



## Stephane Coggins Banks

September 27, 1936 - April 15, 2024

Ms. Stephane Coggins Banks, age 87 of Newport, beloved mother and grandmother, passed away Monday, April 15, 2024 at her home.

Stephane was born in the Old Fifteenth Community of Del Rio. She reflected fondly on the memories of her early childhood there and often shared stories from her family's life in those mountains.

She enjoyed Tennessee Volunteer sports and was an avid Atlanta Braves fan who was quick to talk baseball with anyone that would listen (especially when her Braves were winning). Early in her work life, Stephane was employed by the Super Dollar (now Food City East). She spoke proudly of the 30+ plus years she worked with the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development.

Stephane was preceded in death by her father Furman Coggins and mother Georgia Ford Coggins, son Charles Donald Smith and daughter-in-law Brenda Smith; brothers A.V. "Rip" Coggins and Lucas Coggins; sisters Valire Ottinger and Iva Lee Denton.

She is survived by her daughters and their families: Pamela Webster (Mark) and Kimberly Smith Metcalf (Barry); grandchildren: Matthew Baxter, Chase Smith; Eric, Rob and Brandon Metcalf; great grandchildren: Nate, Drake and Blair Metcalf. Stephane will be remembered by many nieces, nephews and

loyal friends.

The family will receive friends Thursday, April 18, 2024 from 4:00 - 6:00pm at Manes Funeral Home, followed by a brief service with Pastor Rick Clevenger officiating.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Smoky Mountain Humane Society, 420 Humane Way, Newport, TN 37821.

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

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

APR 18. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Chapel  
363 East Main Street  
Newport, TN 37821

## Memorial service

APR 18. 6:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Inc.  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Manes Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Stephane Coggins Banks*



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**Manes Funeral Home, Inc.** - April 17, 2024 at 01:53 PM

NS

“ *We have so many sweet memories of times spent with Stephane , Kim and Pam . Many afternoons in the beauty shop catching up and discussing anything under the sun! Stephane was always a caring presences in our life and kept Neil on his toes. I treasure those days and pray for the family in the days ahead. ☐ I'm so sorry we can't be there .*

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**Neik amd Lisa Shults** - April 18, 2024 at 04:03 PM



*Neil\**

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**Neil Shults** - April 20, 2024 at 11:04 PM

TF

*Pam and Kim; just saw the obit. sure am sorry for loss. She was always good to me, can see her working in the school. Seems so long ago, but the memories never fade. I am just so sorry.*

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**Terry E Fowler** - April 30, 2024 at 09:06 PM

JT

“ I want you to know I am so sorry for your loss of Stephanie. She will be miss by everyone of her friends and family. She was a very sweet lady. ❤️

Jewelene Travis - April 18, 2024 at 12:22 AM

SB

“ My thoughts and prayers for Kim Pam and family. Your mom was such a sweet lady and she will be missed by all her family and friends

SheilaCoggins and Brittany - April 17, 2024 at 08:41 PM



“ 58 files added to the album LifeTributes



Manes Funeral Home, Inc. - April 17, 2024 at 01:39 PM

LD

“ *SENDING MANY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS TO 'STEVIE'S' LOVED ONES. SHE WAS SUCH A LOVELY LADY. SHE IS NOW WITH HER SON AND OTHER LOVED ONES. MAY GOD COMFORT AND BLESS ALL OF YOU AND BRING YOU PEACE.*



*MATTHEW 5:4*

*SINCERELY  
LINDA & BUD DAWSON*

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**LINDA DAWSON** - April 17, 2024 at 01:07 PM

DO

“ *So sorry for your loss. Prayers for strength and comfort for days ahead.*  
*Dottie Ford*

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**Dottie** - April 17, 2024 at 12:44 PM

DG

“ *Debra Gann lit a candle in memory of Stephane Banks*



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**Debra A Gann** - April 17, 2024 at 10:17 AM

SO

“ I am so sorry to hear that Stephane has passed away. Our families have been friends as long as I can remember. I am praying for this precious family. God be with you in the coming days. It's so hard to be left behind. Rest in peace Stephane. 💔



Susie O'Dell - April 17, 2024 at 09:36 AM

NO

“ Pam and family sorry the loss of your mother.



Nancy Matthews Owens - April 17, 2024 at 09:25 AM

JS

“ You are all in our thoughts and prayers. She was always so sweet.

J. Maurice Shults - April 17, 2024 at 09:12 AM

MC

“ To Stephane's family, our deepest condolences for your loss. May God bring peace and comfort for your broken hearts. Prayers for family and friends!

Mary Ann & Jay Chrisman

Mary Ann Chrisman - April 16, 2024 at 10:02 PM

AJ

“ Audrey, Donna, and Trey Jones purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Stephane Coggins Banks.



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**Audrey, Donna, and Trey Jones** - April 16, 2024 at 09:03 PM

PW

“ Dearest Kim and Pam and other family members.  
I loved Stephane and enjoyed my time with her.  
I will miss seeing her and sharing our memories with each other.  
She will always hold a special place in my heart. Rest in peace. I  
will see you in heaven. I love you.  
Penny K. Webb

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**Penny K. Webb** - April 16, 2024 at 05:31 PM

DO

“ Pam, Kim, and Family:  
Our sincere sympathy to you in the loss of your precious mother.  
We pray that memories of her love for you will sustain you in the  
coming days.

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**Duay and Kay O'Neil** - April 16, 2024 at 05:18 PM

FS

“ Stephanie was one of the 1st I met and worked with at Super Dollar. I LOVED HER SO MUCH AND I STILL DO! She was always good to me and took me under her wing. She was one of my work Mom's! I know she will be greatly missed! PRAYER'S FOR each of you But ALWAYS'S REMEMBER SHE LOVED EACH OF YOU DEARLY! HER PAIN IS NOW GONE. I LOVE YOU ALL. FRANCES HUFF STANDIFER AND FAMILY. MORRISTOWN TN.

Frances Standifer - April 16, 2024 at 04:34 PM

KK

“ Kristi Evans and Kelly purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Stephane Coggins Banks.



Kristi Evans and Kelly - April 16, 2024 at 04:30 PM

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Richard Todd Ottinger - April 16, 2024 at 03:42 PM

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**Richard Todd Ottinger** - April 16, 2024 at 03:40 PM

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**Richard Todd Ottinger** - April 16, 2024 at 03:32 PM

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**Richard Todd Ottinger** - April 16, 2024 at 03:27 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album Family



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**Richard Todd Ottinger** - April 16, 2024 at 03:26 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Stephane Coggins Banks.



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April 16, 2024 at 01:54 PM

DC

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Stephane's (Steve) passing. I have so many fond memories speaking with her. May the lord comfort you during this time. Debbie Crum (Jerry Brown's sister).

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**Debbie Crum** - April 16, 2024 at 12:46 PM