



Valerie "Val" King

February 14, 1981 - October 28, 2022

Valerie Dale King, affectionately known as Val to those close to her, passed away Friday, October 28, 2022 at the age of 41.

Valerie was born February 14, 1981 in Smithfield, NC, daughter of Rev. Lawrence and Connie Pounds. She was a member of Family Worship Church in Smithfield, NC and attended Forward Church in Myrtle Beach. Valerie received her Master's Degree in Business and Accounting from Gardner-Webb University. She was employed by Deloitte as a Certified Fraud Examiner and previously worked for the Accurate Group, Softpro, and Gardner-Webb University. She loved to read, travel, and shop, but most of all she loved her children, her family, and her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. In addition to her parents of Clayton, NC Valerie is survived by, her husband Chris King, three children Ellie, Olivia and Abigail, a brother Jonathan Pounds, his wife Kayla, and their daughter, Ava of Benson, NC, her father-in-law and mother-in-law Rev. Robbin and Lucy King of Conway, her sister-in-law Stephanie Oakley of Conway, and her aunts and uncles, Ray and Cathy Grove, Donnie and Louise Grove, Jim and Ann Grove, Evelyn Weber, Brenda and Bob Gooch, Donna and Tommy Barnes, Judy Grove, Sharon Weddle, and Deborah Pounds.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Wednesday, November 2, 2022 at Pauley Swamp Baptist Church in Conway with Rev. Robbin King and Rev. Gary Anderson officiating. Burial will follow in the Hillcrest Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM Tuesday at

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel.

Memorials may be sent to the King Children Education Fund, c/o Pauley Swamp Baptist Church, 7480 Pauley Swamp Road, Conway, SC 29527.

Please sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

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

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Cemetery

1000 Highway 544
Conway, SC 29526

Previous Events

Visitation

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

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel
606-610 Beaty Street
Conway, SC 29526

Funeral Service

NOV 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

Pauley Swamp Baptist Church
7019 Pauley Swamp Road
Conway, SC 29527

Tribute Wall

LL

“ Chris, I never had the privilege to meet your Val, but I know how happy the two of you were through conversation with Uncle Robbin. I'm without words to describe how to tell you how sorry I am for your loss. However, I am so glad that your mom and dad are there for you, to support you, love you, and reassure you in moments of uncertainty. My heart hurts for you. I love you always, Lori

Lori Barnhill Lewis - November 04, 2022 at 07:18 PM

PB

“ My heart is saddened at the loss of Valerie who had such a bright, shining, and caring personality. I've worked with her and her Deloitte team for the past few years. I enjoyed getting to know her, and working with her. Always professional, she had a great ability to listen to any issues and create solutions that put people at ease. To her, she invested in each relationship so that while it was about business, she cared about the people she worked with. I loved seeing the photos of her beautiful daughters that she was so proud of. May her life of memories bring peace to you and may the light perpetual shine upon her.

Patti Bonner - November 03, 2022 at 10:11 PM

MP

“ I SEND MY DEEPEST CONDOLENCES TO THE POUNDS AND KING FAMILY. I WAS VALERIES SECOND TEACHER AT FAITH CHRISTIAN ACADEMY IN GOLDSBORO. I HAVE A SPECIAL MEMORY OF SWEET VALERIE AND HER COUSIN SHANNON LOVING TO SING TOGETHER. EVEN AT A YOUNG AGES VALERIE WAS A TESTIMONY FOR THE LORD. LOVE AND PRAYERS, MARLENE PARKS

MARLENE PARKS - November 03, 2022 at 02:41 PM

RP

“ Chris, I am so very sorry for your loss. May God's peace surround you and your children during this very difficult time and for the years to come. Your love for her was evident!

Ronda Pifer - November 03, 2022 at 09:26 AM

JE

“ Valerie was an amazing, supportive, kind and caring person. I was so lucky to have her as my coach this year. Her loving spirit and compassion to always be available to help in any way possible will be a role model for me to follow. She was not only a colleague but a friend that you could talk to and laugh with. I pray that God will comfort her family and give strength and peace that only He can give to her husband and her precious little baby girls. My deepest condolences to this family during this time of great loss. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Janice Ely - November 03, 2022 at 12:55 AM

KM

“ I worked with Valerie at SoftPro. There was never a day that she wasn't smiling. She was always positive and full of energy. I am so very sorry for her husband, her baby girls, and all of her family. I can't imagine what you are going through. You are all in my thoughts and I hope that one day you can find peace.



Kris Miuccio - November 02, 2022 at 07:26 PM

SM

“ I was both shocked and saddened to hear about the family’s loss of Valerie. She was polite, cheerful and supportive colleague.

Please accept my sincerest condolences.

I would like to wish comfort and strength to the family during this difficult time.

Shweta Mahajanam - November 02, 2022 at 10:37 AM

JJ

“ Valerie was the type of person who could always make you smile. I’ve been so lucky and privileged to have worked with her for the last 5 years. In every phone call, and especially in-person meeting, Valerie was the bright shining light, the one able to make the group smile or chuckle based on a story she was telling us from her weekend. Before concluding any meeting, she never failed to ask the group how she could help each and every one of us. That was her nature – a very selfless person, always wanting to make sure those around her were doing well and happy. I will miss Valerie greatly but consider myself so lucky to have known such a kind soul, and I’ll cherish the time we’ve had with her. I’ll always keep her family and loved ones in my prayers and know that Valerie’s love and kindness will endure.

Jason John - November 02, 2022 at 10:07 AM

DC

“ *Dovie Clark Family Hope Mills, NC*

Chris King and King Family

We are so saddened for the family's loss of Valerie. May God's blessings be upon you and the children as you go through this difficult time. I will always remember my time spent with Valerie and the children at the Groves family gatherings. The Family is in our prayers!

Dovie Clark - November 02, 2022 at 08:45 AM

PP

“ *Val was a very positive, cheerful and supportive colleague. She was as committed and passionate towards her work family at Deloitte as she was to her own, and was a great role model for many to follow. It was a privilege for me to have been a part of Val's life. My thoughts are with the entire Pounds and King family during this time of sorrow. I would like to wish you comfort and strength during this difficult time. With love, Prachi*

Prachi Pandey - November 02, 2022 at 01:44 AM

AD

“ *I will miss you, Valerie! Your calm voice and that smiling face.. All the laughs that we shared.. You were more than a colleague; you are a dear friend!*

Sending love and strength to your daughters and family.

Asmita Deodhar - November 02, 2022 at 01:21 AM

DB

“ Chris, you, your family, and your precious children are in my heart and prayers. I am so sorry you all have to endure such pain. Lean close to your family, friends, and God. We are here for you. Praying for you, with Love Deanna

Deanna Brown - November 01, 2022 at 07:55 PM

JK

“ Val was an amazingly supportive and caring colleague who was always there! She would light up when talking about her kids and always had a beautiful smile on her face. It is so hard to believe that she is not here with us, and we have not only lost an amazing colleague but a beautiful friend and human being. We will miss you very dearly Val. My sincere condolences to the grieving family members! You are in our thoughts and prayers, Julie

Julie Kumari - November 01, 2022 at 06:36 PM



“ Meat & Cheese Wooden Gift Crate was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.



November 01, 2022 at 06:18 PM

SA

“ Valerie was such a lovely, kind, caring colleague. She had a magically way of connecting and making everyone feel like they were family. And that smile! She will be so missed.

Sarah Adams - November 01, 2022 at 06:15 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.*



November 01, 2022 at 01:36 PM



“ *Val was such a bright and positive friend and colleague - always seeing the good in people and situations, always understanding and compassionate. Although she will be dearly missed her memory and legacy will live on with all of us.*

James Dunn - November 01, 2022 at 11:08 AM



“ *Working with Valerie Pounds-King over the past few years was a privilege and an honor. She was a kind and gentle soul filled with light – she will be greatly missed. To Valerie’s beloved husband, dearest children, family and loved ones: I pray that “the Father of mercies, and the God of all comfort” be with you all and comfort you during this very difficult time. Please accept my sincerest condolences, Rhakiya Aylestock*



Rhakiya Aylestock - November 01, 2022 at 10:59 AM

TE

“ I met Val and her Mom through Scrapbooking in 2007. We drove to Maine from North Carolina to attend a scrapbooking retreat on the beach. I remember she was always joyful and full of warmth. Two days in a car is a lot of time to share stories and laughter. Dear Val, you will be missed. Lifting up prayers of comfort and peace for your family and all those who knew and loved you. ~ Terry Ellis



Terry Ellis - November 01, 2022 at 10:52 AM

JM

“ Judy Markley lit a candle in memory of Valerie "Val" King



Judy Markley - November 01, 2022 at 10:10 AM

CM

“ Chris my heart is breaking for you and the girls. Valerie will be sorely missed by all that knew her. She was such a wonderful person so full of joy. Working with Valerie was always a pleasure. Take comfort in knowing she is with the Lord and watching over you all. Deepest condolences Cindee Maynard

Cindee Maynard - November 01, 2022 at 10:08 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.*



November 01, 2022 at 09:09 AM



“ *Valerie, our hearts are heavy that your race was so short, but rejoice to know you're at the finish line with our Savior. We'll see you and the rest of our family when our race is over. (2 Timothy 4:7-8) Love, your cousin Mark, Marinda, Walker and Camille Grove*

Mark Grove - November 01, 2022 at 07:16 AM



“ *Chandni lit a candle in memory of Valerie "Val" King*



Chandni - November 01, 2022 at 06:44 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.*



November 01, 2022 at 03:42 AM

MC

“ I was deeply saddened to learn of Valerie’s passing this afternoon from our Managing Director. It has been a joy to work with Valerie, she was always supportive and appreciative. Valerie will be sorely missed and fondly remembered. Please accept my sincere condolences.



Michelle Chan - October 31, 2022 at 10:25 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.



October 31, 2022 at 10:16 PM



“ Garden Accent - "Those we love don't go away..." was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.



October 31, 2022 at 08:32 PM

CL

“ Our hearts are breaking at the shock of this. We extend our condolences to the King and Pounds families. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Cathy Lutz & Ray Groves

Cathy Lutz - October 31, 2022 at 06:59 PM

EL

“ My sweet friend left us too soon 😞 I am still in shock and can't believe she is not here anymore! She was a wonderful person and a great friend! We will miss you greatly and I promise to be here for your girls! My heart is broken 😞. Chris, I am praying for God To give you peace in this moment. We are here for you. We love all of you ❤️

Elvia - October 31, 2022 at 03:22 PM

MJ

I still can't believe you're gone. Loved your bright smile, calm and gentle spirit. My heart breaks for your family. Mary Jennings

mary jennings - November 02, 2022 at 08:13 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.



October 31, 2022 at 02:35 PM

GH

“ To the King and Pounds families. We are so very sorry to hear of the passing of Valerie. We remember Valerie and Jonathan when they were young and growing up. You are in our hearts and prayers. God bless all of you.
Robert and Gloria Hayes
Smithfield, NC

Gloria Hayes - October 31, 2022 at 02:22 PM

AG

“ Ashwin R Gupta lit a candle in memory of Valerie "Val" King



Ashwin R Gupta - October 31, 2022 at 01:31 PM

AG

“ Dear Chris - Sincere condolences to you and family. My family and I are still digesting this shocking news. May God give you and family the strength during this difficult time. Stay strong and Take care.

Ashwin R Gupta - October 31, 2022 at 01:30 PM

SP

“ Valerie was an amazing and patient coach to me. I got through many difficult times with her help, so I pray for healing, strength and hope her daughters, husband & family. My sincere condolences. I won't forget her memory.

Sarah Persaud - October 31, 2022 at 12:14 PM

SP

“ Sarah Persaud lit a candle in memory of Valerie "Val" King



Sarah Persaud - October 31, 2022 at 12:10 PM

JG

“ Chris, my deepest condolences for you and your dear family.
Praying for you!

Jody Graham - October 31, 2022 at 11:17 AM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for
the family of Valerie "Val" King.



October 31, 2022 at 11:12 AM

LE

“ Paul & I are praying for all of you. She was a
Beautiful & Godly woman inside & out. She
had a Smle i wil never forget.



lynn eimer - October 31, 2022 at 10:38 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the
family of Valerie "Val" King.



October 31, 2022 at 10:09 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.



October 31, 2022 at 09:12 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.



October 31, 2022 at 08:56 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.



October 31, 2022 at 05:55 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.



October 30, 2022 at 09:06 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.*



October 30, 2022 at 08:47 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.*



October 30, 2022 at 07:06 PM



“ *Chris,
I'm so sorry and heartbroken for you and your beautiful girls. Valerie was such a sweet person. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.* 🙏❤️



Jeannie Monday - October 30, 2022 at 05:18 PM



*Dear Chris,
Our deepest and heartfelt condolences. Prayers for you and your family. Valerie was such a great friend. May her soul Rest In Peace. Lots of love to Olivia and Abigail* ❤️

Anupama Madhu - October 30, 2022 at 07:09 PM

RS

“ Chris, I am so very sorry for your loss. May God wrap His arms around you and your family with much love.



Rae Specht - October 30, 2022 at 01:39 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.



October 30, 2022 at 01:37 PM

BM

“ I will be praying for your family. I am absolutely heartbroken for you and your beautiful daughters.

Brittanee Myers - October 30, 2022 at 01:30 PM

BB

“ Chris I am heart broken for you. I did not know your Val, but she had to be special. Heart felt condolences for you and family.
Betty Jeffords Broach

Betty Jeffords Broach - October 30, 2022 at 12:31 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Valerie "Val" King.*



October 30, 2022 at 11:46 AM



“ *Chris,
Val was an absolute beautiful spirit and the room lit up whenever she was around. She is going to be missed so much, but will live on in her beautiful daughters and in our hearts. We love you all so much and are sending our love and prayers. Jenny P.*

Jenny Peña - October 30, 2022 at 11:40 AM



“ *Love, Your St. James Intermediate Family purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Valerie "Val" King.*



Love, Your St. James Intermediate Family - October 30, 2022 at 11:34 AM