



Kaye Ramsey Thompkins

December 1, 1954 - November 23, 2014

Conway...Kaye Ramsey Thompkins, age 59, of Sherwood Drive, died Sunday, November 23, 2014, at her residence.

Kaye was born in Rock Hill, SC, a daughter of Bertha Ramsey and the late Jack Davis Ramsey. She was employed with the Horry County School District for 24 years. She was the most delightful person and was loved by everyone who knew her.

Surviving in addition to her mother of Rock Hill, SC, are her husband Robert C. Thompkins of Conway; two sons, Bob Thompkins (Ann) of Myrtle Beach and John Paul Thompkins (Jennifer) of Conway; two grandchildren, Emily Thompkins and John Kelly Thompkins; two brothers, Jack D. Ramsey, Jr., (Johanna) of Mt. Pleasant; and Leonard C. Ramsey of Rock Hill, SC; one sister, Sheila Tompkins of Conway; two nephews, Cole Tompkins of Conway and Landon Ramsey of Ft. Mill, SC; and one niece, Madison Tompkins of Conway.

Memorial services will be held at 2:00 PM Wednesday at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel, with Rev. Scott Johnson officiating.

The family will receive friends from 12:30 PM until 2:00 PM Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be sent to the American Heart Association, Memorials and Tribute Processing Center, P.O. Box 5216, Glen Allen, VA 23058-5216.

Sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel, is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

FF

“ *Our prayers and thoughts go out to Kay's family and friends during this difficult time.
the Flatens*

Flaten family - November 27, 2014 at 12:24 AM

FF

Apologies for the misspelling, as I type too quickly at 1am. :-(

Flaten family - November 27, 2014 at 12:25 AM



“ *Our thoughts are with all of the family, so sorry to hear this sad news!*

Dorothy, Danny, and family



Dorothy Jordan Dunn - November 26, 2014 at 09:50 PM

HH

“ Robert, Sheila and all of Kaye's family - we have known and loved Kaye from her first day at Horry County Schools. There aren't words to describe how much Kaye meant to us and all those who knew her at HCS. Like all of us, Kaye must have had days when she wasn't feeling on top of the world for one reason or another; however, no one ever knew that because Kaye was always upbeat and cheerful. She always made one feel that they were the most important person in the room and she deeply cared about you and what was going on in your life. Kaye was truly one of a kind. There never was before and never will be another Kaye. Her days here were far too short but our sorrows have to be overshadowed by the fact that she is now in the presence of her Lord and Savior. We pray that God will wrap his loving arms around each of you and give you comfort and peace as you face the days ahead. Harrell and Pat Hardwick

Harrell & Pat Hardwick - November 26, 2014 at 08:42 PM

AK

“ When I think of Kaye, she was always full of such kindness and one of the most thoughtful and sweetest friend anyone could have. Her passing was unexpected, it makes you think about how precious life is. She will be greatly missed by all her family and friends.
Angela Koonce and family

Angela Koonce - November 26, 2014 at 05:40 AM

GL

“ My husband, Glenn Lamm, worked for CSX railroad and was a union member with the United Transportation Union. We went to many meetings and conventions all over the country as a result of these two professions. At the majority of the events, Kaye would be on the trusted arm of her beloved brother, Jack. She was always the light of the room and was one of the sweetest most genuine people that I have known. She loved life, but more importantly, she loved her family. Her smile was infectious---I'm sure she's smiling down on all of you today. God be with you during this difficult time. Our condolences---Glenn and Gail Lamm

Glenn and Gail Lamm - November 26, 2014 at 04:43 AM



“ Exotic Grace was purchased for the family of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins.



November 25, 2014 at 06:52 PM

JC

“ Dear Robert, Emily and John Kelly,
I will always remember the salads from Applebee's that Kaye smuggled in to "T" and I at Conway High once a week. The salads were a real treat and so was getting to know Kaye, personally. She was a SPECIAL, BEAUTIFUL person--gone much, much too soon! My husband John and I also attended CUMC for a while with Kaye and it was there that we witnessed her baptism and testimony. Because of this, I'm confident that Kaye is now present with her Savior. She is already celebrating Thanksgiving and will soon experience her First Christmas face-to-face with her LORD!! Psalms 116: 15 & 16 says that, "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of one of His saints." Anyone who has accepted Christ as Lord of his life will be reunited with Kaye in heaven one day! Bless All of You! Jane Chanaca

Jane Chanaca - November 25, 2014 at 04:21 PM

WJ

“ Willie Johnson

Willie Johnson - November 25, 2014 at 08:44 AM

RC

“ Sending prayers an love to the family Kaye was a loving fun person an will be missed dearly.

Ray Cunningham

ray cunningham - November 25, 2014 at 08:42 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins.



