



Rosalie Kefauver

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Rosalie Kefauver of Bridgeville, DE went to be with the Lord on Wednesday, May 16, 2012, with her family by her bedside in her home.

Rosalie was born in Cambridge, MD on December 30, 1924, daughter of the late Howard and Maggie (Harding) Short. She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star, Chapter 62, Delaware Grange, Atlanta Homemakers, Bridgeville Ladies Auxiliary and The Flower - Garden Association. She was a homemaker who worked on the family chicken farm and for Greenwood Senior Center for 17 years.

She is survived by her children: daughter Sandy Smith and son David Kefauver both of Bridgeville; grandchildren: Philip Lord, Jr., Darlene McDonald, both of Bridgeville, Jessica Kefauver of Palm Coast, FL and Heather Collins of Federalsburg, MD; three great-grandchildren; and a twin sister Dorothy Lee Windsor of Cambridge, MD.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 43 years, Nelson M. Kefauver, a son Nelson H. Kefauver, a grandson Duke Lord, six brothers and seven sisters.

Funeral services with Rev. Denzil Cheek officiating will be held on Tuesday, May 22, 2012, at 2:00 PM at Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Hardesty Chapel, 202 Laws Street, Bridgeville, DE. Friends may call at the funeral home beginning at 12:00 Noon. Burial will be in Bridgeville Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Delaware Hospice, 100 Patriots Way, Milford, DE 19963 or bring a bouquet of flowers from your yard.

Please sign Mrs. Kefauver's online guestbook at this site.

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CS

Connie Shockley posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you. Your Mom will rest in peace now. Take Care.

May 29 at 8:00 PM

DG

Doris Griffin posted:

Sandy, Sorry to hear of your mother's passing. I looked forward to seeing her at the Greenwood Cheer Center. She always had a smile for everyone. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

May 25 at 8:00 PM

WB

Wanda Byington posted:

The services were beautiful for Mommom. She looked so at peace. In the days to come please cherish all the memories and moments we had with her to carry you through this grieving process. She was the best grandmother anyone could want!! She took me under her wing when I became part of this family and never let me go. She will always hold a special place in my heart. I know she is up there dancing the days away to her country music with Poppop, Uncle Butchie and Duke (among others). She always had the best smiles and laughs. My memories will live on favorite. God Bless all of you and I love each of you!

May 21 at 8:00 PM

AB

Adina Barnett posted:

Aunt Rosalie was a wonderful very very sweet lady and she will be missed by all.

May 21 at 8:00 PM

BC

Bill&Frankie Carey posted:

Thank you for being such a sweet Lady!! I will miss that great smile!! You always made me feel at home, even though I'm not from here!! Sandy& David & Family we are so sorry for your loss!! May God Bless you!!

May 21 at 8:00 PM



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PK

Paul M. Kovack Sr posted:

I am so sorry I missed the services Sandy and David. You were blessed to have such a nice mother

May 21 at 8:00 PM

C6

Caroline Chapter # 62 Oes posted:

May love bring you comfort and time Bring You peace.Star love , Joan Adams MaloneyWorthy Matron

May 20 at 8:00 PM

LH

Lynn Hale posted:

Sandy, I am sorry to hear of your loss. Please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. May the Lord comfort you in your time of sorrow.

May 20 at 8:00 PM

LM

Lisa Turner & Gary Mason posted:

Sandy and family,Our thoughts are with you and your family during this time, Rosalie was a wonderful person and mother to all.See you on Tuesday.L & G

May 20 at 8:00 PM



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DH

Debbie Hall posted:

Dearest Aunt Rosalie, My memories of you are so precious. As a child I always enjoyed my time at your home. You put up with a lot of tadpoles, picking your flowers, skinned knees and Sandy and I staying up giggling all night. Always had the best meals on the table, music to dance by and let us kids stay up late watching Twilight Zone and Hitchcock. (i still have nightmares). I learned from you how to cook a chicken "from scratch, milk a goat, gather eggs and have fun on a farm. I will always cherish the night in Florida as adults I took you to see the big Live Oak tree in the middle of New Smyrna all decorated for Christmas and you looked at it in astonishment. We had our first "grown-up" talk that night and I realized just how wonderful a person you were. A great mother, aunt and friends to many. I am so sorry to hear of your passing but I know Uncle Nelson, Butch, Duke, Dad, Mom and your many other brothers and sisters, and many many friends that have passed before you in Heaven are so glad to see you again. I'm sure Dad grabbed you for the first dance (you two shook many a leg together) You will be greatly missed here on earth but we rejoice that you are young and healthy and watching over us today. I am so sorry I cannot be there for your family at this time but they know my heart aches for them. Gods speed and I will see you again some day in Gods kingdom and we will sing "In the Garden" together again. Love and miss you ,Debbie

May 18 at 8:00 PM

JN

J Nunnally posted:

I am sorry to learn of your family sorrow. The death of a loved one is painful. If I may, I'd like to share scripture found in your Bible that may comfort you in some way. Please take a moment to read John 6:40, 44, Ps. 36:9, 37:29.

May 18 at 8:00 PM

JC

Judy Moore (Cordrey) posted:

Sandy so sorry about your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Take care of yourself. Love ya

May 17 at 8:00 PM

LF

Lois Fura posted:

Dear Sandy, I'm so sorry for your loss, your mom was such a sweet, loving and caring person. I know heaven just received one of the most special angels. You meant the world to your mom and are a wonderful reflection of her in the way you treat people with respect, kindness and love. She was so proud of you and will truly be missed. You are in our hearts and prayers, Lois, Ed, April and Jake Your New York Family :-)

May 17 at 8:00 PM



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Wanda L. Stewart posted:

Dear Sandy, We love you and just know we are thinking of you and your family. love Bill & Wanda

May 17 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Rosalie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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