



## Carroll Harwood Clason

February 18, 1949 - December 25, 2022

Mrs. Carroll Harwood Clason (Darden), age 73, of Newnan, formerly of Elkins, WV; Riverside, CA; and Fredericksburg, VA; passed away on Christmas Day, 2022. Carroll was born on February 18, 1949, in Elkins to the late George and Norma Darden. She was preceded in death by her brother Jim.

Carroll was affectionally known to her grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and others as Nanny. She was a graduate of Elkins High School, class of 1967. After high school, she moved to Savannah, GA. Through a mutual friend, she met her future husband, Wayne Clason, in 1970. Wayne was in the U.S. Army and had recently returned from service in Vietnam. Their first date was at a drive-in movie, and they were married in May 1970.

Carroll was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She worked as an insurance claims adjustor for many years at Geico in Fredericksburg, VA. A consummate cook, she was known for her Christmas cookies and scalloped potatoes, recipes she was rumored to have passed down from her own mother. She never met a stranger and would carry on a conversation with anyone. Carroll loved football, and many weekends in the fall one could find her rooting for the West Virginia Mountaineers or one of her various "favorite" NFL teams (of which she had several). Her last evening alive was spent loving on her two great-grandchildren.

Carroll is survived by her husband Wayne; daughters Joyce Smith and Angie

Sowers; brothers Thomas Darden and Robert Darden; grandchildren, David, Justin, Brandie, Zackary, Chelsea, and Jimmy; and great-grandchildren Brooks and Maelynn.

The family is having a memorial service and celebration of life for Carroll on Friday, December 30, 2022, at 6:00 PM, at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson Street, Newnan, GA 30263, with visitation from 5:00 - 6:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, the family encourages you to donate to the local charity of your choice in Carroll's honor.

Condolences can be expressed online at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com)

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263  
care@mckoon.com  
<http://www.mckoon.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **30**. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

## Memorial Service

DEC **30**. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Carroll Harwood Clason*



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**McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory** - December 30, 2022 at 08:39 AM



“ *Wayne, Bob, and family ( I am a family friend from back in Elkins) I am so very sorry for your loss. Carroll was a friend, part & parcel of the Darden Clan that I spent so much time with. I am thankful for the memories and will always be so. May God comfort you and give you the Peace that passes understanding. // Morris Kittle*

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**Morris Guye Kittle** - February 25, 2023 at 04:47 PM

PH

“ *Carroll has been my neighbor for nine years. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother. She and I had a friendship that was very special to me. She was always there for me if I needed her to watch my house, get my mail, water plants, etc., when I was out of town. When I returned home from my Christmas trip, I was devastated to learn of her passing. I will miss her dearly. RIP Carol.*

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**Patricia Hamit** - January 02, 2023 at 02:38 PM

SC

“ *Sandra S. Crutchfield lit a candle in memory of Carroll Harwood Clason*



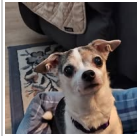
Sandra S. Crutchfield - December 29, 2022 at 04:16 PM

JV

“ *So sorry to hear of Carroll's passing*



Jim Vance - December 28, 2022 at 08:44 PM



“ *Worked with Carroll at GEICO during the day and played bingo on the weekends with her. Rest in Peace Carroll. Laura Rutledge*

Laura Rutledge - December 28, 2022 at 07:25 PM

HC

“ *Herman & Ellen (Fenstermacher) Carter lit a candle in memory of Carroll Harwood Clason*



Herman & Ellen (Fenstermacher) Carter - December 28, 2022 at 03:54 PM

SS

“ *Sheila Waldron Simmons lit a candle in memory of Carroll Harwood Clason*



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**Sheila Waldron Simmons** - December 28, 2022 at 03:29 PM

VT

“ *Carroll was a good friend in High School. We attended the same church and enjoyed MYF. Both of us married a military fellow and shared our experiences. I divorced and remarried but we have kept in touch . We missed her at our 55th reunion but understand her loving care of her hubby Wayne. She will be missed. She always had a smile and her deep Faith shown through. RIP Carroll until we meet again* ❤️❤️🙏🙏

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**Vickey Thompson** - December 28, 2022 at 12:50 PM

DR

*What a wonderful friendship Carroll & shared throughout our school days, along with her brothers as we attended The First United Methodist Church and enjoyed many activities in Bible School & MYF ! I have many special memories of the Darden Family 💕💕  
Loving thoughts and Prayers to Wayne, daughters and grandchildren; you were truly Blessed to have had such a loving wife, mother and grandmother in your lives ! May GOD Comfort Each Of You, As Only HE Can Do 🕊️*

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**Debbie Stalnaker Riddlebarger** - December 28, 2022 at 10:34 PM

MC

“ *Michelle Conely lit a candle in memory of Carroll Harwood Clason*



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**Michelle Conely** - December 28, 2022 at 07:20 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Carroll Harwood Clason.*



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December 28, 2022 at 12:04 AM

VC

“ *She was the best friend ever. Friends all thru Jr and senior high she was always there for me. Loved her so much. My blessings and prayers go out to her family. Love, Vickie Coontz Crandall*

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**Vickie crandall** - December 27, 2022 at 08:02 PM

PL

“ *Patty Linger lit a candle in memory of Carroll Harwood Clason*



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**Patty Linger** - December 27, 2022 at 07:33 PM