



## Joan Elane Davis Rayfield

April 1, 1955 - May 17, 2023

Joan Elane Davis Rayfield, passed away May 17, 2023 at her home in Ringgold Georgia. She was a loving and devoted wife, mother, Nanny and great Nanny. She is preceded in death by her children, Karen and Eddie Rayfield; parents Ed and Audrey Davis; siblings, Mary Ann Plott, Jimmy Davis, Arnold Davis, and Louise Davis. She was survived by her husband, James Rayfield; children Kaye and Mike Hale and Rosemary Lynn Rayfield; grandchildren, Tiffany (Bo) Hammontree, Bobby Ray (Kat) Merrell, Cody (Jacy) Nipper and Kayla Nipper; many great grandchildren; sibling, Cynthia Thomason, Carolyn Bryson, Geneva Stockburger, Jean Conner, John Lee Davis. The family will receive friends on Tuesday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of the service. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 23, 2023 in the funeral home chapel. Burial will follow in Lakewood Memorial Gardens ~ South. Online guest book at [www.wilsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com). Arrangements by Wilson Funeral Homes Wallis – Stewart Chapel, Ringgold, Georgia.

# Cemetery Details

## Lakewood Memory Gardens South

325 Greens Lake Road  
Rossville, GA 30741  
(706) 866-7777

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 23.** 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - Ringgold Chapel  
443 Boynton Drive  
Ringgold, GA 30736  
(706) 935-2331  
spencer@wilsonfuneralhome.com  
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## Funeral Service

**MAY 23.** 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Cathy Rolen lit a candle in memory of Joan Elane Davis Rayfield*



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**Cathy Rolen** - May 19, 2023 at 09:59 AM

JP

“ *My deepest condolences to the family. Elaine was the sweetest and best friend I ever had. She will be greatly missed. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*  
*Marlene Phelps*



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**Juanita phelps** - May 19, 2023 at 09:20 AM

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“ *Brenda Bridges Styles lit a candle in memory of Joan Elane Davis Rayfield*



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**Brenda Bridges Styles** - May 19, 2023 at 12:10 AM

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“ *Burl Hullender lit a candle in memory of Joan Elane Davis Rayfield*



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**Burl Hullender** - May 18, 2023 at 06:03 PM

JS

“ *Janice Stephens lit a candle in memory of  
Joan Elane Davis Rayfield*



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**Janice Stephens** - May 18, 2023 at 05:32 PM

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*Kay, Rosie, James and family.*

*I am sorry for your loss. I have known Elaine and her family for many years. When I first met her everyone called her blondie and for the longest time I never knew that was her nickname. She was a special lady that never allowed hard times through life to knock her down. She always got back up!! Elaine was a very special lady and much admired for her strength to overcome all she faced in grief for her children, and those who passed on.. I know she is with Jesus and her family in Heaven !! I know you all will miss her terribly and she is waiting for you when God calls you home!! I love you all. Elaine I am so happy to have known you friend and so grateful you blessed my life!!*

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**Janice Stephens** - May 18, 2023 at 05:52 PM