



Sheila Lee Blankenship

April 2, 1957 - October 30, 2020

Sheila Lee Blankenship, age 63, of Newport, passed away Friday, October 30, 2020.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Jim and Beatrice Lethco, son-in-law Jonathan Kent Click.

She is survived by her husband, Arlie Blankenship, sons, Scott Thornton (Erin Murrell), Daniel Blankenship (Arielle) all of Newport, daughters, Amy Renee Click (Alan Manning) of Sevierville, Patricia Lewis, special granddaughter, Cassidy Green (Dustin), brother, Roy Lethco all of Newport, grandchildren, Brandon, Darcee, Jonathan, Jessie, Mark, David, Arleigh, Kennedy, Adlee and Brock, great-grandchildren, Kingley and Roman, also other family and friends. You may drop by and sign the register book from 11:00 am – 4:00 pm on Sunday, November 1, 2020 at Manes Funeral Home or on line at: www.manesfuneralhome.com.

10:00 am Monday, November 2, 2020 in Resthaven Memorial Gardens.

Per CDC guidelines please practice social distancing and masks are highly recommended.

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Drop By and Sign Register Book

NOV 1. 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sheila Lee Blankenship*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *GOD definitely got an angel by his side. She was a lot of people's angel here on Earth. From the days looking over me at the Community Center to the Street Department to reminding me about Modern Woodman. Always guiding me with great advice and not letting me forget who she always was and always will be my friend or she would say she's everyone's "MOM."*

Walter Cole - November 12, 2020 at 09:54 PM



“ *May God comfort you and bless you with many happy memories. I was her Sunday School teacher when I was 18. She was in my Junior class at First Freewill. I remember how sweet and beautiful she was. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. Amy I did not realize your sweet connection to the Keith I family. Many happy memories.*

Earlene Strange - November 09, 2020 at 10:53 AM



“ *Glad I got to see you at the beauty shop I would never expected this you looked so good 💔 thank you for always being kind to me*

Debbie - November 05, 2020 at 08:38 AM

PK

“ So sorry to hear, I have so many childhood memories with Sheila. We had so much fun growing up in Northport. My thoughts and prayers are with you!

Pam Kolar - November 03, 2020 at 02:14 PM

MV

“ Arlie and family, Prayers for peace, and comfort during this journey you are on with the loss of Shelia and your mother. May you know and feel God"s presence and strength is with you.

Marguerite Vassar - November 02, 2020 at 10:28 PM



“ Sheila was one of the sweetest of all
Always had that beautiful big smile !
We hung out back in the day ;
She always put a smile on my face and was a
glow of light to all that was around her ❤️
Our Thoughts and Prayers are with the Family
🙏



BobbyandGail Clevenger - November 02, 2020 at 09:24 PM

SO

“ Arlie you are in my prayers

Susan Owenby - November 02, 2020 at 11:03 AM

MW

“ I was sorry to learn of the passing of a long time friend. My thoughts and prayers go out to the family.
Mackey Winter

Mackey Winter - November 02, 2020 at 09:42 AM

CS

“ We are very sorry to hear of Sheila's passing. We will keep the family in our prayers.

Cordelia Shell & Family

Cordelia Shell - November 02, 2020 at 07:57 AM

LD

“ We were so sorry to hear of Sheila's passing. Known Sheila most of her life, but have not seen her in a few years. Prayers for her loved ones.

Matthew 5:4

*Sincerely,
Linda & Bud Dawson*



Linda Dawson - November 01, 2020 at 11:55 PM



“ Prayers for your loss. We loved Sheila she was dear to us.

Amanda Cole - November 01, 2020 at 11:20 PM

GC

“ Arlie J and family we have you in thoughts for comfort. Paul & Gail Metcalf.

Gail C.Metcalf - November 01, 2020 at 09:12 PM

GC

“ *Gail C.Metcalf lit a candle in memory of Sheila Lee Blankenship*



Gail C.Metcalf - November 01, 2020 at 09:09 PM

SB

“ *I was so saddened to learn of Sheila's passing. Our lives were connected off and on since childhood. Prayers for the family!!*

Sherry Butler - November 01, 2020 at 06:28 PM

MT

“ *So sorry for your loss. Prayers for comfort for all the family.*

Mae Testerman - November 01, 2020 at 05:55 PM

MC

“ *Amy & Family,*

We are so sorry to hear about the loss of Sheila. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.

Martha Click & Family

Martha Click - November 01, 2020 at 04:06 PM

DB

“ *I was so saddened to hear of Sheila's passing. She was a great influence on me when I was young and such a kind person with an infectious smile. My deepest sympathy to her family and friends.*

Debbie Allen Benito - November 01, 2020 at 04:03 PM

BW

“ So sorry for your loss.

Billy (Bill) Webb - November 01, 2020 at 04:00 PM

CR

“ So sorry for your loss Sheila was a good woman she will be missed RIP Sheila



Cookie Ramsey - November 01, 2020 at 03:57 PM

TH

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for family!

Tammy Hudson - November 01, 2020 at 02:02 PM

VT

“ Praying for u all.



vickie turner - November 01, 2020 at 10:01 AM

SS

“ She was one of a kind spirit who loved all . I will miss her and pray for the family in this time of sorrow.



