



Vivian Smith

January 31, 1939 - February 5, 2008

Vivian Lois Smith, age 69 of Dayton died Tuesday, February 5, 2008 at Rhea Medical Center in Dayton. A life-long resident of Rhea County, Vivian was born January 31, 1939, the daughter of the late Cyrus Harley McCarter and Blanche (Dugger) McCarter. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Arlan Smith and son Dwight Smith and brothers James "Gene" McCarter and Cyrus Harley McCarter, Jr.

Vivian was a homemaker and loved to sew. She was a member of the Friendship Full Gospel Church in Dayton.

Vivian is survived by her daughter Linda (Ronnie) Stinnett, of Dayton, two sisters Naomi Edminston and Dorothy Sampley, three brothers, William McCarter and Bobby Joe McCarter, all of Bridgeport, AL and Benny McCarter of Dayton, TN, grandsons Ron Stinnett, Jr. of Leesville, LA, Cory and Shawn Smith of Dayton, great-granddaughter Brianna Stinnett of Leesville, LA, daughter-in-law Kristy Stevens of Dayton and grand-daughter-in-law Jackie Stinnett of Leesville.

Funeral services for Vivian will be held Friday afternoon at 1:00 pm in the funeral home chapel with Pastor James Sandell officiating. Burial followed by a white dove release will be in Rhea Memory Gardens.

The family is being served by Vanderwall Funeral Home in Dayton where they will receive friends Thursday from 3:00 pm until 8:00 pm.

Please share your memories with the family on their on-line guestbook at www.vanderwallfh.com.

Previous Events

Service
FEB 8. 1:00 PM.
Chapel

Tribute Wall



“ Sorry Linda Im not there for you, but you are in my thoughts. love you kim. i will truly miss aunt vivian i was always close to her. she is the only aunt i have memories as a child didnt hardly know the other ones. love kim###imported-begin##Kimberly A Brown##imported-end##

February 08, 2008 at 01:22 PM



“ with our deepest sympathy.###imported-begin##arkie & mary barnes##imported-end##

February 07, 2008 at 11:58 PM



“ Our Prayers are with you and your Family###imported-begin##mike/shelia smith##imported-end##

February 07, 2008 at 05:33 PM



“ Linda, Ronnie and family
It was such an honor and a blessing to know this sweet, kind and gentle woman. She loved Christ with all of her heart and loved talking about him. What a wonderful legacy to leave to your grandchildren. Linda, your sweet mother is in heaven with Jesus and completely healed. PRAISE GOD!###imported-begin##Jennifer, Clark, Sam and Jon Rowland##imported-end##

February 07, 2008 at 04:32 PM



“ I am a friend of Dorothy's & my sympathy's are with all of your family.

May God be with you and you will be in my prayers.

Angie Rogers

(Mildred Guffey's

daughter)###imported-begin###ANGIE ROGERS from JASPER, TN.###imported-end##

February 07, 2008 at 09:53 AM



“ I only met Vivian through the computer, but she was such a sweetie. Of course, I had not got to talk to her in a long time, but I thought of her often. Dorothy, you and your family are in my prayers. May God comfort and Bless you all. Marsha Fuller, Fyffe, Al.###imported-begin###Marsha Fuller###imported-end##

February 07, 2008 at 09:38 AM



“ To all my cousins - I am so sad to hear that Vivian has passed away, and I am sorry I can't be with you, but you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Linda and Mike Robinson

Athens, Alabama###imported-begin###Linda (McCarter)

Robinson###imported-end##

February 07, 2008 at 09:31 AM



“ Dorothy, my prayers are with you and your family at this dark hour,
God bless you all. Mildred##imported-begin##Mildred
Guffey##imported-end##

February 07, 2008 at 09:01 AM



“ Dorothy, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. You and your family are
in my thoughts & prayers.

Your friend,
Ernest##imported-begin##Ernest Batey##imported-end##

February 07, 2008 at 08:49 AM



“ We are going to miss you Aunt Vivian.
I loved you bunches!##imported-begin##Kim Campbell##imported-
end##

February 07, 2008 at 12:24 AM



“ Linda, Ronnie & family,

Our prayers and sympathy are with you at this time.

Marler family##imported-begin##Jayne Marler##imported-end##

February 06, 2008 at 09:41 PM



“ *She wished noone a fond farewell
She never said goodbye
She was gone before we knew it
And only God knows why.*

*Fond memories will linger every day
Remembrance will keep her near
But nothing will ever take away
The love our hearts hold dear.*

*If all the world was mine to give
I'd give it all and more
To see the face of my dear, dear friend
Come walking through my door.##imported-begin##Tim and Kathi
Facciani and Family##imported-end##*

February 06, 2008 at 03:45 PM



“ *Linda & family,
You are in our thoughts & our prayers. May God grant you
strength, peace, & comfort in your time of sorrow. We loved your mom
& will miss her greatly.*

*Ted & Debbie##imported-begin##Ted & Debbie Hall##imported-
end##*

February 06, 2008 at 03:40 PM