



## Scotty L. Joyce

April 18, 1973 - July 27, 2017

Scotty Lynnwood Joyce, age 44, of Richlands, Virginia, passed away on July 27th, 2017, in Johnson City, TN.

Scotty is preceded in death by his mother, Linda Darnell Jackson; his maternal grandparents, Herman and Lean Houchins Shelton; and his paternal grandfather, Hufford Joyce, Sr.

Scotty was born on April 18, 1973, at Clinch Valley Hospital in Richlands, VA. In 1991, he graduated from Richlands High School. After graduating high school, he moved to Farmville, VA, where he attended Longwood College. He graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in Theatre and Drama. Shortly after his college graduation, Scotty obtained several jobs in theatre and design. Throughout the years, he traveled extensively and lived in Richmond, California, Texas, Florida, and New York, all before returning back home to Virginia to live.

Scotty spent the last eight years as a dedicated and loving caretaker to his Aunt Shirley. Aside from that, he was currently employed through Tazewell County Public Schools as a substitute teacher. He was also pursuing a Master's degree in Special Education through Liberty University.

He is survived by a special aunt, Shirley Ann Shelton of the home; his father

and stepmother, Hufford Joyce, Jr. and wife Vicky of Paintlick, VA; his paternal grandmother, Lydia Joyce of Tazewell, VA; his stepfather, Gary Jackson of Richlands, VA; one sister, Penny Renee Shelton of Troy, VA; two half-sisters, Octave Vass of Paintlick, VA, and Ciji Jackson of Richlands, VA; two half-brothers, Hufford Joyce, III and wife Natasha of Ohio, and Hunter Joyce and wife Donna of Richlands, VA; one special nephew, Tyler Joyce of the home; and one special niece, Brittney Puckett of Bristol, TN. A host of family and friends also remain.

Funeral services will be held on Monday, July 31st, 2017, at 2pm at the Hurst Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, VA, with Rev. Tim Lester and Rev. Larry Ball officiating. Interment will follow at the Clinch Valley Cemetery in Richlands. Pallbearers will be Tyler Joyce, Rick Puckett, Roy Christian, Gary Jackson, Mike Street, Calvin Dowdy, Woodrow Smith, and Donnie Lester. The family will receive friends from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. on Sunday, July 30th, 2017, at 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

## Clinch Valley Memorial Cemetery

3201 West Front Street/US 460  
Richlands, VA 24641

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 30. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

JUL 31. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Scotty L. Joyce*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Scotty L. Joyce*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *I am so sad to hear the loss of Scotty. We, was best friends in middle school; and he was just a great person through and through. He will be greatly missed. I remember, going to his Grandfathers house where he lived when he was young. His family and himself was so good to me, and those memories will always be a part of me.*

*Sincerely Missed,  
John F. Neal*

**John F. Neal** - August 04, 2017 at 11:32 PM



“ *Gwen Ball lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce*



**Gwen Ball** - July 31, 2017 at 08:35 PM



Meredith  
Nance

“ *A beautiful light in this world, extinguished too soon. My thoughts are with Scott's family during this sad time.*



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**Meredith Nance** - July 31, 2017 at 03:28 PM



“ *LeAnn Deel lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce*



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**LeAnn Deel** - July 31, 2017 at 11:32 AM



“ *Lesia Lawson lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce*



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**Lesia Lawson** - July 31, 2017 at 10:39 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss! I met Scott in college and reconnected with him via social media. We just chatted last week. Please know that your family is in my thoughts.*

*Erika Thirkill*

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**Erika Thirkill** - July 31, 2017 at 08:50 AM

AD

“ *Many years ago as a teacher, I was honored to have Scotty as a student. He was impressive even then! My prayers for his family are sincere and constant. May God give you strength and comfort.*

*Anna Y. Damron*

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**Anna Y. Damron** - July 31, 2017 at 07:56 AM



TG

“ *Tim And Dede Jackson Greene lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce*

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**Tim and Dede Jackson Greene** - July 31, 2017 at 12:04 AM

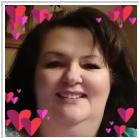


DG

“ *Will miss you my friend. No one made me laugh like you did. Prayers for your family.*

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**Deanna Grimmatt** - July 30, 2017 at 09:00 PM

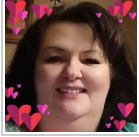


“ *Regina Keen lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce*

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**Regina Keen** - July 30, 2017 at 12:32 AM





“ *My prayers are with you the family. Class of 1991 Rip Scottie!*

Regina Keen - July 30, 2017 at 12:31 AM



“ *Hogey, Brittany, and Tyler, praying for comfort for you all.*

Carolyn Hubbard Trusty - July 29, 2017 at 10:31 PM



*My heart breaks for our family. Praying for Shirley and all the other family. May God comfort and bring peace to each one who knew Scottie and loved him. God bless..*

Donna Lambert - July 30, 2017 at 07:30 PM



“ *Carolyn Hubbard Trusty lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce*



Carolyn Hubbard Trusty - July 29, 2017 at 10:27 PM



“ *Mary Pct lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce*



Mary Pct - July 29, 2017 at 09:51 PM

GT

“ Gail Tatum lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



Gail Tatum - July 29, 2017 at 09:38 PM

GT

Such a nice caring person.

Gail Tatum - July 29, 2017 at 09:40 PM

CA

“ Chris Armes lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



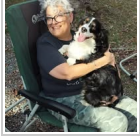
Chris Armes - July 29, 2017 at 08:21 PM



“ Amy Hart lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



Amy Hart - July 29, 2017 at 04:10 PM



“ I shall miss you forever my friend, we will always hve the prom, Mama Mia, and vintage dress up! Actually to much to even count. Rest in Peace my love.



Amity Layne - July 29, 2017 at 03:06 PM

DS

“ Donna Shortt lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



Donna Shortt - July 29, 2017 at 02:57 PM

JB

“ Janice Ball lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



janice ball - July 29, 2017 at 02:43 PM

NR

“ Norma Jewell Richardson lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



Norma Jewell Richardson - July 29, 2017 at 01:15 PM

JK

“ Jenny/Penelope Knopp purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Scotty L. Joyce.



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**Jenny/Penelope Knopp** - July 29, 2017 at 12:42 PM

CC

“ Cathy Cordle lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



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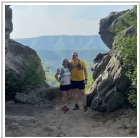
**Cathy Cordle** - July 29, 2017 at 12:36 PM

JJ

“ Scotty you were a great person you will be missed my dear sweet friend

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**joann joyce** - July 29, 2017 at 12:22 PM



“ Carrie Walton lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



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**Carrie Walton** - July 29, 2017 at 11:27 AM

SC

“ Susan Cooper lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



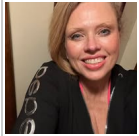
Susan Cooper - July 29, 2017 at 11:22 AM

JC

“ Jeremy, Bethany, And Colton Collins lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



Jeremy, Bethany, and Colton Collins - July 29, 2017 at 11:20 AM



“ Scotty called me the day before he passed, and we shared laughs. He was such a joy to be around, and will be missed by many! Love you Scotty! You are putting makeuo on the angels in heaven! Love you, "darlin" ❤️

Chelle Carini - July 29, 2017 at 11:03 AM

LC

“ LULA COLLINS lit a candle in memory of Scotty L. Joyce



LULA COLLINS - July 29, 2017 at 10:37 AM