



Deanna Tollison Johnson

September 4, 1947 - January 6, 2023

Greenville, SC – Deanna Tollison Johnson, 75, of Greenville, SC passed away on January 6, 2023. She was the daughter of the late Dudley and Lois Lockaby Tollison and the loving wife of Carroll Clay Johnson for 56 years. Deanna was born the only daughter on September 4, 1947 in Greer, SC. She attended Byrnes High School in Lyman, SC where she was an accomplished majorette. It was at Byrnes High School that she met and fell in love with her devoted husband, Carroll. They recently celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary. Deanna retired from the Greenville County School System after serving in the front office of Eastside High School, Riverside High School and Crestview Elementary School. She loved running into former students out in the community. You could always find her in the stands or audience supporting her children when they were younger. This carried over into her role as a grandmother where she continued to cheer on her grandchildren. In addition to her husband, she is survived by her 4 children; Clay Tollison Johnson (Ellen), Corey Chandler Johnson (Lindsey), Michelle Ruth Johnson and Raven Tearney Johnson; 7 grandchildren, Braden Clay Johnson, Morgan Nicole Johnson, Scarlet Denise Mills, Mary Frances Johnson, Chandler Nicole Johnson, Arabella Esmee Sten, and William B. Sten. She is preceded in death by a grandson, Steven Chadwiche Davis. The family will receive friends on Thursday, January 12, 2023 from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM at Living Waters Funeral Home & Crematory; 529 Spartanburg Hwy S. Lyman, SC 29365; with a memorial service beginning at 5:00 PM. Pastor

Harold Johnson will officiate.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Ronald McDonald House; 706
Grove Road
Greenville, SC 29605

Previous Events

Receiving Friends

JAN 12. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Living Waters Funeral Home and Crematory
529 Spartanburg Hwy. S.
P.O. Box 758
Lyman, SC 29365
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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall

KG

“ Hey, ,Carroll.

I just stumbled Deanna's obit. just now. I am so sorry to hear about her passing.. She and I grew up together as students, girl scouts and you know everything. My heart goes out to you and the children. My love - Kathy Dickson Good

katy Good - March 06, 2023 at 05:43 PM

CP

“ I was younger than Deanna but I always thought she was a beautiful young lady.

Carole Edwards Phillips - January 14, 2023 at 06:33 PM

AA

“ Angie AshmoreKruise lit a candle in memory of Deanna Tollison Johnson



Angie AshmoreKruise - January 13, 2023 at 01:54 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Deanna Tollison Johnson.



January 11, 2023 at 09:08 AM

NB

“ *New Model Team BMW purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Deanna Tollison Johnson.*



New Model Team BMW - January 11, 2023 at 08:09 AM

TW

“ *The Harkness Family-Tom, Terri & Wesley purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Deanna Tollison Johnson.*



The Harkness Family-Tom, Terri & Wesley - January 10, 2023 at 10:33 AM

MK

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Mary Ann Powell Kirby - January 09, 2023 at 11:50 PM

MK

Prayers and Love for the Johnson Family for God and His Angels to give you Peace and Comfort ! Deanna was such a precious friend from Elementary School to Byrnes Highschool until present ! Love Monty and Mary Ann Powell Kirby

Mary Ann Powell Kirby - January 09, 2023 at 11:56 PM

MS

I am very saddened and send my love and condolences to Deanna's family. Deanna was a sweet lady and I will miss her

Mary Jane Sten - January 10, 2023 at 12:50 AM

CP

I only wish I had spent more time with Deanna. She was such a caring friend and the best neighbor. We all in Del Norte will miss her. I love you Deanna

Christine Poirier - January 11, 2023 at 11:44 AM

AL

I have many fun memories with Deanna at the Del Norte Pool. Those water aerobics classes were great. She was such a cool lady and she will be missed.

Allison - January 12, 2023 at 03:21 PM

AE

I am very sorry for the loss of Deanna. She was a good friend of mine during our time together at Byrnes High School. She was always a friend to everyone who knew her. She will be remembered by those how knew her. My condolences to her husband Carroll and the rest of her family and my prayers are with them during this time.
Albert Erwin

Albert Erwin - January 15, 2023 at 10:35 PM

KT

“ *Kathy Thorfinnsson*



Kathy Thorfinnsson - January 09, 2023 at 06:03 PM

KF

“ *Deanna was one of the sweetest, loving, caring people I know. She would help anyone & good friend to me for many years. Sending hugs & prayers to her family during this time* ❤️

Kathy Thorfinnsson & family - January 09, 2023 at 06:00 PM