



Wanda Faye Drake

April 25, 1944 - May 16, 2012

Wanda Faye Drake, 68, of Huntsville, Arkansas, died May 16, 2012 at the Washington Regional Medical Center in Fayetteville, Arkansas. She was born April 25, 1944 at Wharton, Arkansas, the daughter of Harlie L. and Lugunia Williams Jones. She was a retired bus driver for the Huntsville Public Schools and a Baptist. She was preceded in death by one son, Randall Drake, one brother, Wendell Jones and two sisters, Angie Wright and Barbara Boweman. Survivors include: her husband, Bob Drake of the home; three sons and one daughter-in-law, Kendall and Michelle Drake and Lyndall Drake, all of Huntsville, Arkansas and Dwayne Drake of the home; one daughter, Tisha Carter of Cass, Arkansas; four brothers, Bob Jones of Fayetteville, Arkansas, Bill Jones and James Jones, both of Huntsville, Arkansas and Denzil Jones of Tulsa, Oklahoma; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 P. M. Monday, May 21, in the chapel of Brashears Funeral Home with The Reverend Jim Hepler officiating. Interment will be in the Drakes Creek Cemetery under the direction of Brashears Funeral Home www.brashearsfuneralhome.net of Huntsville, Arkansas. Pallbearers will be: Larry Easterling, Larry Carpenter, Colby Drake, Taylor Drake, Larry Sparks and Jody Ross. The family will receive friends from 2:00 P. M. to 4:00 P. M. on Sunday at the funeral home.

Tribute Wall

GB

“ We are so sorry for your loss, Wanda was a great lady.

Gooch and Carrie Butler - May 23, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ I'm thinking of you during this loss.

Randy Smith - May 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ Dear Family,

Losing a loved one can be devastating. However, please take comfort in knowing that death isn't the end. Jesus demonstrated that by what he did when his friend Lazarus died while he was on earth. The account recorded in John 11 shows that to those who were with him when he got the news, Jesus said: "Lazarus has falling asleep and I am going to awaken him". And just as he stated, the account reveals that Jesus went to the grave where Lazarus was already buried for four days. When he got there, he called Lazarus, who came out from the grave like he was never dead. This account teaches us that the dead aren't in heaven with those who passed away before them. They're simply resting and awaiting the fulfillment of the resurrection promise Jesus himself made in John 5: 28. The Bible shows that what Jesus did in Lazarus' case was a preview of what he'll do when he rules the earth as King of God's Heavenly Kingdom/Government. (Daniel 7: 13 and 14); (Daniel 2:44) When that times comes, the Bible shows that the righteous can be reunited with their resurrected loved ones here on earth, which will become a paradise they will inherit and live on forever under perfect conditions (Psalm 37: 9-11 and 29, (John 5: 28 and 29). To learn how you can benefit when God's Kingdom rules the earth, please contact the local congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses for a FREE Bible study.

Martye, Concerned Neighbor - May 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ Bob and family,

You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Ms. Wanda's loving spirit and beautiful smile will be greatly missed.

Brandon and Amie Morgan - May 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ Thinking of you in your time of sorrow

Gary & Debbie Cornett - May 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HD

“ Kendall and Lyndall, I'm very sorry to hear of your mom's passing. I will be keeping all of you in my prayers

Heidi Lantz Dudley - May 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ May God Bless you and be with you in your grief. Sorry for your loss. She was a wonderful lady.

stanley and mellanie boyd - May 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Sorry for your Loss!!! If there's anything I can do to Help Please Call Me> She was always Good to me and I will miss her, Too. Love Becky

Becky Fancher - May 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ Wanda will be missed by many. My thoughts and prayers go out for to the family and especially the children & grand kids! A mother is so special it is hard to imagine life without them. Lean and God and your friends and they will get you through it. She will still watch over you from Heaven and will always be in your hearts!

Love - Lynn

lynn jones - May 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Will keep the family in my prayers during this most difficult time

Marjorie Mason - May 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Tisha and family, we are so sorry for your loss. Losing a Mom is a very hard thing. Just know that we care and praying for you all. She is so much better off, but the pain of her passing is not easy. Remember the good times.

Butch and Joye Bolinger - May 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM