



Dixie Cornelia Yates

March 20, 1947 - April 7, 2014

Dixie Cornelia Yates, age 67, of Dayton, TN died early Monday morning, April 7, 2014 at her home. She was born March 20, 1947 in Mize, MS to the late Earl Sims and Virginia (Lockey) Sims Robinson. She was also preceded in death by her brother, Jimmie Truitt Sims and her sister, Florence Maxine Davis.

A resident of Dayton since 1996, Dixie previously lived in Meigs County, TN and Raleigh, MS. She was employed as an LPN at area health care centers. Dixie was a member of Jesus' Name Church in Sylvarna, MS then Watts Bar Church of God in Meigs County, TN. Dixie is survived by her husband of 41 years, James Yates; her son, James "Sean" (Wendy) Yates , all of Dayton, TN; her daughter , Ardis "Halee" (Sam) Hargadon ; two grandchildren, Olivia "Gwyneth" Hargadon and Kevan "Jacob" Hargadon, all of Carlton Place Ontario, Canada; sister, Tessie Ann (Chris) Keating of Louisiana and numerous nephews and nieces.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2:00 p.m. at the Liberty Baptist Church in Raleigh, MS with Rev. Stanley Doggett officiating. She will be laid to rest in the Liberty Baptist Church cemetery.

Please share your memories of Dixie on her online guest register at www.vanderwallfh.com

Memorial contributions may be made to the Gideons.

The family is being served by Vanderwall Funeral Home where they will be receiving friends Wednesday from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and also at the Liberty Baptist Church one hour before the funeral on Friday.

Cemetery Details

Liberty Baptist Church Cemetery

Raleigh, MS

Tribute Wall

AJ

“ James,

Whit and I have enjoyed knowing Dixie these last few years as a neighbor. We pray for your comfort. Please know that we are available to help in any way.

*Sincerely,
Amy and Whit Jones*

Amy Jones - April 11, 2014 at 09:04 AM

SB

“ Sue Birchett lit a candle in memory of Dixie Cornelia Yates



Sue Birchett - April 10, 2014 at 04:43 PM

SB

“ I worked with Dixie for a period of time at Spring City Care and Rehab. She was a lovely lady and a joy to be around. Please accept my condolences for your loss.
Sue Birchett


Sue Birchett - April 10, 2014 at 04:35 PM

JM

“ James, my prayers have been with you and Dixie but she is now at peace. I pray that she and Wendall will be at the feet of Jesus. James please do not grieve but rejoice that she no longer has that old body. Janice McMichael



Janice McMichael - April 09, 2014 at 06:42 AM

 Kariann
Bratcher
Lindner

“ I remember going to her house with Halee and spending the night always had a great time. You in our prayers Halee, Sean, and Mr. Yates. Miss talking to you all.
With love,
Kariann Bratcher Lindner

Kariann Bratcher Lindner - April 08, 2014 at 08:04 PM

MC

“ Dixie was a shining example of God's love. She was truly an exceptional person and I'm blessed that I had the privilege of knowing her and working with her years ago. Much love and prayers to her family. May you have comfort that only He can give. An angel has been called home.

Michelle Davis Cunningham - April 08, 2014 at 05:53 PM

JK

“ I know your final battle has been won, and victory in Christ Jesus is yours. I've never known a person like you, your gentle spirit and the kind heart you showed to everyone.
Halee, I'm grateful to you for sharing your Mom, and I'm grateful to your Mom for sharing, you.
My prayers and support will continue to be with you all. With all our love and prayers Julie and James Kaylor.

Julie Kaylor - April 08, 2014 at 08:41 AM

DM

“ Sean and Wendy, We are thinking of you and hope your memories give you comfort. Sending love and prayers. David and Marta Monhollan

DAVID MONHOLLAN - April 08, 2014 at 07:59 AM

DH

“ Oh my very dear and precious friend, Dixie. We shared so much and yet often just a "cup of cold water" in His name. I know she is rejoicing around His throne. Prayers for you James, Sean and Halee. Love you all so very much.



Dotty and Chuck Herd - April 08, 2014 at 06:26 AM



“ Callie Belk lit a candle in memory of Dixie Cornelia Yates



Callie Belk - April 07, 2014 at 10:44 PM

TP

“ I worked as a CNA, with Mrs. Dixie. First at Spring City and then at Soddy. I thought alot of her. Mrs. Dixie always had a smile on her face, a kind word, and was friendly to all she meet. My heart is truly saddened by her passing. I know she is with the Lord...RIP Mrs. Dixie...love you

Tracey Pankey - April 07, 2014 at 05:01 PM