



Wanda Faye Johnson

July 26, 1955 - April 23, 2009

Faye Johnson

Frankfort " Wanda Faye Johnson, 53, died Thursday evening, April 23, 2009 at Markey Cancer Center from complications of multiple myeloma.

Faye was born July 26, 1955, in Frankfort, Kentucky. She was the daughter of Shirley Parker Johnson of Frankfort and William Henry Johnson of Englewood, Florida.

Faye graduated from Franklin County High School and attended Morehead State University and the University of Kentucky. She retired in 2002 after 27 years from the Kentucky Department of Education as a Federal Programs Consultant. Faye was a Big Sister in Big Brothers/Big Sisters for six years. She was a member of the Kentucky Historical Society, the Kentucky Genealogical Society, Historic Frankfort and the National Trust for Historic Preservation and served as Clan Chair for the Kentucky Scottish Weekend at Carrollton for three years. She was a member of Forks of Elkhorn Baptist Church.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by two sisters, Connie Miller and Vicky (Gerald) Slucher; two half sisters, Robin Johnson, Tammy Johnson; her niece Melody Games and her daughters, Brooke and Hayley Bemis; her nephew, Jeremy Slucher and his daughter, Rylee, all of Frankfort; her nephew Joseph (Ada) Slucher, Covington; her stepson, Phillip (Krystal) Albers and his five children, Frankfort. She was preceded in death by her stepson, Eddie

Albers.

Visitation will be 4 to 8 p.m. Sunday, April 26, 2009 at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home. Services will be 10:30 a.m. Monday, April 27, 2009 at the funeral home. Rev. Todd Lester will officiate. Burial will follow in Sunset Memorial Gardens, Woodford County.

Pallbearers will be Charles R. Lister, Jeremy Slucher, Joseph Slucher, Todd Sutherland, Phillip Albers and Ike Craycraft.

Flowers are welcome, or in honor of Faye's love for history and genealogy, donations may be made to the Capital City Museum, 325 Ann Street, Frankfort, KY 40601.

Arrangements were under the careful direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home LLC and condolences may be shared via the online guest book at www.harrodbrothersfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Wanda Faye Johnson*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I remember Faye as a wonderful person.
I am thinking of each of you. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Kathy Proctor - April 29, 2009 at 09:01 AM

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“ *To Faye's Family:*

I met your mother in June of 1995 at the John Morgan Hockensmith family reunion in Frankfort. I learned there she was related to me since my great grandfather (John Morgan) was 1/2 brother to Alex Hockensmith. I immediately connected with Faye. We both shared a love of genealogy as well as a love for history. If not for your mothers tireless efforts I would not know my heritage back to Conrad Hockersmith. I am so thankful to her. We stayed in touch over the years and she helped me with countless questions. My grandmother's sister was married to Raymond Courtney and we also shared that in common; your mother was the one who notified me of Uncle Raymond's passing & I last saw your mother at his funeral in July 2007. She was a wonderful lady & I will miss her alot. Her genealogy efforts reached far and wide and she touched many lives with her researching efforts. I know many people who knew her only through e-mail or phone conversations & they will miss her greatly. Please know my thoughts, sympathies & prayers are with you in this hour of need. We know that she is in heaven having fun with Uncle Raymond & meeting my mother and the rest of the Hockensmith's that were her family for the first time; she is no longer in pain and is now happy. I know someday I will see her again along with the rest of our vast family. My prayers are with you.

Chris Profitt - April 26, 2009 at 12:08 PM

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“ There are so many memories of when we were all together. I think the one that stands out most to me was riding you piggy back when you were about 3 and I was 10. I remember how you laughed and loved that. I called you, "Faye Bug" and that is how I always thought of you. You grew up into a person that valued friends and family. You also were very interested in your community. You helped my children in their times of need, and I am grateful. You were talented, I still have a teapot and sugar bowl you made in ceramics, and a bowl and pitcher you made Mama. I will cherish those. I also have 2 plaques you made and painted on wood. Yes, you had your opinions and you made them known..lol. You loved the Lord and you were dedicated that in itself is a great victory. You will be missed by all that loved you, but I do plan on seeing you again, and that will be one joyous occasion when we all are united on the other side. I celebrate Your life, you lived it well. You have moved on, but you will never be forgotten.

Brenda Sutherland (Aunt) - April 26, 2009 at 11:28 AM

SG

“ Please know that this loss to your family is also felt by Faye's friends. She was a reliable and generous source of information for the many years we worked together in the Department of Education.

Susan Goins - April 26, 2009 at 08:10 AM

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“ I never met Faye in person but have corresponded with her for years. We were both interested in Hockensmith family research. As we exchanged research finds and personal information, first via the U.S. mail and later by email, my admiration for Faye grew and grew. She was a caring person with a true internal beauty. She handled her illness with an grace and strong belief. I feel blessed to have known her. My prayers go out to her family and friends who will miss her even more than I.

Peg Kwadrat, Reston, VA - April 26, 2009 at 06:04 AM

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“ Our hearts and lives are forever changed because we had the privilege of knowing and being loved by Faye. She was a wonderful Christian example for her family and friends. Our entire family is truly blessed for having had the chance to love her. Please know that our prayers and our love will be with your family always. We love you! ~The Albers Family

Phillip, Krystal, Dale, Kaleb, Savannah, Madalyn and Baylee Albers - April 25, 2009 at 02:47 AM