



Robbie Smith Carnes

January 4, 1929 - July 11, 2020

Robbie Smith (Oden) Carnes, formerly of Crossville, crossed over to Heaven Saturday night after a brief illness. She was 91 years of age.

She raised her two “girls” and was a “second mother” to her two sisters’ children and their families. She was the matriarch, historian, and heart of this small family.

She and her husband opened Oden piano company and later she worked at Belk, Alabama City and Crossville Banks. She was also an avid gardener, antique shopper, collector of violet-ware, and lover of hummingbirds.

She was a long time active member of the Crossville First Baptist Church and a devout Christian.

She was preceded in death by her parents, John A. and Dora Virginia Davis Smith, her two sisters, Johnnie Cagle and her daughter Johnnette, and Tommie (Black) Ward and her son, Michael Black, as well as her own grandson, Mark Coley. Robbie was preceded by her husbands, Olen Barksdale, the love of her life, and J.M. Carnes (Pawpaw).

She has two daughters, Sammye Oden Kok (Corstiaan Kok) and Terri Coley

(Gary Coley), granddaughters Brandy Ray Dinsmore Cobbs (Jerry Cobbs), Taylor Coley (William Morrison), Her great grandchildren are Will and Jack Dinsmore, Carter Morrison and Shelby Cooley, step-grandchildren, Chris Coley, Christy Coley Dodd, and William, Michael, and Stan Kok and their families. . She also leaves behind her beloved maternal niece and nephews, Shirley Cagle, Harry Cagle, and Joe Black and their families as well as all the “Odens” with whom she remained very close and loved dearly.

Her Funeral Service will be 1:30pm Wednesday, July 15, 2020 at Crossville Memorial Chapel with burial to follow at Crossville Cemetery. Rev. Wayne Tarvin will be officiating. Pallbearers will be Chris Coley, Will Dinsmore, Jack Dinsmore, Brett Conwill, Christian Coley, and William Morrison. Visitation will be 12:30 until 1:30 before the service at the funeral home.

Crossville Memorial Chapel Directing

Cemetery Details

Crossville Cemetery

Hwy 68
Crossville, AL 35962

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 15. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Crossville Memorial Chapel
13812 Al Highway 68
Crossville, AL 35962
(256) 528-2500

Service

JUL 15. 1:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Carole, Wes, Heather Wesson and David Richardson purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Robbie Smith Carnes.*



Carole, Wes, Heather Wesson and David Richardson - July 14, 2020 at 02:06 PM

DH

“ *Dominick Feld Hyde purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Robbie Smith Carnes.*



Dominick Feld Hyde - July 14, 2020 at 01:14 PM

MC

“ *Much love, Tim and Janice Clayborn purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Robbie Smith Carnes.*



Much love, Tim and Janice Clayborn - July 14, 2020 at 11:25 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Robbie Smith Carnes.*



July 14, 2020 at 11:06 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robbie Smith Carnes.*



July 14, 2020 at 10:28 AM



“ *MS. Robbie or as she said just Robbie will do, She was a very sweet lady. And a Great teacher of history. I value my friendship with her, Robbie always made me feel as though I were part of the family. In the short time of knowing Robbie, she taught me so much of many things. I enjoyed our conversations of JESUS Our LORD, and her telling me to ask GOD for direction when I'm feeling alone. Robbie said JESUS WILL ALWAYS FIND YOU SOMETHING TO DO. SHE IS IN HEAVEN now with peace and joy. I know We are to rejoice in the going home to our LORD. But the pain of her passing is present in my heart. I will truly miss you ROBBIE , your sweet humble way's. I will always hold you in my heart so full of love. I will see you again in heaven above.*



Marie hembree - July 14, 2020 at 09:06 AM

TE

Marie, thanks is so much!
Terri

terri - July 14, 2020 at 08:45 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased
for the family of Robbie Smith Carnes.*



July 13, 2020 at 07:43 PM