



Fonda Lou Kinney

March 18, 1944 - August 30, 2017

Fonda Lou Kinney, 73, of Little Rock, died Wednesday, August 30, 2017 at the Methodist University Hospital in Memphis. She was born March 18, 1944 in Bradford to the late Neil Pate and Ludeen (Siler) Baker. Fonda was a member of the Pleasant Valley Church of Christ in Little Rock.

She is survived by her son, Clarke Kenneth Kinney and wife Michelle of Memphis, TN; a daughter, Allison Ann Jennings and husband Jay of Little Rock; sister, Joyce Ann Hoofman of Bradford; and three grandchildren, Megan and Ashley Jennings of Little Rock and Christian Kinney of Cordova. She is preceded in death by her parents, her eldest sister, Gloria Kay Grady and husband, Clarke Kinney.

Visitation will be Saturday, September 2, 2017 from 1:00 to 2:30 p.m. at the Powell Funeral Home in Bald Knob. Graveside services will follow in the Heard Cemetery at 3:00 p.m. in Bradford. Arrangements entrusted to Powell Funeral Home Bald Knob-Judsonia. www.powellfuneralhome.net

Cemetery Details

Heard Cemetery

Velvet Ridge Road
Bradford, AR 72020

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 2. 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Bald Knob)
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Graveside Service

SEP 2. 3:00 PM (CT)

Heard Cemetery
Velvet Ridge Road
Bradford, AR 72020

Tribute Wall



“ *Sympathy Fruits Abound* was purchased for the family of Fonda Lou Kinney.



September 06, 2017 at 09:31 AM



“ *Fonda will be missed at the Burchfield Estates. She enjoyed visiting people. She was a pretty woman even at 73. We will miss her.*
Dorthey and Donald Dutton

Dorthey Dutton - September 02, 2017 at 10:30 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray* was purchased for the family of Fonda Lou Kinney.



September 01, 2017 at 01:02 PM



“ *A Full Life* was purchased for the family of Fonda Lou Kinney.



September 01, 2017 at 11:40 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Fonda Lou Kinney.*



September 01, 2017 at 10:52 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Fonda Lou Kinney.*



September 01, 2017 at 10:35 AM

AT

“ I met Fonda 40 years ago when we both moved our families to Cabot to raise our children. We were neighbors for 11 years. When our children all graduated from high school, we all moved back to Little Rock, where we had come from since Eugene, Clarke and I still worked in Little Rock. Fonda and I have continued our friendship all these years sharing joys of weddings, and the births of grandchildren, and sadness when Clarke died. Our favorite things to do were mainly to have lunch and go shopping and talk on the phone once or twice a week. If you knew Fonda, you know she is all about the sweets. So, our favorite places to go were Trios for the Strawberry Shortcake, Izzy's for the Lemon Icebox pie, and Charlotte Eats and Sweets in Keo for the Coconut Cream Pie. Then we always shopped at the clothing store in front of Charlotte's.- Lisa's Closet. Many times it would be normal when I was in town to call her in the middle of the afternoon (interrupting her nap of course) to meet me at Izzy's for our lemon pie. She usually had to get up from her nap and get dressed, but the lemon pie was worth it. LOL She also would have me bring her a chocolate pie from Weldon's in Hot Springs when I was coming to Little Rock. So, Fonda had many things she liked to do, but mainly it was shopping and eating - especially loving the sweets and Trio's Chicken Salad! I will never take a bite of any of our favorite desserts without thinking of her. Fonda was a beautiful woman inside and out and loved by everyone she met. Her family always came first and she loved them all with all the love she had. You couldn't ask for a better friend. My heart is broken and I can't imagine not sharing our good times together. Fonda, you will never be gone because we all will carry you in our hearts forever. Thanks for a lifetime of memories.

Ann Tucker

Ann Tucker - September 01, 2017 at 02:23 AM

BB

We are broken hearted and will miss Fonda more than can be imagined. She was a beautiful person inside and out and loved the relationships she made with clients at our sales. We are praying for all the family and are sending love, hugs and prayers to all.

Bob Burchfield and Burchfield Estate Sales

Bob Burchfield - September 03, 2017 at 10:46 PM

KB

A lovely lady who made us all laugh and kept our spirits high. You will be missed, Fonda. Until we meet again. Prayers and sympathy to the family. Kathy Burchfield

Kathy Burchfield - September 05, 2017 at 11:35 AM

ET

“ *Eugene, Ann, Mark and Neil Tucker purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Fonda Lou Kinney.*



Eugene, Ann, Mark and Neil Tucker - September 01, 2017 at 01:43 AM

JH

“ *I was not really interested in a x b x c as in algebra 1 so I did not so good first six weeks. Mr. G D Smith had taught my dad and he contacted him and suggested dad TALK with me. Dad assured him I would do better and Mr. Smith advised dad I would get special tutoring in study hall from three great minds. I was escorted to library and was the GUEST at a table with Miss. Fonda, Miss Jackie Smith and Miss Jeanie Burress. Three great young ladies and I did get it together. Most everybody thought I just played dumb to get that attention, not true. They were already gone when I got to Algebra II but I do owe them a lot and have not forgotten it. Johnny Hodges*

Johnny Hodges - August 31, 2017 at 10:35 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Fonda Lou Kinney.



August 31, 2017 at 09:16 PM



“ I can remember when we where young. Fonda would sit in the beauty shop chair at Ludean's and us kids would brush her hair over and over. She really loved that.
Fonda We Love You!!!
Dan and Lisa (Siler) Hoofman

Lisa Hoofman - August 31, 2017 at 08:37 PM



“ I worked with Fonda at State Purchasing back in the late 60's & early 70's. She was a beautiful lady, inside and out. I have always had a very high regard for Fonda as she was pure "good" through and through. I remember when she married Clarke and her "exciting" honeymoon which turned out to be quite an experience as they were hi-jacked to Cuba. So many wonderful memories of this very sweet lady. I had not seen her in many years but each time I visited Arkansas I would try to make it a point to give her a call. My last conversation with her was about 4 years ago. I am saddened her family has lost such a lovely lady. Rest in peace sweet, sweet Fonda! I shall always remember you. Sincere condolences to her family and close friends.

Barb Johnston

Barb Johnston - August 31, 2017 at 08:32 PM

EM

“ Fonda and I grew up together in Bradford shared lots of fun times, playing basketball riding around town on Sunday afternoons (with 50cents or a dollars worth of gas) going to church together were baptized the same day. Lots and lots of good memories.. Rest In Peace friend.. Ehrline Walker Meddleton

Ehrline Walker Meddleton - August 31, 2017 at 06:41 PM

BC

“ BrookDale Cordova sends our condolences to the family. Mrs. Fonda was not with us long but she made a big impact. We all agree she was beautiful in every way.

Brookdale Cordova - August 31, 2017 at 05:02 PM

SG

“ Sergio Alvarez, Ai Media Group purchased the Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet for the family of Fonda Lou Kinney.



Sergio Alvarez, Ai Media Group - August 31, 2017 at 03:59 PM

TF

“ The Dolecki Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Fonda Lou Kinney.



The Dolecki Family - August 31, 2017 at 03:41 PM