



Karella Long

February 23, 1942 - December 1, 2010

Mrs. Karella Long, age 68 of Calhoun, went to be with her Lord on Wednesday, December 1, 2010 after several years of declining health. Karella was born in Lenoir City, Tennessee on February 23, 1942, daughter of the late Tommy and Ada Jenkins Lawson. In addition to her parents, she also preceded in death by a son, Ricky Long; two brothers, Jack Lawson and Lester Lawson; and two brothers-in-law; Edward Dooley and Jimmy Blalock. She was a member of Heritage Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Johnny Long to whom she was married for 51 years; two sons, Randy Long and Clay Long, both of Calhoun; and a daughter-in-law, Bobbie Jo Long of Mississippi; four sisters, Chloie Dooley of Adairsville, Vickie Blalock and her husband Harold of Calhoun, Wanda Blalock of Adairsville, and Lonnita Willis and her husband Al of Adairsville; a brother, Jimmy Lawson of Calhoun; and two grandchildren, Ashley Hicks of Mississippi and Kambri Long of Calhoun. Nieces, nephews and other relatives also survive.

Funeral services for Mrs. Karella Lawson Long will be held Friday, December 3rd at 3:00PM from the chapel of Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home, with Rev. Brent Davis officiating. Interment will follow in Haven of Rest Memorial Park. The following gentlemen will serve as pallbearers; Tommy Phillips, Glenn Phillips, Lorin Lawson, Lanne Lawson, Gary Blalock and Kam Willis. Honorary pallbearers will include David Headrick, Curtis Mulkey, Tracey Densmore and Norris Burger.

The Long family will receive friends Thursday between the hours of 6:00PM and 9:00PM at the funeral home.

Online condolences may be expressed and the register book signed at www.maxbrannonandsons.com. Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home, a legacy of compassion and care, is in charge of directing the funeral service for Mrs. Karella Lawson Long of Calhoun.

Tribute Wall

LH

“ *Im so sorry for your loss. I am praying for your family. Karella will be greatly missed. Please tell Chloe if she needs anything to call me.*

Lyvonne Hennessee - December 06, 2010 at 10:44 PM

SC

“ *Our thought and prayers are with the entire family*

Sandy & George Cook - December 04, 2010 at 08:22 PM

DC

“ *My heart is breaking for Johnny and family. Karella was one of a kind, I loved to listen to her tell a story or joke. Heaven has a special angel whom we will all miss here on earth. We love you, rest Karella we will see you soon.*

Debbie Callahan-Thompson - December 04, 2010 at 07:22 PM

DC

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Karella's passing. I enjoyed working with her several years ago, she was a sweet lady.*

Dawn Nesbitt Charles - December 04, 2010 at 04:31 PM

JM

“ *To all of Karella's Family I am so sorry to hear of her passing...she was always smiling and I remember her best back when I was pregnant with Kenneth making me potato salad because I loved it..She was a dear Lady an she will be missed!*

Jo Ann Pack Mulkey - December 03, 2010 at 11:24 PM

ES

“ So sorry to hear of Karella's passing. We will miss her.

Eddy and Doris Shubert - December 03, 2010 at 01:57 PM

RK

“ Lonita, we are so sorry for your loss. We will keep you in our prayers. Call us if we can help in any way.

Robin Watkins Kinsey - December 03, 2010 at 01:03 PM

JL

“ We will miss you Karella, Love Jackie, Trish, Mindy and Dusty

Jackie Lawson - December 03, 2010 at 11:35 AM

JO

“ Chloe, Wanda, Vickie & Jimmy and rest of Karella's family: So sad to hear the news of Karella's passing. Of course, my memories are of us all living on Mill St. in Lenoir City and playing in the yards and streets. May God bless you all with peace and understanding and know that she is without pain and suffering now.

JoAnn

JoAnn Shubert Oran - December 03, 2010 at 10:53 AM

LW

“ To the family, I am so sorry, I did not hear about Karella's death until this morning. I hope you are all doing well and if I can be of any assistance, please let me. know.

Love to you all, Lynn White

Lynn White - December 03, 2010 at 10:21 AM

DL

“ OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL

Donnie & Tammy & Kayla Lawson - December 02, 2010 at 08:46 PM

VF

“ Johnny, Randy, Clay we are so sorry to hear of karell's passing. she was alway such a sweet lady with a beautiful smile. may god be with you now and in the days to come tim and vickey

Vickey & Tim Foster - December 02, 2010 at 03:50 PM

FB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Freddie and Kaye Black - December 02, 2010 at 03:49 PM

GJ

“ I am so sorry for the loss of our dear cousin Karella. Please know that we love you all and we will surely miss her big smile. Our prayers are with you all and again we love you all so much!

Gl;oria Johnson - December 02, 2010 at 11:49 AM