November 25, 2014 at 08:36 AM



“ For Robert and all of Kaye's family I am sending prayers and love your way. I am so sorry that I couldn't be there. Kaye was one of the sweetest people and she was not only a friend she was like family to me. I am so glad I got to spend time with her when I was there in Oct. She will be missed. Heaven has another angel and is alittle brighter because Kaye is there. Rest in Peace Kaye Darlin.

Sharon Pitzen - November 25, 2014 at 08:18 AM



“ I was in shock to hear the news about Mrs. Kaye. I worked with her for 12 years at the district, she was a true blessing and a true friend. Praying for the family. Heaven gained a Angel for sure.

Estelle Elliott - November 25, 2014 at 07:46 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers go out the Thompkins family. Kaye was such a wonderful person with a kind spirit. She never met a stranger. Her HCS Human Resources family will miss her dearly.

Valerie McNeill - November 25, 2014 at 07:27 AM

RW

“ I am heartbroken to hear about Miss Kaye. I worked with her at HCS and she always lit up my day with a joke, a laugh, or a hug. She was pure fun, love, and kindness. Sending my deepest sympathies, love, and strength to her family and friends.

Rachel Cloud Watts - November 25, 2014 at 06:29 AM

HD

“ prayers sent for she and family.... One of the sweetest ladies ever.

Heidi Dickerson - November 25, 2014 at 04:21 AM

MS

I met Kaye at the UTU Regional meetings with her brother Jack. We had a lot of fun together. I want to send out my prayers to the family she will be missed. Marilyn Spangler

Marilyn Spangler - November 26, 2014 at 09:28 AM

SS

“ Shirley Sellers lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins



shirley sellers - November 24, 2014 at 11:47 PM

NE

“ Nelva Evans lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins



Nelva Evans - November 24, 2014 at 10:58 PM

NE

Kaye will missed by all. She always had a sweet smile. Prayers for her family.

Nelva Evans - November 24, 2014 at 11:00 PM

JY

“ *Jill Yates lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins*



Jill Yates - November 24, 2014 at 10:13 PM

SC

“ *Thought and Prayers for her Family ! She was the sweets person I have ever meet and always had a smile on her face.... I can't beleive when I saw her name it took me be surprise.... Praying for all the Family in the days ahead.....*



sherry chesstnut - November 24, 2014 at 10:01 PM

SP

“ *Sharon Pitzen lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins*



Sharon Pitzen - November 24, 2014 at 09:46 PM

LG

“ *Lynne Gore lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins*



Lynne Gore - November 24, 2014 at 09:36 PM

Linda
Turner

“ *Linda Turner lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins*



Linda Turner - November 24, 2014 at 09:19 PM

RC

“ *Robin Causey lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins*



Robin Causey - November 24, 2014 at 09:06 PM

WH

“ *Wanda Howell lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins*



Wanda Howell - November 24, 2014 at 08:58 PM

WH

Kaye was a very special lady. I will surely miss her when I call HR.

Wanda Howell - November 24, 2014 at 08:59 PM

JG

“*Kay was one of the sweetest lady that I have ever met. She always had a smile on her face and would make you feel so good by just talking with her. Once she met you , she never forgot you.. I will miss you. God bless. Joanne Gerald*

Joanne Gerald - November 24, 2014 at 08:09 PM



“*You will be truly missed Mrs. Kaye. You were such an AMAZING woman. I'm so glad I got to share my life with you, as you have watched me grow up from a little girl, to a woman, and becoming a mommy. You are truly an angel now!! I know you are up in Heaven now having the time of your life. #RIPMRS.KAYE*



Cathrine Rogers - November 24, 2014 at 07:58 PM

CR

*“ I have lost a dear friend and co-worker of 25 years more. She and her sweet friendship will be missed. She is up in heaven dancing and singing with all our family and friends. I know Kaye loved the Lord. Lord be with her family during this time as their hearts are heavy with grief. I pray you will put angels around them and carry them through this difficult time. I love you Kaye Thompkins and I will miss you ... You were a true friend and southern lady full of life. Kaye loved her family so much. She never took life for granted and tried to enjoy every moment with her family and friends. We will miss your beautiful smile Kaye darling!
Love Alan & Connie Rogers and Family*

Connie Rogers - November 24, 2014 at 06:43 PM

CC

“ Cindy Cupps lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins



Cindy Cupps - November 24, 2014 at 06:38 PM

ES

“ So sorry. Our love and prayers to each and every member of the family in this difficult time. She was a beautiful Person . God bless all. Ellenor and Sam

ellenor and sammy squires - November 24, 2014 at 06:10 PM

LF

“ Kaye lived across the street from my daughter. She would come over to visit and always had a wonderful smile. She will be missed by so many but her two "children" will just be lost without her. She loved them so much..always bragging about how special they were to her and to Robert. A loss like this is so hard to understand. My prayers are with the family.

