



Mrs. Linda Joyce Sikes

May 28, 1946 - June 29, 2018

Linda Joyce Smith Sikes age 72, of Ringgold, Georgia passed away Friday – June 29, 2018. She was born in Texarkana, Arkansas to the late Garnett H. and Royal Bailey Smith. She was a graduate of Central High School in Chattanooga, TN – Class of 1964. She graduated from Grady Hospital School of Nursing in 1967 as a Registered Nurse and worked in healthcare for many years. She was an accomplished piano player, enjoyed sewing and cross-stitching. She was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church of Fort Oglethorpe. Along with her parents, she is preceded in death by her brother: Michael Sherman Smith. She is survived by her sons: James Francis “Jimmy” Sikes, Jr. of Chickamauga, GA, Jeffrey Christopher (Marie Carmen) Sikes of Ringgold, GA, sisters: Susan Ward of Fort Oglethorpe, GA, Royal Jo (Larry) Johnson of Orange Park, FL, Janice (Terry) Langston of Buford, GA, Rosemary Biggs of Fort Oglethorpe, GA, brother: Garnett (Holly) Smith, Jr. of Chickamauga, GA, grandsons: Taylor Javis Coffman, Anthony James Sikes, Luke Christopher Sikes, several nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends Monday from 4:00 pm – 8:00 pm. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm – Tuesday – July 3, 2018 in the chapel with Pastor Derrell O’Neal officiating. Burial will follow in Beautiful Greenwood Cemetery, Chattanooga, TN. The family would like to say a special “Thank You” to the staff of Hearth Hospice. Arrangements by Wilson Funeral Homes – Chickamauga, Georgia. Online register book at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

1954 Greenwood Road
Chattanooga, TN 37406

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 2. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - Chickamauga Chapel
215 Lee Ave.
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

PB

“ I am so sorry for the loss of this precious lady to so many. My thoughts and prayers are with all of her family and friends who loved her so dearly.

Ron and Pam Bethune

Pam Bethune - July 03, 2018 at 10:59 AM

CR

“ Linda was special always ready to laugh and find humor. At one time, Royal and Linda were attending the Miriam Sunday School Class together and would tease each other with funny remarks and comments. Linda always had the last word, "Remember mother, I have the finally decision on your nursing home." One of her beautiful cross-stitching is hanging on my bedroom wall, and I get to appreciate it every day. Linda was a role model of how to live through it all. My heart hurts and I will miss her.

Charlotte (Charlie) Rasbury

Charlotte Rasbury - July 02, 2018 at 11:24 AM

SB

“ Sending this on behalf of my Mom, Sula "Sue" Beavers, who knew Linda and use to keep Jimmy and Jeff when they were little boys.

Mom said to tell you all that she was just sadden by the news of Linda's death, and her sympathy goes out to not only her boys, but the rest of the family as well.

Sula "Sue" Beavers

Sula "Sue" Beavers - July 02, 2018 at 08:59 AM

JA

“ *Susan, I'm very sorry to hear about Linda. I remember when she was learning to drive and had us in the car driving around Ft. O.!*

Janet Wilson Overman

Janet - July 01, 2018 at 08:15 PM

DL

“ *We are so sorry about the passing of Linda. Our hearts are with you. God bless all of you. Don and Mary Laster*

Don Laster - June 30, 2018 at 07:48 PM