



Loretta Fern Rivenbark

April 22, 1944 - June 18, 2011

Loretta Cross Rivenbark, 67, of Newnan, passed away Saturday, June 18, 2011. She was born in Maine to the late Leon & Theda Bean Cross. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her son, Joel S. Garland.

She is survived by her husband J. Claude "JR" Rivenbark; children, Jay D. Garland of Griffin, Angela M. Jordan of Newnan, Amy M. LeVasseur of Atlanta; seven grandchildren; brother, Richard L. Cross of Boston, MA, and sister, Ladonna M. Cross of Bangor, ME.

The family respectfully requests that flowers not be sent and memorial contributions be made to Macedonia Baptist Church Building Fund, 1504 Macedonia Road, Newnan, GA 30263, Gideon's International, Coweta Camp West, P.O. Box 626, Newnan, GA 30263 or Southwest Christian Hospice & Hope House, Lester Center, 7225 Lester Road, Union City, GA 30291.

Condolences can be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

The visitation is Monday evening from 6-8 PM at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson St., Newnan. The funeral service is Tuesday, June 21, 2011 at 2:00 pm in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home with Dr. John Riley officiating. Interment immediately following the funeral service at Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery

1504 Macedonia Road
Newnan, GA 30263

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 20. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com

Service

JUN 21. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

ML

“ *What a inspiration loretta was to us @ SWCC so glad to have the privilege to have met her but to know she is in a place as luke 23-43 say "Verily I say unto thee today shalt thou be with me in pradis". I know she's rejoicing with the father i pray God continue to strength you all.*

Monica Lester - June 21, 2011 at 11:17 AM

DB

“ *What a blessing it was to get to know Loretta during her days at SWCC..She was such a sweet testimony and reflection of the joy of our Wonderful Lord. My prayers continue with the family for peace and His comfort in these days of adjustment. How precious are the thoughts of a GREAT REUNION soon to come at the place Christ has prepared for all who know Him..God bless each of you. Dot Brannon*

Dot Brannon - June 21, 2011 at 08:32 AM

PW

“ *I am sorry for your loss. May the God of all comfort be with you. God promises at John 5:28,29 all those in the memorial tombs will come out to a resurrection, into a peaceful earth with no more pain or sorrow.(Revelation 21:4) I pray this will bring you some comfort and hope.*

Pauline and William - June 21, 2011 at 06:28 AM

MC

“ *Jay, you and your family are in our prayers. We love you*

Martha Connor - June 20, 2011 at 09:28 PM

CA

“ *Loretta was a great friend and I will miss her.*

Carla - June 20, 2011 at 03:54 PM

BT

“ *So sorry to hear of Loretta's passing. We went to elementary school together in Bradford, Maine. Thinking and praying for you all .*

Brenda Stockwell Trask - June 20, 2011 at 03:11 PM

MW

“ *We just want you to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Mrs. Loretta was such a sweet and special lady. I will miss seeing her at church and getting hugs from her. Although she didn't feel well, she was always more concerned with how everyone else was doing! I know this will be a difficult time for you but I know you rejoice that she is not in pain or sick anymore and that we will see her again one day. I love you all!*

Mike & Melissa Wulf - June 20, 2011 at 02:31 PM

EW

“ *I am saddened to hear of the loss of Loretta and send my condolences to the family. Growing up with Loretta, it was evident that her faith was strong and she lived a life that was a testimony of her love and dedication. My sympathy is great for all Loretta's family and friends, however, it is of comfort to know that she is with our Heavenly Father.*

Evelyn "Cookie" Jordan Wood - June 20, 2011 at 12:55 PM

BF

“ Today I looked at the Maine obituaries and saw Loretta's death and we wish to send our sympathy to the family. We went to church with Loretta and her family in Bangor when we were young. We were the "Cyr" family. I remember Loretta as a very pretty and kind young lady. God bless and comfort you all.

Bob @ Yvette Funderburk - June 20, 2011 at 12:30 PM

JH

“ We learned today of Loretta's passing and want to send our thoughts to JR. Loretta was a very special woman whom we only knew a short time but that we both thought highly of. She is healed now and with our Lord.

Joe and Peggy Holloway - June 19, 2011 at 09:05 PM