



## Bonnie Janette Ray

March 5, 1936 - November 27, 2013

Bonnie Janette Ray, age 77, of Newport, passed way Wednesday, November 27, 2013 at her home.

She attended Providence Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by husband, William Edward Ray; parents, Bill and Ella Sims; brothers, Frank, Tommy and Paul Sims.

She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Glenn and Sonya Ray of Newport; daughter, Teresa Ray Thomas of Newport; daughter and son-in-law, Kay and Tony Funderburg of Sevierville; sister, Marjorie Huffaker of Kodak; grandchildren, Lindsey Hildebrand, Barrett Thomas, Kasey and Ashton Funderburg, Meghan Ray and Lauren Ray; great-grandchildren, Cole and Layla Hildebrand, Austyn and Easton Ray and Giavanna Thomas; step grandson Tyler Shirley also several nieces, nephews and other family and friends. Special thanks to Dr. Williams and Dr. Conway and the staff at Smoky Mountain Home Health and Hospice.

Funeral services will be held 7:00 pm Saturday, November 30, 2013 in Manes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Scott Gorrell officiating.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 pm until 7:00 pm Saturday at Manes Funeral Home prior to the funeral service.

Burial will be held at 1:00 pm Sunday, December 1, 2013 in Union Cemetery.

Family and friends may sign the guest register on line: [www.manesfuneralhome.com](http://www.manesfuneralhome.com).

Manes Funeral Home in charge.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Bonnie Janette Ray*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *May you RIP. We knew each other at different times in life. When I got to know you as my step mother was the greatest.*

**karen walker** - December 26, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *I have wonderful memories of Janette, "momma Ray", during my freshman year of high school. Her daughter, Teresa and I were majorites. Our parents were in the band booster club and often traveled on band trips and to the CCHS football games. The band b*

**Robin Pack Conway** - February 20, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *My prayers are with you all! I love you Meghan!*

**Jessie Depew** - December 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so sorry to read of the passing of Janette. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

**Janey Clevenger Kinser** - December 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *We are thinking of you and keeping your family in our prayers. Sincerest sympathy. Pam & Terry Ball*

**Pam & Terry Ball** - December 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

NB

“ *Bonnie Janette Ray*

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**Nicole Ball** - December 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ *Sorry to hear of your loss. One of my fondest memories was at a band competition. Just before we were to go on the field the zipper broke in my majorette costume. Janette literally sewed me into the suit. She was a lot of fun and treated all of us as we b*

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**Debbie Chesteen Davis** - December 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ *Our thoughts and Prayers are with each of you!*

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**Debbie and Heather Greene** - December 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ *So sorry that I didn't get to the funeral home. I have been thinking about you all. 8fhm9*

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**Lisa Sane Giles** - December 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ *So sorry the passing of Mrs.Ray. Our family will keep your family in our prayers during this time.*

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**Kimberly Barnes** - December 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ *All of the family are in our prayers. Reece, Cheryl, and Cody Grooms*

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**Cheryl Grooms** - December 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CE

“ I am so sorry for your loss. The entire family is in my prayers. Sending lots of angels to comfort all of you. She was a very special lady. Just know she will always be with you in your heart!

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**Carla Elliott** - December 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ VERY SORRY FOR THE LOSS OF YOUR MOTHER AND ALSO REGRET I COULD NOT BE THERE DUE TO SICKNESS. WE WILL KEEP ALL OF YOU IN OUR PRAYERS.

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**denise goalsby** - December 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ Teresa you know my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family right now. If you need anything just call.

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**Billie Swaney** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ She will be missed by so many friends...She was one perfect rose. All Our Love to the family.

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**Robert & Martha Pack** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you, may God bless and comfort you.

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**Gail Fancher and Family** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Sorry for your loss we love you

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**Debbie & Herbie Keller** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Sorry for your loss may God be with you.

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**Brenda Jarnigan and Family** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ I am so sorry for your loss. A Mother and her love is everlasting .

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**Jeff Fancher** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Glenn, Teresa and Kay, So sad to learn of the loss of your Mother. I grew up knowing her, and later in life I got to work with her as well. She was a kind and loving person. She will be missed by all that knew her. All of you are in my thoughts and prayer

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**Chuck Strange** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

EE

“ We are sorry for your loss.

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**Earl &Ila Ruth Edmonds** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AO

“ Glen, Teresa & Kay I am so sorry to here about Janette we have been friends forever more like family I can just see Ed Rays eyebrows go up & say what took you so long.Love you guys.

