



Joyce Lucille Hood

January 28, 1946 - April 6, 2016

Joyce Lucille Hood, age 70 of Dayton died Wednesday, April 6, 2016 at her home. She was born January 28, 1946 in Chattanooga to the late George and Dorothy (Higgins) Smith.

A resident of Dayton since 2005, she was a homemaker and caregiver to the elderly. She was a member of the Straightway Holiness Church in Soddy Daisy.

She is survived by her husband Thomas Ray Hood of Dayton, two sons Thomas Ray Hood, Jr. of Jacksonville, FL and Anthony Smith of Florida, one daughter Melinda Hankins of Chattanooga, five brothers, Pete Smith, Van Smith and Ricky Smith all of Soddy Daisy, Richard Smith of Dayton and Gary Smith of Florida and two sisters June Smith of Dayton and Erin Smith of Chattanooga.

Burial will be in Chattanooga National Cemetery.

Please share your memories of Joyce on her on-line guest register at www.vanderwallfh.com.

The family is being cared for by the Vanderwall Funeral Home in Dayton.

Cemetery Details

Chattanooga National Cemetery

Chattanooga, TN

Tribute Wall

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“ Aunt Joyce .. can't believe it's already been a year since you went to Heaven .. oh how we all miss you 😭💔 you were always the same every time we saw each other .. never changing .. always loving , kind and sweet . You always made me feel loved and very special .. I hope I did the same for you .. ❤️ I know you've been enjoying Heaven .. Mama is now on her journey to greet you and everyone there .. please if it's possible send her reassurance that it's ok to let go .. that what is waiting for her is far greater than anything her on this earth , even us 😭 We know we'll all be together again soon !! I keep in close contact with Uncle Ray for you .. he sure misses you 😭 I know he's counting the days until y'all are together again ❤️ I love you Aunt Joyce forever and always 💋 Happy one year Anniversary in Heaven ! 🌹

Carolyn Campono - April 13, 2017 at 04:54 AM

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“ Joyce we love you and will miss you dearly. You were a big part of our lives and I guess god needed another angel, you were taken from this earth way to soon.
This was so unexpected and it's hard to put into words how much you mean to us and how much we love you. Rest in paradise Joyce.

Betsey, Toot, Katy & Arriyah - April 12, 2016 at 11:48 AM

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Rest in peace, sis.

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