathy McGlothlin** - August 14, 2015 at 11:28 AM

RH

“ prayers for the family.



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**Rocky&Pat Horton** - August 13, 2015 at 10:56 PM

RS

“ Randy And Karen Smith lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins



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**Randy and Karen Smith** - August 13, 2015 at 05:35 PM

TK

“ I worked with Gayle at The Clinic many years, she will be missed by all her co-workers.

Trudy Kilgore - August 13, 2015 at 05:33 PM

HS

“ Harrison Street lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins



Harrison Street - August 13, 2015 at 04:51 PM

JV

“ Dear Family, sending my deepest sympathy to each of you. Gayle will certainly be missed but I pray God will comfort your hearts now and in the days to come. Love and Prayers, Judy P. VanDyke



Judy P. VanDyke - August 13, 2015 at 02:06 PM

JJ

“ Please accept our sincerest condolences in this time of your loss-- J. W. & Billie Sue

John W. McClindtock Jr - August 13, 2015 at 07:11 AM

Cathy  
Whited  
Cordle

“ *Cathy Whited Cordle lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



Cathy Whited Cordle - August 12, 2015 at 11:31 PM

KS

“ *Katrina Saxton lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



Katrina Saxton - August 12, 2015 at 05:58 PM

CS

“ *Charlotte, Sam & Family And Anita Short lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



Charlotte, Sam & Family and Anita Short - August 12, 2015 at 12:32 PM

LR

“ *Gayle was such an inspiration to us. She always came in with a smile on her face and a smile in her heart. During her time with us, she and Bob made our day. Loved her so much.*

*Outpatient Infusion Staff  
Sharon, Deana & Linda*

Linda Richardson - August 12, 2015 at 11:46 AM

JR

“ *John And Wendy Reedy lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



John and Wendy Reedy - August 12, 2015 at 11:04 AM

LC

“ *LORIE PATRICK CHRISTIAN lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



LORIE PATRICK CHRISTIAN - August 12, 2015 at 11:04 AM



“ *Peggy Sparks lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



Peggy Sparks - August 12, 2015 at 09:49 AM

RT

“ *Rodney Tiller lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



Rodney Tiller - August 12, 2015 at 09:08 AM

JR

“ Gail, her brothers and I all grew up together in West Raven. Bobby and his family were living in the house I grew up in the last time any of our paths crossed several years ago. Learning of Gail's passing is quite a shock. She was a sweetheart and will be greatly missed. May she rest in peace. Joel and Gayle Reedy

Joel & Gayle Reedy - August 12, 2015 at 08:59 AM

GV

“ Georgie VanDyke lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins



Georgie VanDyke - August 12, 2015 at 08:49 AM

TM

“ Tom And Dot McGlothlin lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins



Tom and Dot McGlothlin - August 12, 2015 at 08:49 AM

TW

“ Tammy Walls lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins



Tammy Walls - August 12, 2015 at 08:37 AM

GA

“ *Gaynell Armes lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Gaynell Armes** - August 12, 2015 at 08:36 AM

KW

“ *Keith & Lynda Lawson Whittington lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Keith & Lynda Lawson Whittington** - August 12, 2015 at 08:31 AM

KE

*Bob & Family,  
We are so very sorry for the loss of Gayle. Our thoughts and prayers are with you now and in the difficult days ahead. Heaven has gained another beautiful angel. Keep the faith and treasure the precious memories.*

*Love & Prayers, Keith & Lynda*

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**Keith** - August 12, 2015 at 09:01 AM



“ *Carolyn Pyles lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Carolyn Pyles** - August 12, 2015 at 08:31 AM

DF

“ *Danny Nelson & Family lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Danny Nelson & Family** - August 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DN

*Bob I am very sorry for your loss anything you need please let me know. Danny Nelson and Family*

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**Danny Nelson** - August 12, 2015 at 12:03 AM

TJ

“ *Tommy And Joann Joyce lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Tommy and Joann Joyce** - August 11, 2015 at 10:50 PM

SW

“ *Bob, sending our deepest sympathy, along with our thoughts and prayers for you and family from here in Oklahoma. Gayle was a special lady.*

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**Shirley Wells** - August 11, 2015 at 10:25 PM

DH

“ *DEANNA HARMAN lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**DEANNA HARMAN** - August 11, 2015 at 10:18 PM

SW

“ *Shirley Wells lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Shirley Wells** - August 11, 2015 at 09:47 PM

WP

“ *Wayne Cheryl Pinion lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Wayne Cheryl Pinion** - August 11, 2015 at 09:27 PM

WP

*Bob so sorry for you're lose.*

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**Wayne Cheryl Pinion** - August 11, 2015 at 09:31 PM



“ Sommer Griffith lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins



Sommer Griffith - August 11, 2015 at 08:52 PM

BA

“ Bob I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. I am so sorry, Your friend, Bonnie Absher



Bonnie Absher - August 11, 2015 at 08:09 PM

RC

“ Ruby Cruvey lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins



Ruby Cruvey - August 11, 2015 at 07:59 PM

RC

I am very sorry for your loss,my thoughts and prayers are with you,We all loved Gayle and will miss her very much.

Ruby Cruvey - August 11, 2015 at 08:03 PM

BN

“ *Bill & Vicki Nuckels lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Bill & Vicki Nuckels** - August 11, 2015 at 07:00 PM



“ *Rick Gilbert lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Rick Gilbert** - August 11, 2015 at 06:37 PM

AP

“ *Alice And Jack Pyott lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Alice and Jack Pyott** - August 11, 2015 at 05:55 PM

RK

“ *Roy And Jill Kinder lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Roy and Jill Kinder** - August 11, 2015 at 04:58 PM

BV

“ *BECKY& BO VANDYKE lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**BECKY& BO VANDYKE** - August 11, 2015 at 04:22 PM

BE

SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS BOB AND FAMILY

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**BECKY** - August 11, 2015 at 04:23 PM

LN

“ *Larry Nelson lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Larry Nelson** - August 11, 2015 at 04:04 PM

BH

“ *Beckie Horn lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



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**Beckie Horn** - August 11, 2015 at 04:02 PM

DH

“ *Danielle Horne & Danielle Hilbert lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



**Danielle Horne & Danielle Hilbert** - August 11, 2015 at 03:59 PM

VL

“ *So sorry for your loss. I miss Gayle already.*



**Vicky Lothery** - August 11, 2015 at 03:55 PM

DC

“ *For Jesus is the light, and in Him is no darkness. Dear Family, we are praying for you.*



**Doug and Malinda Cannaday** - August 11, 2015 at 03:51 PM

LN

“ *Leroy Nelson lit a candle in memory of Roma Gayle Elkins*



**Leroy Nelson** - August 11, 2015 at 03:37 PM