Linda Finklea

Linda Finklea - November 24, 2014 at 06:05 PM

WF

“ Wanda Jordan Fulwood lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins



Wanda Jordan Fulwood - November 24, 2014 at 05:05 PM

WF

Kaye was so very compassionate and loving, and she will be missed by so many people. As someone so aptly said in a previous post, once you met Kaye, you had a forever friend. She always had a smile on her face and love in her heart. I pray that her family finds comfort in all of the love from her thousands of friends.

Wanda Jordan Fulwood - November 24, 2014 at 05:09 PM

SB

“ Sandy & Dee Brawley lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins



Sandy & Dee Brawley - November 24, 2014 at 04:59 PM

LW

“ I first met Kaye at a baseball field chaperoning four year old Madison and cheering on 7 year old Cole at a baseball game. She was one of the kindest, strongest and most loyal woman I have ever met. It was all about family for Kaye. Quick with a smile, a laugh and a hug, Kaye was a rare giving spirit and the world will miss her shining light. My prayers go to Sheila, Cole and Madison. Love you all.

Lorraine Woodward - November 24, 2014 at 04:52 PM

LC

“ Larry And Wanda Chestnut lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins



Larry and Wanda Chestnut - November 24, 2014 at 04:11 PM

Melissa Rutenberg

“ Dear Thompkins Family,
Kaye Darling was one of the first people I met when I moved to Horry County 10 years ago. We ended up working side by side in Human Resources. Her smile, compassion and sense of humor made our work lighter and days shorter. She will be greatly missed. May you find peace during this time knowing how many lives she touched and how many people in the school district love her.
Yours in Prayer,
Melissa Rutenberg

Melissa Rutenberg - November 24, 2014 at 03:09 PM

SF

“ You only had to meet Kaye and in that moment you had received a forever friend. Her beautiful face radiated that gorgeous smile that we all came to adore. Always cheerful, helping in any way that she could, Kaye has been my "go to gal" at the district office for the past 9 years. Sometimes it was a quick hug at the DO, on the phone I could hear her smile in her bubbly voice, but always making the day a little bit brighter with her warmth. Kaye is "one of a kind," I miss her so much already. My thoughts and prayers to the family she loved so much. God will keep her in his loving care now.

Sally Froelich - November 24, 2014 at 03:08 PM

DD

“ My thoughts and prayers are with your family. Our "Kaye Bird" will surely be missed! May the peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus during this difficult time.



Donna Durant - November 24, 2014 at 03:00 PM

God
is good
all the
time

“ Dear family of Kaye Darling-
There really are no words that describe the heaviness in the hearts of sweet Kaye’s Horry County Schools family. I just want you to know the depth of love we have for her. The tears that we have falling in this office seem to be greater than the rain falling outside today. She was our friend. Our family. She brought so much happiness to this office and to our lives. She was positive and radiant. She was pure love!
I am thankful that I had her in my life. It wasn’t nearly long enough. It is difficult to understand. I told my husband “I just loved her so much!” and he said “but God loved her more”. So as I move forward without this dear friend in my life I am going to trust in God to lead the way. To comfort and to love. I know Kaye is looking down from Heaven. She is our guardian angel.

Kim Griffin - November 24, 2014 at 02:59 PM

SF

“ Sally Froelich lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins



Sally Froelich - November 24, 2014 at 02:46 PM

CH

“ My prayers go out to all her family and friends. Kaye will be missed dearly by all of us who knew her.
A new star shines above us now in the Heavens.

Christine Henry - November 24, 2014 at 02:43 PM

SR

“ *Sheri Rabon lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins*



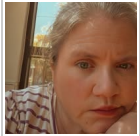
Sheri Rabon - November 24, 2014 at 02:40 PM

CF

“ *Christine Ferrante lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins*



Christine Ferrante - November 24, 2014 at 02:37 PM



“ *I have only worked for Horry County Schools for 6 months, but in that short time, I came to appreciate Kaye very much. She was always a joy to talk to, always happy and rarely without that sweet smile on her face. She was just so kind and upbeat, and made everyone feel like they were a blessing to her. I am so sad to know that she is no longer with us. The office already feels so very empty without her smile and laugh. It's hard to imagine that I will never hear her cheerful voice again. May God bless Kaye's family with comfort and tranquility. I feel so privileged to have known her while I could.*

Penny Miller Langley - November 24, 2014 at 02:30 PM

RS

“ *Walt and I are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Rene Smith - November 24, 2014 at 02:07 PM

LH

“ *Leda Huggins lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins*



Leda Huggins - November 24, 2014 at 01:55 PM

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“ *Kim Griffin lit a candle in memory of Kaye Ramsey Thompkins*



Kim Griffin - November 24, 2014 at 01:43 PM