



Robin Renee Carter Russell

March 28, 1968 - March 29, 2015

Burlington, NC... Robin Renee Carter Russell, age 47, passed away Sunday, March 29, 2015.

Mrs. Russell was born in Mobile, Alabama the daughter of Harry Lee Carter and Christine Hardee Carter. She grew up in the Mt. Leon community of Longs and was a graduate of Loris High School and Presbyterian College. Mrs. Russell was employed by Elon University. She formerly attended Mt. Leon Baptist Church in Longs, SC and was currently a member of Christian Life Assembly in Gibsonville, NC. Mrs. Russell was a very loving daughter, sister, wife, mother, and aunt.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by her husband of 25 years, Professor Alan Russell of Burlington, NC; one daughter, Michelle Renee Russell of Burlington, NC; one brother, Chris Carter and his wife Lisa of Loris; two nieces, Kinsey Carter and Lauren Carter both of Loris; and her mother-in-law, Linda B. Russell of Burlington, NC.

Visitation will be held Wednesday, April 1, 2015, from 5:00-7:00 p.m. at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Loris Chapel.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m., Thursday, April 2, 2015, at Mt. Leon Baptist Church with Rev. Mark Stevens, Rev. Lebron Crisp, and Rev. Steven

Tyler officiating. Burial will follow in Mt. Leon Cemetery.

Memorials may be made in lieu of flowers to the Chaplain's Emergency Fund of Elon University, Att: Jan Register, Campus Box 2960, Elon, NC 27244

Please sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Loris Chapel is serving the family.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Leon Cemetery

Highway 905
Longs, SC 29568

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Loris Chapel
1011 Highway 9 Business East
Loris, SC 29569
(843) 756-9273
info@goldfinchfuneralhome.com
<https://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com>

Service

APR 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Leon Baptist Church
9801 Hwy 905
Longs, SC 29568

Tribute Wall

RC

“ Alan I am sorry for your loss. I have fond memories of both of you from theater when we were all at PC. I will be thinking of you my friend.

Roger Cobb - April 10, 2015 at 08:22 PM

LW

“ Dear Prof. Alan and Michelle,

I want you to know just how much I have appreciated your family over the many years at Clover Garden. Your contributions to our school have been incredible, just like Mrs. Robin. When I shared with my students the news of Robin's passing, the students were in shock. However, the best part was their wonderful memories of our special origami days and super fun learning activities, not to mention Robin's proctoring days and kind words of encouragement! My prayer for you is that God will warm your hearts and fill your minds with those same special memories of such an extraordinary lady! I know that your loss is great, but may God's comforting hand carry you through the rough patches and over those tough mountains!

*With much love,
Lisa Wilson*

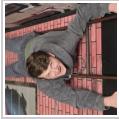
Lisa Wilson - April 03, 2015 at 03:47 PM

JB

“ So sorry for your loss. I have not seen Robin in years since we were children.



Jeffrey Branton - April 02, 2015 at 10:51 PM



I can remember the first time you guys came to the shop. Michelle was just a toddler. I look at her now and see both you and Robin. Love you all! She was my special friend!

Sherri Brown - April 27, 2015 at 10:03 PM

JD

“ We are deeply saddened by your loss. Please know we are thinking of Alan and family.

Jim and Brenda Drummond (Elon)

Jim Drummond - April 02, 2015 at 08:24 AM

BJ

“ So sorry for your loss. My your memories be a source of comfort during this time.

Billy and Wanda Jordan - April 01, 2015 at 08:55 PM

RS

“ Alan and Michelle,

My heart aches for you both. There is no way to prepare for a sudden loss. I know you both are still reeling as you go through the necessary steps of the next few days. My prayer is for our LARGE God to give you strength, peace and comfort through this week and for the coming days as you determine your new normal. Michelle, I know your mother loved you so much and I know that she would want you to continue with your trip to Europe. I will be on that trip, and if there's anything you need I will be there for you.