Steve I Shaver - November 01, 2020 at 09:41 AM

DA

“ *Sorry to hear the bad news*



Dan - November 01, 2020 at 07:49 AM

RW

“ *We will be thinking about you all in the days to come. Sheila was an amazing lady and will be greatly missed.*

Ronnie & Martha Williams - October 31, 2020 at 09:55 PM

RW

“ *Our family is super sad to hear about this. Sheila was so special to our family. She was kind, loved big, and was just an amazing lady. She will be missed by so many. Our thoughts and prayers go out of you all.*

Rhonda Williams - October 31, 2020 at 09:54 PM

AD

“ *My deepest Sympathy, Prayers and Thoughts*

Adell S. Davis - October 31, 2020 at 09:18 PM

FH

“ *So sorry Daniel about the lost of your mother .
Prayers Felicia Hux*



Felicia Hux - October 31, 2020 at 07:17 PM

FH

“ *Felicia Hux sent a virtual gift in memory of Sheila Lee Blankenship*



Felicia Hux - October 31, 2020 at 07:14 PM

 Alicia Miller

“ *Amy I am sorry for the loss of your Mother Sheila. I remember her from when we were in High School. She was was very kind person. Alicia Cashen Miller*

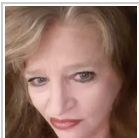
Alicia Miller - October 31, 2020 at 06:07 PM

GS

“ *So sorry to hear of your loss she was a great person*



Gaylynne Spence - October 31, 2020 at 05:49 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss .She was such a sweet lady .My mom an her was good friends I remember her from John David s auction .You all are in my prayers .*

Debra Keller - October 31, 2020 at 05:44 PM



“ *Diane Cogdill sent a virtual gift in memory of Sheila Lee Blankenship*



Diane Cogdill - October 31, 2020 at 05:36 PM



“ *Sheila was like a sister to me, instead of sister in law. She was kind to everybody and didn't have a bad thing to say about anybody. She would have gave you the shirt off her back , if you asked. I was with Sheila almost every day for the last nine years. When i made a loud noise and wasn't in the room with her, she would holler and ask if i was alright and then she would say "remember you don't have Aflac. I loved her like a sister and will miss her so much.*

DIANE

Diane Cogdill - October 31, 2020 at 05:34 PM



“ *Prayers for all of you, Shelia was a wonderful loving sister I didn't have growing up. Rest in peace my dear friend, heaven gained another angel 🙏*



Marty Coakley - October 31, 2020 at 05:33 PM

RM

“ I went to school with that sweet lady.
GO REST HIGH ON THAT MOUNTAIN BEAUTIFUL ANGEL.
Rita (Francis) Mccarter

Rita Francis Mccarter - October 31, 2020 at 04:35 PM



“ Barbara Lewis sent a virtual gift in memory of
Sheila Lee Blankenship



Barbara Lewis - October 31, 2020 at 04:30 PM

TF

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for Peace and
Comfort during this difficult time. “Blessed are
those who mourn, for they will be comforted.”
Matt5:4. With Heartfelt Deepest Sympathy,
Tammy & Jabo Francis



Tammy Francis - October 31, 2020 at 04:18 PM

DJ

“ Arlie J, Roy and family, so sorry, iv known Sheila all my life, we were
Northport girls, thinking of you all, God Bless.

Donna k Phillips, james - October 31, 2020 at 03:42 PM

DG

“ So sorry to hear about Sheila your family is in my thoughts and prayers
Debbie Ramsey Gass



debbie gass - October 31, 2020 at 12:39 PM

KM

“ May our Lord bless and comfort you and your family during this time of grief. Please accept my Sincere Condolences.



Karen mantooth - October 31, 2020 at 11:49 AM

GA

“ So very sorry for your loss
Our prayers n thoughts are with the family

Gail & Bob



Gail Ailey - October 31, 2020 at 10:44 AM

SB

“ So sorry to hear of Sheila's passing. She was a dear friend and will be missed. Prayers for all.



Ben Hicks and Susan Ball

Susan Ball - October 31, 2020 at 09:25 AM

DW

“ I went to school with Sheila and was proud to call her a friend. So sorry for your loss.

Diane (Owens) Warden - October 31, 2020 at 08:00 AM

BJ

“ Sheila was well loved by so many she will be missed. She always had a big smile and a big heart for all who knew her. I'm so sorry for the loss praying for God's comfort for all of the family.

Bertha & Joe Johnston

Bertha Johnston - October 31, 2020 at 06:09 AM

DM

“ So very sorry ... I am thinking of all of you!!



Debbie Murr - October 31, 2020 at 12:13 AM

RF

“ So sorry for your loss.

Ray Fancher - October 30, 2020 at 10:29 PM

DK

“ Debbie & Herbie Keller lit a candle in memory of Sheila Lee Blankenship



Debbie & Herbie Keller - October 30, 2020 at 09:47 PM

JB

“ So sorry for your lost. Sending up prayers for you and your family.



Joyce Simpkins & Lisa Blankenship - October 30, 2020 at 08:13 PM

DO

“ So very, very sorry

Duay and Kay O'Neil - October 30, 2020 at 08:08 PM

PS

“ I hate to hear that Shelia passed..She was a special friend from childhood until our adulthood..May you find rest in heaven sweet friend...Love always
Patty Evans Stephenson



Pat Stephenson - October 30, 2020 at 07:37 PM

LE

“ My thoughts and prayers going out for the family. So sorry for the loss. Rest In Peace Shelia 🙏💜

Leigh Anne Elam - October 30, 2020 at 07:02 PM

BC

Scott and Arlie so sorry to hear about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Bobby and Gail Clevenger - October 31, 2020 at 10:50 AM

RH

*I am so sorry for your loss went to school with Arlie and Sheila new
Sheila from church when we were all very young*

Rhonda Bible Henderson - November 02, 2020 at 01:58 PM