



Della Lee Joyce (Horner) Crump

December 21, 1943 - February 10, 2020

Mrs. Della Lee Joyce (Horner) Crump, of Hohenwald, TN passed away on Monday, February 10 at the Lewis County Nursing & Rehab at the age of 76. Born on December 21, 1943 in Hohenwald, TN she was the daughter of the late James Leemore Cotham & Nancy Lee James. She is also preceded in death by her husband, Raymond Crump.

The family states they could tell stories for days on end. While the family spoke a few things stood out, the first was she was a Christian and she led her life by example, it was told that the preacher once came to her and asked her to pray for him. During her later years she attended a small Assembly of God of about 20 people, close enough she could walk to church. While worshiping here she began to sing, and because of her beautiful voice the congregation refused to let her leave. She would attend her for 2 years until her health began to decline. The family says she wrote around 14 songs, with one being titled "Daddy I'm Giving You This Song", they still have all the lyrics to this music today. Numerous searches were conducted by the family, but no recordings exist. Another attribute was her positive attitude, she truly loved everyone and everyone loved her, and enjoyed being around her. It can truly be said without a doubt she had no enemies. Her grandchildren would often say "Granny wouldn't do that" or "Granny wouldn't say that". But there is one thing she would say, and she said every time she left, "I Love You and God Bless."

Visitation with the family will be held on Thursday, February 13 from 5:00 - 9:00 in the McDonald Funeral Home Chapel and also on Friday from 10:00 AM until service time.

Funeral Services will be conducted on Friday, February 14 at 11:00 AM in the McDonald Funeral Home Chapel with David Grimes officiating. Burial will follow in the Downey Cemetery.

Survivors Include: Son James "Jimmy" (Jennifer) Horner of Murfreesboro, TN, Daughter Regina (Richard) Pike of Cedar Hill, TN, Sister Sharon (Danny) Dodridge of Linden, TN, Sister Angela (Mutt) Leigh of Hohenwald and 5 Grandchildren Chandler Horner, Sydney Horner, Bryson Pike, Addison Pike & Jazzlyn Horner.

She is preceded in death by her parents James Cotham & Nancy James, Husband Raymond Crump, Son Doris "Waynie" Horner Jr., Sister Sue Ann Sisco and a grandson Landon Horner.

Cemetery Details

Downey Cemetery

780 Centerville Hwy
Hohenwald, TN 38462

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 13. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

McDonald Funeral Home, Inc. - Lewis County
20 West 2nd Avenue
Hohenwald, TN 38462
(931) 796-2207

Visitation

FEB 14. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

FEB 14. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



McDonald Funeral Home, Inc - March 17 at 12:43 PM

MW

“ I worked with Joyce many years ago. She was a very kind hearted lady.I am very sorry to hear of her passing.



Marie Williams - February 14, 2020 at 12:01 AM

TF

“ The Adair Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Della Lee Joyce (Horner) Crump



The Adair Family - February 13, 2020 at 04:28 PM

PE

“ I am truly so sorry to learn of Joyce passing. She was truly loved by all that ever knew her personally or had just met her in passing. She helped me to meet Someone very special in my husband Bobby Wisdom's life time, his daughter Tammy Smith Without Sue and Joyce, this may not have happened, as Bobby passed away from ALS not long from that time.



AGAIN THANK YOU JOYCE AND SUE FOR SUCH GREAT MEMORIES! Love to all the families and so sorry for your loss! I truly loved Joyce !! Patricia Estes Wisdom Hohenwald, Tn

Pat Wisdom Estes - February 13, 2020 at 01:33 PM

BE

“ Bernardqualls lit a candle in memory of Della Lee Joyce (Horner) Crump



bernardqualls - February 13, 2020 at 01:08 PM

SM

“ I worked with Joyce for about 5 yrs in an OPTICAL lab. She was the sweetest, kindest most loving person I have ever known. So is her family. She will be greatly missed. My prayers and condolences to all of you.

Susan Merritt - February 12, 2020 at 12:14 PM

SY

“ *Sandy Yates lit a candle in memory of Della Lee Joyce (Horner) Crump*



Sandy Yates - February 12, 2020 at 10:46 AM

DT

“ *Donna Thomas lit a candle in memory of Della Lee Joyce (Horner) Crump*



Donna Thomas - February 11, 2020 at 08:10 PM

LC

“ *JOYCE WAS A VERY SWEET AND HUMOROUS LADY SHE HAD A GREAT SOUNDING VOICE LOVED TO HEAR HER TALK THOUGHT OF HER OFTEN HAVE NOT SEEN HER IN A NUMBER OF YEARS ALWAYS CONSIDERED HER MY FRIEND YOU WILL BE MISSED WISH I COULD HAVE HEARD HER SING .*

LORETTA CANTRELL - February 11, 2020 at 07:43 PM

LR

“ *Lynette Raines lit a candle in memory of Della Lee Joyce (Horner) Crump*



Lynette raines - February 11, 2020 at 07:23 PM

WV

“ Wanda And Ralph Vineyard lit a candle in memory of Della Lee Joyce (Horner) Crump



Wanda and Ralph Vineyard - February 11, 2020 at 06:54 PM

PJ

“ Patsy James lit a candle in memory of Della Lee Joyce (Horner) Crump



Patsy James - February 11, 2020 at 06:25 PM

WQ

“ Wayne & Martha Qualls sent a virtual gift in memory of Della Lee Joyce (Horner) Crump



wayne & martha qualls - February 11, 2020 at 06:18 PM

CG

RIP JoJo... our loss on earth is heavens gain. Love you 🙏

Cathy Griggs - February 11, 2020 at 07:38 PM

DT

I have two stories 1) Joyce and I went to Chevys dance club for Halloween and I dressed as a turtle and she had on a flashy shirt. I won and went back to my place to change and clean up. I was going back to her place but we were hungry and stopped by Waffle house. People started staring at us and we were like what are they looking at and she looked at me then herself and said " I look like a prostitute that just picked up a weirdo" and started laughing. One of her buttons was done wrong and my face still had paint on it. 2) Joyce and I played the lottery and I played 3 numbers mine, Travis and Tyler's birthdays. She played Gina's, Waynie and Jimmy's but changed Jimmy's to Chandlers. We won \$2000 and I brought her half in and she asked what the big money numbers were. I told her she should of left Jimmy's name in and we would of had 9 million. We both started laughing. I will miss her and her smile, personality, generosity and the love she had for her family. Prayers for the families at this time sorrow. May you rest in peace Joyce for you are with your family and the Lord.

Donna Thomas - February 11, 2020 at 08:29 PM