*Love and prayers,
Ms. Renée*

Renee Snyder - April 01, 2015 at 04:34 PM



“ Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Robin Renee Carter Russell.



April 01, 2015 at 03:04 PM

AR

“ Michelle,

My heart is breaking for you and your daddy. Your mom will be so missed around Clover Garden her happy spirit glowed. Know you are loved and will be here for you in whatever you need. Praying prayers of peace and strength.

*All my love
Ms. Angie*

Angela Richmond - April 01, 2015 at 01:52 PM

JK

“ Alan and Michelle,
I was shocked and saddened to hear about Robin's passing. You both have been in my thoughts and prayers almost constantly since I heard the news. She will be missed by the CGS family very much. I am so very, very sorry. Hopefully the memories of good times with her will get you through the next months.
Jean Koehler

Jean Koehler - April 01, 2015 at 01:24 PM

KC

“ Mr. Russell & Michelle,
I just wanted to tell both of you that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Robin was a very special lady. Her gentle spirit and sweet smile is what I will remember most about her. When she would come in to proctor, which you know, she did faithfully every year, she would always meet me with a smile and such kind words. I could always count on her for that. Her presence will surely be missed here at Clover Garden. I pray God's comfort and peace be with you during this time and in the days to come.
Mrs. Cole

Kim Cole - April 01, 2015 at 01:01 PM

MR

“ Alan, Michelle, & Carter Family -

Robin was one of the kindest, smartest, thoughtful, & wittiest women I have ever known. I have fond memories of her dedication & creativity when working on church dramas. She even made sure every participant got a special Christmas ornament from her. I will always remember how excited she was when new babies (especially Lily) were added to our church family. One of my best memories was the day a group of women went inner tubing on the New River in Ashe County. Robin was the life of the party! She also made sure that she purchased the picture from the Outfitters so we could all enjoy a reminder of our fun day. I will always treasure that picture.

Robin had this quiet understanding that her strength came from time spent in God's presence. She always seemed to value moments spent in worship. This past Sunday, I was on the schedule to sing. It was such a hard morning. Yet, I sang Kari Jobe's "O the Blood" as I had planned. The last line is: "Yes, the blood, it is my victory." All I could think was: Sweet Robin, the blood, it is your victory. While we grieve, she enjoys eternal victory through the blood of Jesus and a life well-lived.

My life and our church family will forever be richer because we knew Robin. You all are in our hearts and prayers now and in the coming days.

*Mary Ritter
Christian Life Assembly
Spiritual Community Pastor*

Mary Ritter - April 01, 2015 at 11:54 AM

KS

“ I had the honor of working with Robin. What a kind and giving spirit. My prayers are with you Alan and Michelle.
-Kathleen

Kathleen Seagroves - April 01, 2015 at 11:54 AM

JW

“ Alan --

Corene and I have fond memories of when you and Robin were here in Athens. Our thoughts and prayers are with you in the days ahead.

Jim and Corene Wilson

Jim & Corene Wilson - April 01, 2015 at 11:35 AM

SR

“ Michelle, I work at Clover Garden as the reading specialist. I was so very sorry to hear about your mom. I talked with her whenever she was in the Elon store. She was always so personable. You and your dad are in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Mrs. Regan

Susan Regan - April 01, 2015 at 10:24 AM

WS

“ Harry and Christine, I am so sorry to hear about Robin. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. Robin was always very special to us. My heart is breaking for all of your family. I love you all. Wanda Stevens

Wanda Stevens - April 01, 2015 at 10:17 AM



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Robin Renee Carter Russell.*



April 01, 2015 at 07:49 AM



“ *Our daughter got to participate in multiple plays at our church(CLA) that Robin directed and arranged. That opportunity would not have existed without Robin's efforts and creativity. We are so thankful for that opportunity and Robin was tremendous at working with the kids and making them feel so special. I will always remember her laugh! Blessings and peace to Alan and Michelle.*

David - March 31, 2015 at 05:21 PM