



Susan R. McElwee

June 15, 1952 - January 26, 2021

Frankfort – Susan Dianne Rusk McElwee, age 68, passed away on Tuesday, January 26, 2021. A Celebration of Life will be held on Monday, February 1, 2021, at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. David Smith officiating. Visitation will be held from 1:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. service time on Monday.

Susan was born in Jackson, Mississippi, on June 15, 1952, to Henry Floyd Rusk and the late Bettie Jean Oldham Rusk. She is survived by her loving husband of 29 years, Kenneth James McElwee; daughters, Kellie Dianne Lee and Kristen Dawn Lee; step-daughters, Jamie Lyn McElwee and Cassie Marie Ridgel; siblings, Candace Faye Jones and Daniel Thomas Rusk; and by 9 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her mother, she was preceded in death by her brother, Michael Henry Rusk.

She will be lovingly remembered as a wonderful wife, mother, daughter, and grandmother.

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home & Crematory.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 1. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home
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Frankfort, KY 40601
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Celebration of Life Services

FEB 1. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Susan R. McElwee*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *There are so many!! Susan was the most amazing woman to be around. She picked me up one early morning and we went to New Orleans; left Cleve and kids sleeping, Susan called him and said I was going to be a little late coming home because somehow we were in New Orleans! We ended up staying about 4 days and we had a large time. She was so much fun and I loved her laugh. Susan got lost in the parking garage and we circled so many times a police officer stopped us and escorted us out. I love you my precious friend. Praying for comfort over the family. I love y'all*

Cynthia Mathis - January 30, 2021 at 12:03 AM



“ *Susan and I played softball in our earlier days. She played center field. As we were practicing, the ball was hit to Susan. She pick it up and in trying to throw it in, she somehow hit herself in the back of the head with the ball. We all began laughing with her. We would tease her later with, "only you could do that Susan". I miss those fun times many years ago. RIP my friend. Loves always.*

Estella Almond - January 29, 2021 at 05:54 PM



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Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - January 29, 2021 at 04:40 PM



“ I'm so very sorry to here this news. My name is Renee, I worked with Susan many many moons ago at woman's hospital. One of many memories is: for whatever the reason, Susan and I were working a double shift and for most of this we were alone. It was major "Chaos". Susan was no sluffer, neither one of us could have been that day. But we pulled it off, and very few patients had to wait for an extended time and no one left our department upset. But when our relief came in, we both were DONE. we left the hospital and walked straight across the street to the circle K. Sat on the curb, drank a beer and laughed. It was a really good laugh, shared with a friend. A day and a friend I will never forget. I lot too late, but I'm sorry I hadn't stayed in touch over the years. She was the light of our work day.

renee kilman ryals - January 28, 2021 at 08:03 PM



Thank you for saying these sweet things about Susan.

Kenny McElwee - January 28, 2021 at 09:29 PM

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“ *Kenny and Girls, I can't tell you how sorry I am about Susan's passing. This world will be quite different without her sunshine and her conversations. I pray you find comfort knowing she is an Angel among us. Remember her wit and smile. Let every tear shed land in the garden of memories and she will be with you always.*
Keeping you in my prayers,
Colleen Meszaros

Colleen Meszaros - January 28, 2021 at 01:52 PM

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Thank you Colleen

Kenny McElwee - January 28, 2021 at 09:30 PM