



## Kathy Hines Smith

January 15, 1964 - May 23, 2016

No obituary found for this tribute.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Kathy Hines Smith*



---

**Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home** - May 27, 2016 at 05:26 PM



“ *Kathy Hines Smith*

---

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



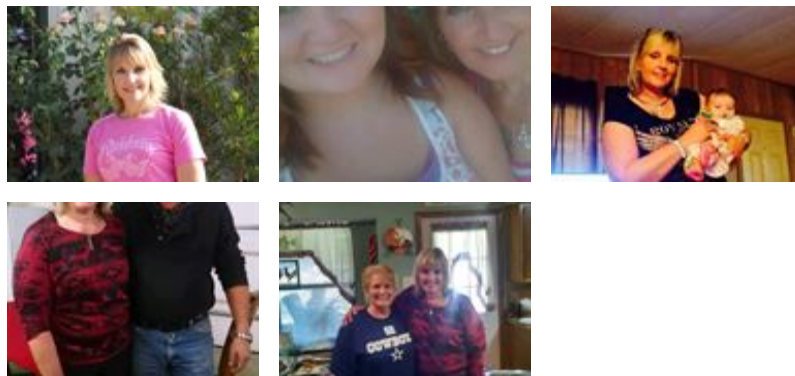
“ *Kathy Hines Smith*

---

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM



“ *66 files added to the album LifeTributes*



---

**Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home** - May 27, 2016 at 05:00 PM

BM

“ *Kathy and I had been friends since we were roommates at the Presbyterian Children's Home in the early 80's. We lost touch after high school and both went through very long and painful life journeys which eventually brought us both to the Lord.*

*Kathy found me on Facebook and we stayed in touch that way over the past 5 years or so, always talking about getting together but never actually making it happen. Daily life just gets in the way and now I wish I'd made the effort. You really never know the last time you'll have the chance.*

*I admired Kathy so much in high school - she was so quick-witted - no one could get the best of her. I have so many fond memories of our shenanigans, I still tell some of the hilarious stories of the stuff we got into back then.*

*Rest in peace old friend,*

*Brenda Morris*

---

**Brenda Morris** - May 26, 2016 at 07:30 PM



“ *Spring Has Sprung Mixed Basket was purchased for the family of Kathy Hines Smith.*



---

May 26, 2016 at 11:16 AM

KS

“ Sweet Kathy was so encouraging when I met her as my house mom at Morgan's Mercy Mansion. I was having such a hard time in the program, and she was so devoted to lifting me up in prayer, and pointing me towards relying on God for all of my needs. I will never forget your beautiful face, and beautiful heart for Jesus...sad for us here, but the truth is you are pain-free and basking in the Lord's glory.

*Kari*

---

**Kari Shanklin** - May 26, 2016 at 09:43 AM

CG

“ I remember a little girl with blonde hair, and sparkling blue eyes, filled with mischief and fun. She grew into a beautiful woman, who loved her family fiercely and devotedly. I'm picturing her now, free of pain, being held close to the Father. Cradled in His arms, covered and filled with love, peace and inexpressible joy. I always loved you, sweet Kathy. I'll see you soon.

---

**Carol Stephens Gladney** - May 26, 2016 at 08:30 AM

AB

“ She was funny, kind, outspoken. She had an infectious laugh, loved her family and knew God.  
*Fly high my friend.  
Save a place for me.*

---

**Amy Askew Bell** - May 25, 2016 at 11:37 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Kathy Hines Smith.*



---

May 25, 2016 at 04:52 PM



“ *I am thinking of Mark and Tara right now and asking God to hold them up and support them through this dark and difficult time. I am also thinking of Kristi and Larry who have lost their precious sister, Kathy. I lost my own, sweet brother over 3 years ago and not a day goes by that I don't miss him or want to pick up the phone and share something funny with him.*

*I can only tell you to focus on the good times, remember the laughs that you shared, all of the good memories and let any unpleasant ones (if there were some) go. Focus on the good and let that comfort you during this time of grief. I will be praying for each and every one of you and asking God to wrap His arms around you as you work your way through this process.*

*Love you and God bless,  
Vicki (Lewis) Berg*

---

**Vicki** - May 25, 2016 at 04:17 PM



“ *The City of Tyler Solid Waste Department wants to send Kathy and Mark's family a great big hug! Just know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. We're here to support you through this!*

---

**S. Black** - May 25, 2016 at 03:06 PM

TL

“ Years ago when Kathy and I were younger and our families got together more often we would hang out and have fun being girls and dreaming of our futures. Kathy had an eventful life that was full of lots of ups and downs, and ins and outs. She always had that spark in her eye that either meant she was up to something or was about to do something to make you laugh out loud. I will always remember her in that light. She went through a lot. She was a caring person who loved the Lord and was not afraid to share Him with anyone. It was truly her gift to be able to talk and tell others about Him and His love for all. She truly loved Him and did her best to be the child He wanted at all times.

We weren't as close these last few years. We all separated by space and time as it happens. We did get together on Thanksgiving day 2014 at my Mom's house. Her, Mark and Tara all came as well as her brother Larry. We all had a great time reminiscing about our childhood and where we are now. It was so great.

I am so sorry that Kathy is too soon gone. She was hurting and struggling with her body pains and this world is just getting worse off everyday. I can only think that she is no longer hurting and is now resting from all her chores.

I love you Kathy. I will always remember you. I will miss you and know that you will be missed by many whose lives you touched. Some lives you may never know you impacted are missing you too.

Death is hard. It is not easy. We all want to prolong it as long as we possibly can. But sometimes what we want is not always what is in the plan.

I am praying for Tara who is left without her Mom; for Mark who is left without his wife and for everyone else who have been left behind who will miss her being a part of their lives. God knows every need and He will provide.

*God bless us each and every one.*

*Love,  
Terri Lewis (cousin)*

---

**Terri Lewis** - May 25, 2016 at 02:08 PM