



## Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson

August 16, 1957 - September 7, 2016

Malissa "Kay" Nelson

Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson, 59, of Nokesville, Virginia, passed away at her home on September 7, 2016. Kay was a longtime member of Nokesville Church of the Brethren and retired from Prince William County Circuit Court Land Records Division.

Kay was born in 1957 to the late Homer B. Weakley and the late Malissa B. Weakley Cornwell. She is also predeceased by her stepfather E. Elwood Cornwell.

Kay was a feisty lady who loved children of all ages, had a heart of gold and a laugh that could brighten anyone's day. Her passion for life showed through in all the lives she touched. She loved her family with all her heart and was always there for them no matter what they needed day or night. Her grandchildren were the light of her world and she enjoyed spending as much time with them as possible.

Kay had a love for sweets which showed in her passion for making cakes for friends and family and many others to help them celebrate all their special occasions. Kay will be greatly missed by all those who knew and loved her.

She is survived by her loving husband of 37 years, Larry A. Nelson of Nokesville; two daughters Carrie (Regis) Diethorn and Heather (Jamie) Revard, both of Nokesville; four grandchildren, Lane Revard, Jameson Revard, Carter Diethorn and Paityn Diethorn; her half brothers, Robert Connor, Edward Connor and Butch Weakley and her half sister, Linda Weakley Hansen.

The family will receive family and friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Friday, September 9, 2016, at Pierce Funeral Home.

A service will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, September 10, at Nokesville Church of the Brethren. Interment will follow at Valley View Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Nokesville Church of the Brethren, 13002 Fitzwater Dr, Nokesville, VA 20181

# Cemetery Details

## Valley View Cemetery

12614 Valley View Drive  
Nokesville, VA 20181

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **9**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home  
9609 Center St.  
Manassas, VA 20110  
(703) 257-6028  
pfh@piercefh.com  
<https://www.piercefh.com>

## Service

SEP **10**. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Nokesville Church of the Brethren  
13002 Fitzwater Drive  
Nokesville, VA

# Tribute Wall

KR

“ *My sincere condolences to the Nelson family as they grieve for Kay. I worked many years in an office near Land Records where she worked as well. She was very dedicated to her responsibilities and she was known "county wide". Apparently her death was totally unexpected and rather sudden, which I'm so sad to hear. Her family was always so important to her and she was such a big part of their life. Sorry she and Larry didn't get to take that cruise they had planned. Life is just so brief and we should cherish each and every moment we have to show our love for each other.*

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**Karen Raymond** - September 28, 2016 at 08:58 AM

TF

“ *The Fick Family purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson.*



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**The Fick Family** - September 14, 2016 at 10:50 AM

BW

“ *Kay-we will remember you by your sweet smile and contagious laughter. I (Bill) will always remember you from a beautiful young girl to a beautiful woman, wife, mother and grandmother. As children we had some great times together, as adults we shared some wonderful conversations about our experiences. We thank God for all the time we had together and look forward to a jubilant meeting in the future.*  
*Love you lots, Bill & Lori Weakley*

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**Bill & Lori Weakley** - September 13, 2016 at 02:37 PM

DH

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to your family at this time of great loss. Doug Halterman W-L Class of 75

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**Douglas Halterman** - September 10, 2016 at 01:34 PM

SP

“ My children remember coming over to your house when they were small and feeding the baby goats with a bottle. You were a very special person inside and out. Glad I had the pleasure of working with you for 25 years before you retired. You will be greatly missed by all, especially your grandchildren whom you adored as I do mine. Guess you are singing up in heaven now and looking down upon your family and friends. May your family find peace in the days and years ahead. God Bless your family and watch over them.

*Sharon Peacher*

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**Sharon Peacher** - September 09, 2016 at 02:48 PM

CW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Lots of fond memories of Sunday Dinners. She was a special lady.

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**Cathy Wolford** - September 09, 2016 at 01:17 PM

SK

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Kay was such a sweet lady ! I enjoyed speaking to her whenever she had to plan a church trip !

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**Sarah Kelly** - September 09, 2016 at 08:28 AM

YD

“ YVONNE DEEMER purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson.



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**YVONNE DEEMER** - September 09, 2016 at 07:47 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson.



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September 08, 2016 at 11:55 PM

LS

“ We know that to be absent from the body is to be present with the lord. Kay was loved and cherished by many. Larry, if you ever want to talk or visit you are always welcome. Mom and Dad and our whole family have you in our thoughts and prayers.



*Larry and Connie Short  
Spartanburg, SC*

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**Larry & Connie Short** - September 08, 2016 at 10:35 PM

SH

“ *Sandy Hall purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson.*



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**Sandy Hall** - September 08, 2016 at 10:04 PM

BF

“ *I've known Kay since 1969. I am so shocked by this news! My heartfelt condolences to Larry and her daughters and grandchildren. I'm so very sorry. Barbara Laughlin Fortner*

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**barbara fortner** - September 08, 2016 at 09:30 PM

DE

“ *We, the cousins, were brought up to be like brothers and sisters. Now one is missing from the fold. Kay you are leaving a big hole in our special circle and your absence will be felt until we meet again. You have left each of us with fond memories of our times together through the years. They will always be remembered. May you rest in peace throughout eternity.*

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**DeeDee** - September 08, 2016 at 09:08 PM

MS

“ *So sorry to hear of Kay's passing. The Nelson family is in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Mary Snapp** - September 08, 2016 at 08:01 PM

DC

“ Dick and Marlene Cavaiola purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson.



Dick and Marlene Cavaiola - September 08, 2016 at 07:47 PM



“ Majestic Heart was purchased for the family of Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson.



September 08, 2016 at 06:47 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson.



September 08, 2016 at 06:46 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson.



September 08, 2016 at 06:39 PM

SS

“ Sue Seymour lit a candle in memory of Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson



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**Sue Seymour** - September 08, 2016 at 05:33 PM

SM

“ Carrie,  
To you and all of your family, I am so very sorry for this deep, sudden loss. I feel so fortunate that we got to know Kay and watch her work her magic with people and events. She was a leader, and a steward of good Christian life. God allowed her the grace to flow through this life with love, kindness, and humility. She was a beautiful person and it will live on with the memories she helped create. Peace to all of you.

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**Sylvia McDevitt** - September 08, 2016 at 05:18 PM

JS

“ We are so sorry for your loss. We first met Kay in 2006 when we were helping to plan our daughters wedding. We received so many compliments on the wedding cake she made. Kay also made the wedding cake for our second daughter in 2010 and other special occasion cakes. She even made one for a friends wedding that we transported to Ohio! Her love for her children and grandchildren was so evident in her social media posts. May God hold you close during this time and the days and months ahead.

*Jim and Gale Schafer - Spartanburg, SC*

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**Jim and Gale Schafer** - September 08, 2016 at 05:00 PM

LH

“ *Lynda R. Hanssen lit a candle in memory of  
Malissa Carrie "Kay" Nelson*



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**Lynda R. Hanssen** - September 08, 2016 at 04:52 PM