



Mrs. Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw

May 25, 1935 - August 16, 2018

Nashville - Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw, 83, passed away peacefully at home on Thursday, August 16, surrounded by family and friends. She graduated from Walhalla HS, SC, in 1953 and later took classes at the University of Tennessee Chattanooga where she studied accounting. She was a paralegal for Spears, Moore, Rebman and Williams for 25 years, specializing in wills and estate planning. She was an active member of Rivermont Presbyterian Church for 53 years, where she served as a deacon, taught Sunday School and worked with the youth on Sunday nights. Additionally, with the Rivermont Women of the Church, she served as Treasurer and Circle Leader. She moved to Nashville in 2014 and became an active resident at Park Manor Retirement Community.

Lou loved pizza nights and watching football with her grandsons and trips to see her extended family in South Carolina. When she was physically able, she took great pleasure in making sandwiches for Habitat workers, reading, and going to the movies and dinner with her wonderful group of friends.

Lou is preceded in death by her first husband, Roy C. Fuller, Jr. and her second husband, James R. Burdeshaw (both of Chattanooga); her mother and father, Kathleen and Roy Williams of Walhalla, SC; and her brother Ronnie Williams also of Walhalla. She leaves behind her sister Kathy Williams Alexander and brothers Troy and Byrd Williams, all of Walhalla; her son, Roy

Calhoun Fuller III (Cal) and step-son Charles Burdeshaw, both of Nashville, and her step-daughter Janie Decker of Clearwater, FL; her grandchildren, Garrett and Miles Fuller and Sunny Donnelly of Nashville, Elizabeth Stephens of Aurora, CO, and A.J. Decker of Clearwater, FL; her 6 great grandchildren (Maemie, Eamonn, Catherine and Susannah Donnelly, J.D. and Abbott Stephens) and many caring nephews and nieces.

A celebration of Lou's life will be held at Park Manor (115 Woodmont Boulevard, Nashville) in the Blakemore Room at 2 p.m. on Sunday, September 2. Her memorial service will be held at Rivermont Presbyterian Church (3319 Hixson Pike) on Saturday, October 20 at 2 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to The Rivermont Presbyterian Church Samaritan Fund in Chattanooga, The American Cancer Society, The American Heart Association, Thistle Farms in Nashville or to a charity of your choice.

Please share your thoughts and memories at www.chattanoogaorthchapel.com.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

SEP 2. 2:00 PM (CT)

Park Manor
115 Woodmont Boulevard
Nashville, TN 37205

Memorial Service

OCT 20. 2:00 PM (ET)

Rivermont Presbyterian Church
3319 Hixson Pike
Chattanooga, TN 37415

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *To Lou's Walhalla family and relatives: So sorry to learn of Lou's passing.. I know she will be missed tremendously. Love and sympathy from cousin Dottie.*



Dottie Williams - August 31, 2018 at 07:48 PM



“ *Louise & Clarence Towe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw*



Louise & Clarence Towe - August 30, 2018 at 10:27 PM



“ *Joan Addis Shroyer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw*



Joan Addis Shroyer - August 27, 2018 at 03:06 PM

GN

“ GREG AND CATHIE NOWELL lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw



GREG AND CATHIE NOWELL - August 25, 2018 at 04:50 PM

WS

“ Walt & Judy Stephens lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw



Walt & Judy Stephens - August 25, 2018 at 09:19 AM

BM

“ Becky Sanders Manley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw



Becky Sanders Manley - August 25, 2018 at 07:52 AM

LB

“ Larry And Pam Ball lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw



Larry and Pam Ball - August 24, 2018 at 10:21 PM

JS

“ *Joan Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw*



Joan Smith - August 24, 2018 at 04:40 PM

BL

“ *Bobbie Ledford lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Jonnie Lou Williams Burdeshaw*



Bobbie Ledford - August 24, 2018 at 12:11 PM