



Elaine Taylor Odom

July 18, 1958 - November 13, 2024

Elaine Taylor Odom, a farmer's daughter and lifelong resident of New Kent county, Virginia, passed away peacefully on November 13, 2024 at the age of 66. Elaine was a strong, independent woman; a devoted mother; a loyal sister and the ultimate daddy's girl. She loved working on the farm, boating on the water and especially spending time with her family. Elaine was a rock to all who knew her. She was the cornerstone of her family and will be immeasurably missed. Elaine was preceded in death by her parents, Frank and Christine Taylor; her sister, Anita Norton; her brother, Elmer Stewart; her son-in-law, Brandon Adkins; and the love of her life, Joe Chrystal. Elaine is survived by her two daughters, Erin Odom and Cristen Sickal (Anthony); three sisters, Renee Priddy (Ted), Terry Petke (Mark) and Frankie Taylor (Sabrina); seven grandchildren, Alexis, Eve, Ivy, Nataleigh, Norah, Carson, Corbin and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

A celebration of life service will be held 1 PM Saturday, November 23, 2024 at Vincent Funeral Home, 9923 Pocahontas Trail, Providence Forge VA. The family will receive friends from 11:30 to 1 PM prior to the service. Elaine loved flowers, so if one is considering sending flowers for her service, please consider sending yellow and purple flowers, as these were her favorites.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **23**. 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Vincent Funeral Home, Providence Forge Chapel
9923 Pocahontas Trail
Providence Forge, VA 23140
(804) 966-7075

Celebration of Life Service

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Tribute Wall

BH

“ *Elaine and I were classmates in New Kent HS, we also shared an apartment shortly after graduation. I was heartbroken to see her obit, I so much wanted to run into her again and pickup being great friends. Elaine was a hard worker, intelligent, sweet and pretty a rare combination. My prayers are with her family. Love you girl your partner in fun times Barbara Hawkins* ”



Barbara Hawkins - April 23, 2025 at 08:58 PM

ST

“ *Sandy Tate lit a candle in memory of Elaine Taylor Odom* ”



Sandy Tate - November 21, 2024 at 12:44 AM

CD

“ *Elaine was like a big sister to me. I had a lot a respect for her. She worked hard and was so excited to spend more time with her grandchildren. She was my nail client for the last 6 years. I will deeply miss her! Enjoy the rest of your retirement in heaven my friend.* ”



Cindie Dunham - November 18, 2024 at 05:44 PM

WM

“ Wayne Malechek lit a candle in memory of Elaine Taylor Odom



Wayne Malechek - November 18, 2024 at 03:51 PM

LC

“ Worked with Elaine at Homewood suites she was so sweet and loving. Will miss her.prayers to family

Laura cain - November 18, 2024 at 06:08 AM

GC

“ Gail Bailey Crewe lit a candle in memory of Elaine Taylor Odom



Gail Bailey Crewe - November 17, 2024 at 09:10 PM

CC

“ My prayers are with this family. Elaine, RIP. Charlene Christian. New Kent High School Class of 1976.



Charlene Christian - November 17, 2024 at 03:12 PM

MB

“ Elaine was such a wonderful person. She will be missed by many.

Mollie Brown - November 17, 2024 at 08:26 AM

TW

“ Sorry For Your Loss



Thomas Widgeon - November 17, 2024 at 07:22 AM

CH

“ Elaine and family, I never would have thought when I saw you Sunday that it would be the last hug I got from you. I'm glad we crossed paths that day. Like I said Sunday, "see ya later, say hey to everybody".

Chris and Debbie Hockaday - November 16, 2024 at 05:41 PM

NB

“ I think I used to work with Elaine at the holiday inn airport. She dated Keith Odom at the time. She was a wonderful person I loved working with her.. my deepest sympathy to the family and I am so sorry to hear she passed.
RIP Elaine.
Love, Nancy



Nancy Bolling - November 16, 2024 at 01:27 PM

JM

“ Elaine was a very special person. She never met a stranger and did so much to support her friends and her community. She will be missed by so many. Thank you for being a long time friend to our entire family. God bless and bring comfort to her family.

Joe McLaughlin - November 16, 2024 at 11:41 AM

CD

“ Elaine was a one of kind person. She always spoke her mind and had a great love for her family. We will miss her at our Rose Garden meetings and memorials. Rest in peace my friend. Cathy and Vin Davis

Cathy Davis - November 16, 2024 at 10:10 AM

BS

“ Elaine will be missed by many. Such a sweet and precious lady. Sending prayers of comfort to the family.



Betty K Sullivan - November 16, 2024 at 06:47 AM

CB

“ Cecelia Bradby lit a candle in memory of Elaine Taylor Odom



Cecelia Bradby - November 16, 2024 at 06:22 AM

MS

“ Mike Staskiel lit a candle in memory of Elaine Taylor Odom



Mike Staskiel - November 15, 2024 at 10:11 PM

KT

“ *Kayla Timberlake lit a candle in memory of Elaine Taylor Odom*



Kayla Timberlake - November 15, 2024 at 08:54 PM

SB

“ *My best friend since 6th grade at NK Middle School....We did so much together! From sewing matching bell bottom pants to water skiing & sun bathing.... Of course we were often partners in mischief! We were each other's maids of honors, raised children together and supported each other during tough times. I will miss you so much! There is a deep hole in my heart... And even though I am sad to lose you, I am happy that you are resting now as you have worked hard all your life! Susan Bergerard*

Susan Bergerard - November 15, 2024 at 08:06 PM

DF

Elaine & I worked at the Holiday Inn Airpot for many years! We had so many good times & we were like family! It breaks my heart to hear of her passing because she worked so hard all her life & there was nothing she couldn't do! & I wish she had been able to enjoy the Golden Years!!!

debora Fowler-Zehler - November 16, 2024 at 07:27 PM

EK

We are so sorry to hear of Elaine's passing, I got to know her when our granddaughter Jenna and her daughter played field hockey, if I'm correct. She was so nice, a character to be around always a smile. Prayers for the family.

Ethel King - November 19, 2024 at 02:29 PM

BE

“ Beverly Darlington Edwards lit a candle in memory of Elaine Taylor Odom



Beverly Darlington Edwards - November 15, 2024 at 07:23 PM

SB

“ A very precious person! Elaine enjoyed the many chores and spending time at the farm visiting with Mama, you and Frankie. Thank you for the sweet memories. Much love always! Starr

Starr Boggs - November 15, 2024 at 07:14 PM

RS

“ I have known Elaine her entire life. She will be missed. Ray Sprouse and Rick Hall from Knockmore Farm.

Ray sprouse - November 15, 2024 at 01:43 PM

LK

“ So very sorry to see this. I am praying for her family. She was a very sweet lady.



Laura Key - November 15, 2024 at 01:01 PM

DF

Elaine & I worked at Holiday Inn Airport for many years! She was a very dedicated & hard worker! We were like family & had a good time & made many memories!!
Prayers to her family & friends at this sad time!
RIP. Elaine

Debora Fowler-Zehler - November 18, 2024 at 08:14 AM

HS

I met Elaine at the river. We spent many weekends together. Had such good times. Saw her frequently at the nail shop too. She will be greatly missed.

Hilda Shumaker - November 20, 2024 at 01:53 PM