



Rhonda Kay Cummings

May 26, 1946 - January 28, 2024

Rhonda Kay Cummings, 77, of Cherry Valley, died on Sunday, January 28, 2024, in Jonesboro.

Rhonda was born in Forrest City, Arkansas, on May 26, 1946, to the late Joe and Rosa Bounds Combs. She was a high school graduate and also held a business administration degree. Rhonda had a big, wonderful personality and never met a stranger. She loved her family, especially her grandchildren. She loved to read and go antiquing and to the flea markets.

She is survived by her sons, Anthony "Eric" Padua and wife Allison of Las Vegas, Aaron "Scott" Paduaevans of Cherry Valley, Joseph "Alex" Cummings of Jonesboro, daughter, Rayna Booker of Harrisburg, seven grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, three great-great grandchildren, and niece, Melody Arnold. She was married to Tony Cummings, and he preceded her in death. She is also preceded in death by her brothers, Douglas and Harold Combs, and sisters, Peggy Matarazzo, and Mary Jean McClain.

Visitation will be held Wednesday evening at Kernodle Funeral Home from 5 to 7 PM. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, at Kernodle Funeral Home, at 2 PM. Burial will be held in White Hall Cemetery at White Hall in Woodruff County.

Cemetery Details

Whitehall Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 31. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kernodle Funeral Home
315-325 E. Union Avenue
Wynne, AR 72396
(870) 238-2323
kernodlefuneralhome@gmail.com
<https://www.kernodlefh.com/>

Funeral service

FEB 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Interment

FEB 1 (CT)

Whitehall Cemetery

Tribute Wall

AP

“ My mom was a guiding line my north star she always kept me grounded and always gave me the best advice even when I didn't wanna hear it. She always had my best interest heart.. one of my favorite memories was after I got out of the Navy. I came home when I was living with her and my first day of work at my civilian job is the fire department she got up made my coffee and told me don't be nervous. Have a great day and I would do just fine. She was in her 60s at this point which just wanted to get up and see her son off I will always remember that love.

arron paduaevans - October 03, 2025 at 10:03 PM

JD

“ I am so sorry to hear about the passing of Rhonda. We lived in the same subdivision in South Elgin and went to school together. We were in the hospital having our first baby together. I have been trying to get in touch with her for so long but she never responded. Rest in peace Rhonda 💕💕

judy Latina Duckett - June 06, 2024 at 08:12 PM

AC

“ My mother was the light of my world. She cared for me, taught me values, and always supported me even when I wasn't making the best decisions for my future. I want to make her prouder than ever. I love you mom, rest easy! I'm so glad you're healed and no longer suffering 💕💕

Alex Cummings - February 18, 2024 at 04:49 PM

DH

“ Rhonda and I were best "Buds" for many years. I have a pocketful of memories from when we were much younger. She could always make me smile. She will be missed. Love you lots Rhonda, Dave Harmon

Dave Harmon - January 31, 2024 at 11:48 AM

ME

“ Rhonda is my dad's baby sister. She was 10 when I was born. Even though I have a sister 1 year older than I am she said she always favored me. She started baby sitting me when I was 3 and her most memorable memory was when I rode my tricycle down a hill and ran smack dab into a tree and she thought I was dead. I started babysitting her children when she came back Illinois. I was 14 and that was the beginning of our 54 year journey of friendship. Other than my father she was the only one that always "had my back". We never had one fight. She took my secrets with her and I have hers with me. She would give me the shirt off her back as I would do the same for her. I will keep with me her wisdom always telling me "It will work out it always does" and "don't forget where you came from you never know when you are back there". Even though we can't see or talk to each other she will always be with me. From ME to ME She love's me like a rock!
Love you Rhonda
Melody

Melody - January 30, 2024 at 08:06 PM

KL

“ Keith and Debbie Luker purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Rhonda Kay Cummings.



Keith and Debbie Luker - January 30, 2024 at 05:41 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rhonda Kay Cummings.*



January 30, 2024 at 03:28 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Rhonda Kay Cummings.*



January 30, 2024 at 12:23 PM



“ *Mrs. Rhonda was a sweet lady, we always had to hug and talk when we saw each other. She loved her children and grandchildren. I will miss her.*

Linda Stegall - January 30, 2024 at 12:21 PM



“ *Linda Stegall lit a candle in memory of Rhonda Cumming*



Linda Stegall - January 30, 2024 at 12:18 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Rhonda Kay Cummings.*



January 30, 2024 at 09:30 AM