



Willodean (Dean) Oliver Craddock

November 13, 1938 - January 12, 2024

We ask that you remember the family of Willodean (Dean) Oliver Craddock Russellville, AL who passed away on Friday, January 12, 2024. She was born in Hodges, AL Nov 13, 1938 to Lonnie K. Oliver and Belva Steele Oliver.

She graduated from Russellville High School in 1956. She is survived by her husband of 66 years, Kenneth Craddock; her daughters, Pam Rabke (Steve) of San Antonio, TX, Pat Hardin (Johnny) of Russellville, AL, Paula Belew (Joel) of Athens, AL; Grandchildren, JT Hardin, Sarah Rabke, Matthew Belew (Erin Walker), and Gus Rabke; Sister-in laws, Jan Bush and Sara Landsell; Nieces/Nephews, Kay Reed Cauthen, Jenny Casteel, Johna Sherrod, and ? Torey Trousdale. Her first great-grandchild (a girl) will be born in 2024 and she was so excited to meet her. Preceded in death by her parents, Lonnie K. and Belva Oliver, sister and brother-in law Dot and Hugh Reed , and brother-in law Johnny Bush. Special thanks to Kathy Oliver Grissom, Cindy McLean, Faye Baker, Burns Nursing and Rehab(especially Mary and Tawanna). There will be a private family service on Thursday January 18, 2024 weather permitting. Bro. Chase Dowdy will perform the service and internment will be Franklin Memory Gardens.

Tribute Wall

TL

“ Pat and family,
My sincere condolences to each of you during this time of loss. May it help to know you are in our thoughts and prayers.
May God bless each of you and give you peace and memories of precious times passed.
Terri Wells Long

Terri Wells Long - January 18, 2024 at 12:00 AM

PG

“ So sorry to hear about the passing of Dean. She was a dear friend and classmate and will be missed greatly. I remember attending she and Ken? wedding many years ago. ♦My prayers are with Ken and the girls.

Peggy Gunnin - January 18, 2024 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ Dear Pat and family,
I am so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. I had a great deal of wonderful conversations and laughs with Dean on Friday's while at you're house if she popped in. Dean always made me feel comfortable and there were times she gave me some valuable advise on family and kids.
Prayers will be said to comfort you all during this time and days ahead. How blessed you all were to have such a wonderful role model in your life.
Love, Debra Britton Winsted



Debra Britton Winsted - January 16, 2024 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ Pat, I am so sorry to hear this. We just buried Susan , my sister Wednesday. You are in my thoughts and prayers.💎

Jan and Lee Page - January 15, 2024 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Paula, please accept our heartfelt sympathies for the loss of your mother, you and your family are in our hearts and prayers.??

Jamie & Monica Hall - January 14, 2024 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ Paula & Family,
My prayers are with you at this sad time. Your Mom was a wonderful person

Betty Sparks - January 14, 2024 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Thinking of your family. So sorry for your loss.

Donna coan king - January 14, 2024 at 12:00 AM

DM

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JH

“ This hurts my heart. She was a dear friend from high school. Ken was my classmate. Prayers and love to three daughters and to husband, Ken. Remembering fun times together

Joanna Hargett - January 13, 2024 at 12:00 AM