



Daphne Knight

February 25, 1936 - September 28, 2020

Daphne Ann Westwood Knight, 84, passed away Monday, September 28, 2020, at Traceway Retirement Community in Tupelo. She was born in Margate, England, on February 25, 1936, to Walter Andrew Westwood and Florance Mable West Westwood. She loved Jesus and had a servant's heart. She enjoyed knitting, sewing, hot tea, watching birds, and gardening. She cherished teaching Sunday school in her earlier years. She loved her dog and spending time with family and friends.

A time of visitation will be Thursday, October 1, 2020, at 5:00 PM until 8:00 PM at Booneville Funeral Home. A graveside service will be Friday, October 2, 2020, at 11:00 AM at Jumpertown Cemetery. Booneville Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. She is survived by her children, Richard Bean (Melody) of Kansas, David Alexander of Rantoul, IL, Michael Alexander (Sandy) of Oswego, IL, and Calvin Knight (Kim) of Tishomingo, MS; Donna Arnold of Tishomingo, Kathy Alexander of Corinth, Michelle Kaus (Doug) of Aurora, IL, Sharon McMurren (Bob) of Clare, IL, Becky Janes (Stevie) of Gallatin, TN, and Mary Ann Martin (Jason) of Booneville; Virginia Nell Davis (James), Doug Knight (Bella), Jerial Knight (Annie), Allen Knight, Cheryl Gaul (Jerry), Connie Wills (Will), Jimmie Sue Saign, and Victoria Knight. She also leaves behind a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James Knight; her parents; daughter, Judy Keown; step-son, Ray Knight; step-daughter, Cindy Knight; and a brother, Ronald Westwood.

Pallbearers will be Wesley Janes, Keith Arnold, Blake Knight, Asher Martin, Chris Alexander, Mike Alexander, Bryson Knight, Josh Knight, Josh Arnold, and Xzavier Singleton.

Condolences may be extended to the family at boonevillefuneralhome.net.

Cemetery Details

Jumpertown Cemetery

Previous Events

Burial

OCT 2. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Jumpertown Cemetery

Tribute Wall

PJ

“ Sending love to all of you during your time of loss and sadness

Peggy Joyner - October 02, 2020 at 08:08 PM

SP

“ Ms Daphne was always so sweet to me. I'll always remember that and her sweet smile. Praying for her family for comfort and good strength.

Sharon Knight, Purdon. - October 02, 2020 at 12:00 PM

JT

“ Ms. Daphne was a very sweet and special lady. I enjoyed seeing her when she visited us at church.

Janette Taylor - September 30, 2020 at 09:26 PM

HL

“ Daphne was a delight! I am so glad that I had the opportunity to know Daphne and hear her stories of her homeland, her journey to her new country, the family she brought with her and the family she made here. I have laughed until my stomach hurt at her banter back and forth with Jason, her much loved son-in-law. I will miss seeing that sparkle in her eyes, but know how much more they are sparkling now! Love and prayers from Hazel

Hazel Lucas - September 30, 2020 at 02:43 PM

BH

“ Daphne is one of my very best friends. I failed her in so many ways but she never let me know it. She was a very smart and loving person. We hD so much fun on our little outings. Sometimes I couldn't hardly keep up with her. She didn't let life get her down and she didn't hesitate for one second to let you know how much she love the Lord. Daph you will be greatly missed. Love you and save me a spot in your brand new home and I will try to keep Jason out of trouble. Love you friend.

Brenda Hood - September 30, 2020 at 02:04 PM



“ *Shades of Purple was purchased for the family of Daphne Knight.*



September 30, 2020 at 12:41 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Daphne Knight.*



September 30, 2020 at 12:06 PM

JK

“ *Precious memories. Will miss you and am thankful you were a part of my life.*

Jimmie Knight - September 30, 2020 at 11:46 AM



“ *White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Daphne Knight.*



September 30, 2020 at 11:45 AM

PL

“ *I have so many great memories with my friend Daphne that will keep her in my heart forever! I would pick her up in my old van and away we would go. She took me to visit her old homestead, sharing her many memories. Then we stopped in a sunflower field where I picked them for her. She saw an old neighbor and we had to stop and visit. We shared meals together, many hours listening to Gaither music, and sharing our life stories, crying together and laughing a lot. One doesn't get a friend like Daphne often in their lifetime but God gave me her and I will cherish our time together until I see her again one day. Patsy Larson*

patsy Larson - September 29, 2020 at 09:49 PM

JK

“ *Judy Knight lit a candle in memory of Daphne Knight*



Judy knight - September 29, 2020 at 09:34 PM

JK

I am so so so sorry for yalls loss

Judy knight - September 29, 2020 at 09:35 PM

BT

God bless you all and comfort you.

B Thrower - September 30, 2020 at 10:03 AM

SB

I didn't get to know Sis.Daphne very long before she got I'll but I don't think I ever seen her without a smile on her face and a kind word about someone. She was a real wonderful person if you ever got a chance to see her you will NEVER FORGET HER

You'll be greatly missed by all who knew you. Sending prayers to your family 🙏🙏

Sharie Bass - October 01, 2020 at 11:50 PM