



Shirley Whittington

November 16, 1957 - December 1, 2008

Shirley Jean Kinder Whittington went to be with the Lord on the evening of December 1, 2008 in Bristol, Tennessee after her courageous battle with cancer. She was born in Richlands, Virginia and was the daughter of the late Walter Bill Kinder and the late Anna Marie Lowe Kinder. She was a 1976 graduate of Richlands High School and Southwest Virginia Community College in 1977. She was employed by Holiday Inn Express at Claypool Hill where she spread her kindness and love to travelers and her coworkers every day. Shirley was a loving and devoted wife, mother, sister and friend, and was loved by many. She loved the Lord and showed it through her kindness and joy to her loved ones. She loved babies and children, especially the little ones in her family. Survivors are: Her husband of 30 years: Paul Wayne Whittington Two Daughters: Jennifer Whittington of Johnson City, Tennessee Meagan Whittington of the home Loving Sisters: Janice Wheeler of Richlands, Virginia Linda Kinder of Hansonville, Virginia Three Brothers: Harold Kinder of Abingdon, Virginia Larry Kinder of Abingdon, Virginia Dean Kinder and wife Tammy of Bristol, Tennessee Nieces: Michelle Kinder Duty and husband Leo Duty and Melissa Kinder. Nephews: Greg Wheeler, Jimmy Wheeler and wife Kathy, Jeff Kinder and wife Tonya Great nieces: Morgan Brooke Duty, Anna Katherine Duty, and Brianna Wheeler. Great nephews: Andrew Wheeler, Justin Wheeler, and Bronson Wheeler. Special friend: Kathy Byrd. She is also survived by many beloved cousins, aunts, uncles, and friends. Funeral services for Shirley Jean Whittington will be conducted

Thursday, December 4, 2008 at 2:00pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with her nephew, Jeff Kinder, officiating. Inurnment will follow on Saturday, December 6, 2008 at 2:00pm at Greenhills Memory Gardens at Claypool Hill, Virginia. Pallbearers will be: Jeff Kinder, Greg Wheeler, Jimmy Wheeler, Tommy Whittington, Jason Chavis, and Darrin Lowe. Friends may call after 6:00pm Wednesday evening at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia. Shirley requested that any gifts or donations be given to the American Cancer Society, 250 Williams Street, NW Atlanta, GA 30303 or www.cancer.org.

Tribute Wall



“ Shirley Whittington

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ Shirley Whittington

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ I'm sorry Jen for your loss. I know how you feel. It's hard to believe dad has been gone since 2002. Call me if you need anything or need to talk.

Doug Archer Jr - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ To Jennifer and family,

Words cannot express the sympathy in my heart for you at this difficult time. May the Lord be with you in the days to come, and may He help comfort you in your loss.

I will be thinking of you and praying for you.

Brandy Lester

Brandy Lester - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ I AM VERY SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT SHIRLEY, YOU ALL ARE IN MY PRAYERS AND THOUGHTS. GOD BLESS YOU ALL

joann coffman joyce - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ Linda,
I am so sorry for your loss. Shirley always wore a smile. I hope all of the wonderful memories you have shared with her will be of comfort to you in the days ahead.

Beth Deskins Gillespie - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. I'm thinking about and praying for you and your family.*

Megan Elizabeth Browder - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *Linda, Harold, Larry, and all the family, I was so sorry to hear about Shirley, I had planned on being there yesterday, but wasn't able to, but my thoughts and prayers were with you all, and will be in the days ahead.*
Dottie

Dottie Wingo - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PP

“ Linda,
So sorry to hear about your sister, may god comfort you and your family thru this period, remeber the memories and the love will comfort you.

love peggy

Peggy Pinkerton - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DQ

“ *To Larry and all of Shirley's family.*

No words can speak for your loss but always remember to keep Shirley close to your heart. The whole Kinder family is like family to me. I have known all of you for such a long time.

Shirley has will be missed at work.

My prayers and thoughts go to all of you through this tough time.

Dan

Dan & Cindy Quam - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ *My sincere sympathy is with each of you. Shirley's days on this earth were better for having a wonderful family like you. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Cherish the memories of the good days and know that she is in heaven now with no sickness. If I can help in any way just give me a call.*

*Love and prayers,
Carol*

Carol Myer Raines - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ *MY PRAYERS AND THOUGHTS ARE WITH MY FAMILY. I CAN NOT BE THERE PHYSICALLY BUT I'M THERE IN SPIRIT. I LOVE YOU ALL VERY MUCH. SHIRLEY WILL BE DEEPLY MISSED.*

LORETTA

DAN & LORETTA KENDRICK - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Jennifer,
We were so sorry to hear of your loss. Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers through this difficult time and the days ahead.

Jenna (Hovis) Shortridge - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ jennifer and linda kinder's family,

We are thinking of you in your time of need and saying a pray for you and your family. If you need anything let us know how we can help you out during this time. We will keep you in our thoughts and prays.

Matt and Elizabeth(Saunders) Horton

matthew and Elizabeth Horton - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

ED

“ Jennifer,

I am so sorry to hear of this terrible news. Your parents were always so good to me when we were in school. I wish I could be there to comfort you in your time of need. You and your family are all in my prayers! If I can help you in any way please don't hesitate to call me!

Erin Hamm Dean - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ *Jenn and Megan*
I am so sorry. There aren't any words that can express how sorry I am. Please know that you are in my prayers. You will never stop missing or loving your mom but in time dealing with the pain will become easier. Just keep all of your memories of Shirley close to your heart which I know you will. I love you both! Myra

Myra Stevenson Harmon - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ *Jennifer & Family,*
I am terribly sorry for your loss. Please know that I am thinking about you all and remembering you in my prayers.

Trista Godbey - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ *Your family will be in my prayers.*

Tabitha Lambert - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

VM

“ *Larry and to all of Shirley's family:*
I am so deeply sorry for your loss. I had the pleasure of working with Shirley and she became a dear friend. May God comfort you all in your time of need. My prayers go out to each of you.
Love, Vivian

Vivian Marrs - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

FI

“ To all of Shirley's family I just pray that God will bless you with comfort and strength in this time of your loss but is certainly Heaven's gain in receiving Shirley home with Jesus.

*With Love and Prayers,
Fern*

Fern Lowe Ice - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Wayne and girls,
How very sorry we are to hear about Shirley. But imagine how wonderful she feels now. No pain and at home with her Mom and Dad. We pray that the Lord will place His loving arms around you and guide you safely through this most difficult time. I am so sorry that I am unable to be there to give you my condolences in person. I am in Radford babysitting for our granddaughter. But know that you are indeed in my thoughts and prayers.

*In His Love,
Sharon*

Jerry and Sharon Lowe - December 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM