



Kay Dennis

December 28, 1942 - December 21, 2016

A beautiful angel on earth reunited with her Savior, Kay Dennis, passed from this life surrounded by her loving family on December 21, 2016. She was born Loretta Kay Jones on December 28, 1942 in Denison, Texas to Cloyd L. and Mildred (Cross) Jones both of whom welcomed her to Heaven along with her grandson, Scotty Vicars. She grew up in Denison and graduated from Denison High School in 1961. She met and married the love of her life, James Dennis, on November 15, 1963 and a woman was never more loved than Kay was by James. For over 53 years, they were inseparable and the devotion they had for one another continues to inspire their family and friends to this day.

Kay was a woman who had an abundance of love for her family and her love spilled over to other families, each of whom she cared for as if they were her own. She was known to so many and each had a name for her that told her how special she was. Her husband, James, called her "Shug", her beloved children, Barbara, David and Michael called her Momma, her cherished grandchildren and great grandchildren called her MeMaw (along with countless young lives that she was proud to take care of and be their MeMaw too) Miss Kay to those of us that she blessed with her friendship, mentorship and wisdom and an angel to others who had the privilege to meet and spend any amount of time with her. Kay had a smile for anyone who she met and her spirit of love for others was a true testament of her Lord's love for us. She lived her life in such a way that to know her was to see daily grace in any

situation. Kay was a faithful member of Grace Temple Baptist where she was active in the Bus/Transportation Ministry ensuring others could have the opportunity to hear the Gospel at church. She then became a member of First Baptist Church of Terrell where she again remained active as a 5th and 6th grade Sunday School teacher and taught and exemplified to “her kids” the Good News. Always known for her willingness to help and her hugs, Kay will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

She leaves to cherish her memory her husband, James Dennis; daughter, Barbara Sisk and husband Donnie; sons: James David Dennis and wife, Patti, and Michael Glen Dennis; grandchildren: Kimberly, Matthew, Daniel, Jeremy, Michael Ray, Lauren, Emily, Leann, Chase, and Devin; great grandchildren: Paisley, Blakeley, and Kallie; brother, Jerry Jones and wife, Betty; sister, Pam Dennis.

Funeral service will be at 10:00am, Saturday, December 24, 2016 at First Baptist Church of Terrell with interment to follow at Campground Cemetery. The family will receive friends 6-8pm, Friday, Dec. 23, 2016 at Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations. For those wishing, memorials in honor of Kay may be made to First Baptist Church of Terrell, 403 N. Catherine, Terrell, TX, 75160.

Cemetery Details

Campground Cemetery

County Road 326
Terrell, TX 75160

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **23**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations
642 N Rockwall Avenue
Terrell, TX 75160
(972) 524-0881
<https://www.maxslaytonfunerals.com>

Celebration of Life

DEC **24**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Terrell
403 N. Catherine
Terrell, TX 75160
<http://www.fbcterrell.org>

Tribute Wall



“ *Kay Dennis*

October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM



“ *This precious lady is now receiving her reward with her Savior JESUS CHRIST. She blessed our family every time we were in her presence, & will be missed so much. May GOD bless you James & all her family especially in the days ahead as you recall how special she was. Sorry we didn't know about the funeral until afterward.*

Perry Sims - December 24, 2016 at 11:17 AM



“ *James and family. There are no words to express your great loss. Kay was truly a great example in my life of the virtuous Christian woman. Her smile and sweet calming voice spoke words to my spirit. James, I love you and Kay so much. I am thinking of you today and in the days ahead. Praying God wraps you in his arms of comfort. I have the flu and am not able to attend her service, but know you are in my heart!*



jill slayton - December 24, 2016 at 07:55 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kay Dennis.*



December 23, 2016 at 12:46 PM

BG

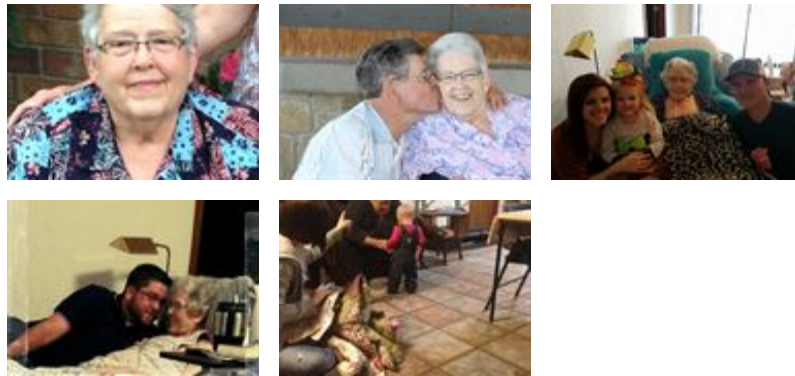
“ James, David, Barbara and Michael.
We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Kay was one of the finest Christian ladies we have ever know. What a blessing to have known her and we will miss her.

Randy & Beverly Goff

Beverly Goff - December 23, 2016 at 12:30 PM



“ 100 files added to the album LifeTributes



Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations - December 23, 2016 at 09:49 AM



“ From the moment I first met James and Kay they made me feel welcome in thier home. Anytime I came to visit Michael I was expexted to come inside and sit for fee mins and visit...didn't matter how much of hurry we were in. Lol. She even told me to visit when Michael moved to Houston. She said, I didn't need Michael there to stop by and say Hi. She was an amazing woman with a heart bigger than Texas. And she will truly be missed. Ours thoughts and prayer are with the entire Dennis family right now.

Barry Thompson - December 23, 2016 at 12:48 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kay Dennis.*



December 22, 2016 at 09:59 PM



“ *James and Family:
Kay touched so many lives in so many ways. We will never forget the many memories that she created while keeping Heather and Adam in her home. As soon as I would pick them up after work, they would race back up to her house to spend more time! Oh, how they loved their Kay! We are praying for all of you.
Debra and Marty Schumaker*

Debra Schumaker - December 22, 2016 at 08:40 PM

WB

“ *There are not enough I can express to describe the love I felt for this woman. She was a second mother to me. I loved her as if she was my very own. She was always checking up on me, and I'm so thankful to God that I was able to tell her that I loved her and was able to hear it back from her.*

I haven't told this story very often, but back in 2003, I had the gastric bypass surgery. I wanted her with me because I couldn't do it without her. Since she didn't drive, she came out to our house and stayed with us at the house, and then she rode to the hospital with us the next morning. She waited with me in the waiting room, and she was there when I was under the knife. She came with me because I asked her to, simply because she loved me. I'm going to miss my second mom so much. She is a part of my soul.

*My love will always be with Mr. Dennis, Barbara, David, and Michael, because he's my second dad and they're my siblings as much as my blood sister is. *hugs**

Wendy Belton - December 22, 2016 at 08:33 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kay Dennis.*



December 22, 2016 at 04:21 PM

LF

“ James, David and Family,
So sorry to here about Kay, Me and my family remember going to
Grace Temple with ya'll and you coming in the Case house (Mitchell
and Bourland), our thoughts and prayers are with you and the
family.

Mike and Linda (Boyd) Furguson

Linda Furguson - December 22, 2016 at 02:47 PM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Kay Dennis.



December 22, 2016 at 01:22 PM

SM

“ Our Heart is saddened by your loss and her gain. Our Colorado
trips will always be filled with great memories of our adventures. Our
love and prayers are for your comfort.
Sam and Gail Mcllroy.

Sam Mcllroy - December 22, 2016 at 12:13 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for
the family of Kay Dennis.



December 22, 2016 at 11:33 AM

BL

“ *My condolences to the entire Dennis family. The Lord sure blessed your family with a wonderful woman, whom leaves behind a lifetime of treasured memories. Prayers for comfort and peace to you all.*

Becky Lewis - December 22, 2016 at 11:14 AM

DF

“ *Don and Darlene Fuller purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Kay Dennis.*



Don and Darlene Fuller - December 22, 2016 at 11:03 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Kay Dennis.*



December 22, 2016 at 10:33 AM

CW

“ *James & Family: oh, our hearts are hurting for your loss of your precious Kay and our dear friend. How great will be the loss of her sweet manner and kind ways. We have been so blessed from having known Kay for fifty plus years. May God continue His faithful strengthening and guidance in days ahead! Our thoughts and prayers will continue to be with you. Love in Him, Carol & Truman Welch*

carol welch - December 22, 2016 at 10:17 AM



“ *Dearest One Casket Insert was purchased for the family of Kay Dennis.* ”



December 21, 2016 at 10:37 PM