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**Audrey owenby** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ With Deepest Sympathy. Meter Tech Dept

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**Dana Clark** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ We are so sorry for your loss you all will be in our thoughts and prayers. Ronald and Carolyn Laws Larry and Rhonda Sane

rhonda laws sane - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Bonnie Janette Ray

Jackie & Colleen Styles - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Dearest Teresa, Glenn and Kaye, I loved your mom so much, she was so good to me when we were teenagers, she treated as if I were one of her own, I saw her in Feb. when I was home and I had the opportunity to tell her how much I loved her and what she mean

Debbie Owens Sands - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

WL

“ We are so sorry. Your mom was a very sweet lady.

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TD

“ We are so sorry for your loss. May your special memories bring you comfort. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Terri & Tommy Denton - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ JANET, HAS ALWAYS BEEN ONE OF MY DEAREST FRIENDS. SHE HAS A VERY GREAT FAMILY WHICH SHE WAS ALWAYS SO PROUD OF. I WILL TRULY MISS HER . THERE IS NO DOUBT IN MY MIND, SHE IS ONE OF GOD"S SPECIAL ANGELS.....PROBABLY RUNNING THE ROADS OF HEAVEN FOR HIM

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**RUTH WILSON** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *Sorry for your loss*

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**Kathy McCarter** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

WS

“ *So sorry, Wendy Sams*

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**wendy sams** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Kay, Teresa and Glenn..so sorry for the loss of your sweet mother. She was always so fun and smiling...she was also so patient w/ us kids...she will be missed. Prayers with you and your families during this time. Jan, Jerry Don, and Sydney Sneed (Broo*

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**Jan Brooks Sneed** - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ *So very sorry to hear of the loss of your precious Mom. You will all be in our thoughts and prayers. Judie and Gerald ODell*

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**Judie ODell** - November 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Our Thoughts & Prayers are with you. May this sad time be lightened by the wonderful memories of your loved one and warmed by the caring of family & friends. With Deepest Sympathy, Love & Prayers Jabo, Tammy Francis & Girls

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**Tammy Francis** - November 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Glenn, We have known you and your family for many years in many different ways. I have found memories of your beautiful mother. Having chatted with her many times to keep up with your whereabouts as you worked outside of Newport. I understand what your f

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**Bunny and Marcia Hill** - November 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning, Lam 3: 22-23 It's so comforting to know that in each new day, God has a plan for each of us and He gives us what we need to see things through. May

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**Lula Ellison Ozmun** - November 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ John 3:16

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**Jerry McClanahan** - November 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Bonnie Janette Ray

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**June Shropshire** - November 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ Kay, I'm so sorry to hear about Janette. Loved her dearly and prayers for all of you during this difficult time.

Rhonda Campbell Walker - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Thinking of all of you and remembering your mom. We always enjoyed seeing her! She certainly loved her family! Tommy and Karen Smith

Tommy and Karen Smith - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Bonnie Janette Ray

Steve Webb - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

EG

“ I was very sorry to read about Janette's passing. I worked with her for several years at Best Western Inn back in the 1970's. Janette was a special friend to me.

Elaine Gunter - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Bonnie Janette Ray

Captain Bobs - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ We are so very sorry for your loss. Linnie, Beverly, Sammy Denton and Christine Denton (from Ohio)

Linnie Denton - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ *Bonnie Janette Ray*

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**Teresa Weeks** - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ *I am so very sorry for your families loss. Everyone will be in my thoughts and prayers during your difficult times.*

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**Tracy Matthews** - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ *We are so sorry to here of your loss. The family is in our prayers.*  
*Terry & Bonnie Davis*

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**Terry & Bonnie Davis** - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *My deepest sympathy goes out to the family. Jeanette was a wonderful lady. She was always the same each time I saw her...smiling and kind. She will be greatly missed.*

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**Debbie Williams** - November 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Bonnie Janette Ray*

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**Betty Harrison** - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *Glen, I am so sorry to hear about your mother. You will be in our thoughts. Mike Clonce*

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**Mike Clonce** - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ We are very sorry for your loss.

Barry & Janice Webb - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PT

“ We are so sorry for your loss. In our prayers.

Pat & Patricia Mathis Taylor - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ We are so sorry for your loss.

Pat and Susan Mason - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ I am deeply sadden to hear of Janette's passing I loved her so much we worked together at Cracker Barrel for a long time and we kept in contact with each other but hadn't talked to her in a while.I will be praying for the family.

Linda Davis - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ Bonnie Janette Ray

Abby Balch - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ Love and prayers.

Gerald, Dale and Nancy Raines - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM