



## Nancy Ann Holsonback

January 8, 2015

Nancy Ann Perry Doran Holsonback age 79, of Chickamauga, Georgia passed away Thursday – January 8, 2015.

She was born in Chickamauga, Georgia to the late Hubert Roy & Hazel Lindsey Perry. She had lived most of her life in Chickamauga and was a very active citizen of Chickamauga. She was a graduate of Gordon Lee High School – Class of 1953 where she was the cheerleading and basketball captain. She had worked at Murphy's Drug Store, Crystal Springs Print Works, Gordon Lee High School and had a beauty shop in Doran's General Store with her husband, all in Chickamauga. She served on the Chickamauga City Council for fourteen years following her husband's terms. She enjoyed bowling and had also helped with the Chickamauga Lions Club. She was a former member of Fellowship Baptist Church and a current member of Rossville Church of Christ.

Along with her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband: Joe Don Doran and brother: Alfred Joe Perry.

She is survived by her husband: Joe Wayne Holsonback, and their children; Donna (Greg) Carpenter, Jeffrey Hugh Doran, Marla D. (Jerry) Prince all of Chickamauga, GA, Terry Joe Holsonback of Atlanta, GA, Deborah Angela White of Fort Myers, FL, Derrick Wayne Holsonback of Lakeview, GA, brother: Hubert Roy Perry, Jr., of Rossville, GA, grandchildren: Brant Van Fossen,

Jeffrey Archer Doran, Jacob Hugh Doran, Jason Don Doran, Monica Diane Prince, Molly Loraine Prince, Jennifer Austin, Brittany Holsonback, Stephanie Holsonback, Alex White, Heather Stephens, Brandon Holsonback, great-grandchildren: Grace, Olivia, Noah and Mary Margaret Doran, several nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends Saturday from 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm and Sunday from 2:00 pm – 8:00 pm at the funeral home. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm - Monday – January 12, 2015 at Fellowship Baptist Church with Minister Jack James residing. Burial will follow at Chickamauga Cemetery - Chickamauga, Georgia.

In lieu of flowers, the family request memorial donations be made to The Harvest House at 1100 McFarland Avenue – Rossville, GA 30741 or The Gordon Lee Alumni Association at 402 Cove Road – Chickamauga, Georgia 30707.

Arrangements by Wilson Funeral Homes – J. Avery Bryan Chapel – Chickamauga, Georgia.

Online register book at [www.wilsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

JC

“ On behalf of the Mills family I'd like to extend our love and prayers at this very sad time. Aunt Nancy was a great lady and she'll be dearly missed. We will always have happy and wonderful memories of her. Please find comfort in that she's joined your dad, my dad, Uncle Jim and the rest of McCoy troop who I'm sure have already welcomed her with open arms. God bless.

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**Jimmy Mills - Arnold, MD - Cousins** - January 20, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ We are so sorry to hear about Mrs. Holsomback. She was one of the sweetest ladies we have ever met . We enjoyed working with her as a city councilman while we worked for the city. We know your in a good place and god is watching over you. Rest in peace Nancy. We love and surely will miss you.

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**Richard & Teresa Jackson - Chickamauga, GA - long time friend** - January 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ She is one of the sweetest Ladies I have ever know and has a smile that would light up the world!

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**Michael Daugherty - Rossville, GA - friend and insurance agent** - January 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Our love and prayers to you and your family at this time -- Nancy was a very lovable person and made everyone feel so good who was around her -- Only knew her for a few years but she was a very special lady -- Love to you all .....

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**JOHN AND SUE ANN DUNN - CHICKAMAUGA, GA - FRIENDS** - January 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ Jeff, I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. It is so hard to lose a parent! You are in my thoughts and prayers. Amy

Amy Rice - Friend of son - January 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ On behalf of the Valentine family, sorry to hear of your loss. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Ginny Valentine - Gaithersburg, MD - Friend of Doran family - January 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ Condolences to all the family and friends of Aunt Nancy who love her and will be missing her. Losing her creates a void that hopefully peace with fill. Take Care.

Mark Jefferson Doran - Hyattsville, MD - Nephew - January 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

FF

“ Joe, Keith and I are so sorry for your loss. Nancy was a special lady. We love you.

Faye Hodges - Rossville, GA - Friend - January 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Where to start...I have so many good memories of Ms Nancy. She used to cut my hair as a young teen and would give tips on hair, makeup, clothes, etc... She was always telling interesting stories and had a genuine interest in young folks. I will miss her greatly.

Tammy Geurin Snodgrass - Chickamauga, GA - friend - January 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Marla, Iris contacted me to let me know about your mom, Nancy...she was a fun, kind person...I bowled with her in our younger days and we sure had a lot of fun.....you will miss her terribly I know, I miss my parents too....take heart in knowing all the people she touched....my thoughts and prayers are with you....love u  
Tiny Dalton Autrey

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**Tiny Autrey - York, SC - friend** - January 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ I am so sorry for you loss, she was such a kind and sweet person, May God comfort the family at this time.

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**Catheran Durham - GA - friend** - January 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ We are saddened by Aunt Nancy's passing. I feel fortunate to have seen her at the wedding last year. We pray for strength and comfort to all those left behind. To my Doran family, I love you all and our prayers are with you!

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**Jim and Susan Doran - Selbyville, DE - Nephew** - January 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TO

“ To the family, Nancy was a wonderful person, she was a very pleasant warm person to know, she will be missed by everyone that knew her.

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**Tom & Judy owens** - January 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TN

“ what a fantastic Aunt you were! you inspired me to become a hairdresser and i have stuck with it for 38 and counting! i will always hold great times in my heart...rock city,,goofy golf..lake winiposka..Krystals ..ect ... my thoughts and prayers are with all of you cousins Donna, Jeff and Marla may you find peace soon and Godspeed Aunt Nancy God has called your bingo number!

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**theresa - lake shore, MD - neice** - January 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ Joe, sorry to hear about your loss. May God bless and be with you during this difficult time. My love and sympathy.  
Jerry

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**Jerry Wallace - Cohutta, GA - Friend of Joe** - January 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NF

“ Prayers and thoughts are with Nancy's family over their loss. She was a dear friend who contributed much to the Chickamauga School System and community. A donation will be made to the Gordon Lee Alumni Association in her memory.  
Nancy Van Prooyen, Chickamauga, Ga.

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**Nancy Van Prooyen - Chickamauga, GA - Friend** - January 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Dear Joe and family,  
I'm so sorry for your loss in the passing of dear Nancy. She was such a sweet person, so friendly and kind. She was always interested in other's welfare. I know she will be greatly missed. My prayers that our Heavenly Father will comfort you and hold you close.  
Dianne Fincher

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**Dianne Fincher - Chickamauga, GA - friend** - January 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ To all the family: Please accept our sincere sympathy for the loss of your dearest mother. She was a wonderful person and will always be your angel and be with all of you at all times. May God Bless all of you ALWAYS

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**Susana and Bill mccooy and Ryan McCoy - gambbrills, MD - long time friends -**  
January 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ *Marla Jerry Monica and Molly*  
We are very sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. We will keep you and all your family in our thoughts, prayers, and hearts.

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**leroy and lori meidinger - miles city, MT -** January 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Our sincere sympathies on the loss of this special person. She was a beautiful woman, inside and out. I hear her singing in heaven.

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**Ronnie and Sue Robertson - Chickamauga, GA - Friend -** January 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dear Joe & Family, We are so saddened by Nancy's death; She was such a wonderful, vibrant person. We'll miss her terribly, but we know that we'll see her once again with all the saints in heaven. God be with you all. Sammy & Genice

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**Genice & Sammy -** January 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ So sorry for your loss. Know that you and your family are in my prayers. Due to health problems I can't be there, but know that God is with you every minute and every day. Just call upon his name for comfort.

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**Jackie Anderson - Ringgold, GA - friend of Donna's from Friendshi** - January 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ We are so sorry for your loss... Nancy was a wonderful sweet woman and she will truly be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time.

*Tom, Kristy, Jackson Durham and Caleb McDonald*

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**Kristy Durham - Rossville, GA - Friend** - January 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Marla and family, please accept our sincerest condolences over your loss. What wonderful tributes are pouring in for your mother. She has truly left an outstanding legacy. Your family will be in our prayers.

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**Debbie Ingram** - January 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ I had the privilege of knowing Nancy when I volunteered with her and Joe at several Lions Club events. She was a nice lady and her laugh and smile were contagious. I'm sorry for your loss and I pray that God gives her family and friends the comfort they need during their time of loss. R.I.P. and fly high Heavens newest angel and rejoice with our King. I can't wait to see you in Heaven!

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**Lori Kilgore and Family** - January 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ Joe and family, so sorry for your loss. I was a tenant for seven years and became close friends to Nancy and family. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Vance Roden - Rock Spring, GA - friend** - January 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM