



Diana Gail Roberts Collins

March 20, 1954 - February 23, 2024

Diana Gail Roberts Collins, age 69, was born March 20, 1954 and passed away Friday, February 23, 2024 at her home. Diana was a graduate of Lexington High School, Union University of Tennessee at Martin, Early Childhood Masters degree from University, and Instruction 30 plus curriculum from Tennessee State University. She spent 36 years in education as a teacher, principal, and director of schools. She was a member of Delta Kappa Gamma, Omicron Chapter, Wildersville-Beaver Ruritan Club, and a member of First Baptist Church. She is survived by her husband of 39 years; Leon Collins, a son; Jeremy (Ayano) McDaniel of Memphis, 2 step-daughters; Angela (Roger) Taylor of Antioch and Tanya (Gary) Mathis of Erin, a brother; Tony (Debra) Roberts of Yuma, 3 step-grandchildren; Cody Mathis, Mcaela Mathis, and Grayson Boley, and 4 step-great-grandchildren; Braxton, McKinna, Skylar, and Harper. She was preceded in death by her parents; Bobby Ray and Peggy Tate Roberts and a step-great-grandchild; McKinley. Funeral services will be Tuesday, February 27 at 1PM at the First Baptist Church with burial to follow in the Parkers Crossroads Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday 2PM-8PM and Tuesday 10AM until service. All visitation will be at the First Baptist Church. The family requests in lieu of flowers memorials be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital P.O. Box 50 Memphis, Tn. 38101-9929 or Wildersville-Beaver Ruritan Club c/o Martha Stanfill 4400 Timberlake Wildersville Rd. Lexington, Tn. 38351.

Tribute Wall

BC

“ *Brenda Casey sent a virtual gift in memory of Diana Gail Roberts Collins*



Brenda Casey - February 27, 2024 at 11:02 AM

CV

“ *I was in the class that had her as a third grade teacher the first year she came to Clarksburg after Mrs. Kee retired. And I remember thinking we were so lucky to get to be Mrs. Collins' students first. She taught us our planets, cursive and our times tables and she made it all fun and interesting. But something I remember most about Mrs. Collins: it was my turn to be the leader and that person got to stand and walk beside her and lead the line of 3rd graders wherever we were to go. I look down and my foot seems to be as big as hers so I put my foot beside hers (thinking she isn't noticing) to kind of compare the size of my foot to an adult's. She looked down and noticed what I was doing and all she said was, "Bless your heart"! A kind thing to say to a 3rd grader with a massive foot size! Lol- I hope this brought a smile to your face as I always think of her and this day fondly. Heartfelt condolences to the family.*

Casie Vestal - February 27, 2024 at 06:51 AM

JE

Thanks Casie for the message. Made me laugh

Jeremy - February 28, 2024 at 05:25 AM

CP

“ CES Power purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Diana Gail Roberts Collins.



CES Power - February 26, 2024 at 03:58 PM

WK

“ With all our love, Susan and Gary Kennon planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Diana Gail Roberts Collins.

With all our love, Susan and Gary Kennon - February 26, 2024 at 11:07 AM



“ Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Diana Gail Roberts Collins.



February 26, 2024 at 11:07 AM

BW

“ Barbara Willis lit a candle in memory of Diana Gail Roberts Collins



Barbara Willis - February 25, 2024 at 11:45 PM

BW

So sorry for your loss ,Prayers foe her family.

Barbara Willis - February 25, 2024 at 11:46 PM

ES

So sorry for your loss. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Elizabeth Sanford - February 26, 2024 at 01:17 PM

SM

“ *Shirley McGill lit a candle in memory of Diana Gail Roberts Collins*



Shirley McGill - February 25, 2024 at 10:07 AM

NC

“ *Nancy Carnal lit a candle in memory of Diana Gail Roberts Collins*



Nancy Carnal - February 25, 2024 at 09:45 AM

NP

“ *Nina Prince lit a candle in memory of Diana Gail Roberts Collins*



Nina Prince - February 25, 2024 at 05:09 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Diana Gail Roberts Collins.*



February 24, 2024 at 09:08 PM



“ *Oh how I loved her. Mom and Peggy were best friends for so many years! Love and comfort to the family. Diana fought the fight bravely every day! She now has her reward!*



Sandra Hubbs - February 24, 2024 at 07:30 PM



“ *Noel & Vivian Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Diana Gail Roberts Collins*



Noel & Vivian Blankenship - February 24, 2024 at 06:42 PM



“ *Diana was a beautiful person that touched a lot of lives. Prayers for Leon, Jeremy and all of her family and friends.*



Terry and Dawn Lewis - February 24, 2024 at 06:06 PM

CH

“ Candy Hayes lit a candle in memory of Diana Gail Roberts Collins



Candy Hayes - February 24, 2024 at 04:30 PM

RW

“ Robin Woods lit a candle in memory of Diana Gail Roberts Collins



robin woods - February 24, 2024 at 03:34 PM

RH

“ Robert & Carol Horn lit a candle in memory of Diana Gail Roberts Collins



Robert & Carol Horn - February 24, 2024 at 03:14 PM

SW

Rest in peace precious lady. Your faith has been such an inspiration to so many. God bless Leon and all the family. 🙏❤️

sherry Walker - February 24, 2024 at 03:43 PM

RS

“ *Rhonda Sanders sent a virtual gift in memory of
Diana Gail Roberts Collins*



Rhonda Sanders - February 24, 2024 at 02:54 PM