



Faye Marie (Griffith) Hancock

December 5, 1954 - October 3, 2021

Faye Marie (Griffith) Hancock, 66, of Huntsville was born December 5, 1954 to Virginia Marie (Ferguson) and Clet Edward Griffith and passed from her loved ones on October 3, 2021.

“Matriarch” does not begin to describe Faye but it is the only word in the English language that could come close to explaining the love this woman had for her family. “Family” is used lightly here because, actually, if she ever met you, you were family to her. “In-laws” didn't exist, it was family. “Friends” did not exist, they were family. Simply put, family meant everything to Faye. Protecting her family was her only goal in life and she was fierce at it. Faye put her family first to the very end, always worrying more about them than herself. Even as she was sick, her mind was more on her husband having to drive back and forth to the hospital than it was on her own illness.

Faye took great pride in her husband Ralph and everything he does for her and their family. Her great unconditional love for her husband and commitment to their marriage was a way of being that everyone should strive for. Spending 50 years married and then being able to count how many times you've spent apart in all of those years is an accomplishment you do not hear of.

Faye had a special bond with each one of her kids, grandkids and great grandkids— each one being a bond unique from the other. She was their

protector, their provider, their shoulder and their anchor. None of us feel we deserved the love she gave us every day but she gave it anyway.

Faye was hotheaded and mean as fire but in a good way. Anyone that knew her knew that they were going to hear what she had to say even if they didn't want to but they also loved her for that very reason. She would never tell you what you wanted to hear, she always told you what you needed to hear.

Faye had a wonderful gift for making you laugh until you cried or, if you were upset, she could turn your tears into laughter. She had an intuition for that and would do whichever she felt you needed at the time.

We will not ever truly enjoy peanut butter cookies, peanut brittle or coleslaw again because if you knew her then you know that, hands down, Faye was better than anyone at making those things. She cooked with love, she seasoned with love and her family thoroughly enjoyed every bite of everything she ever created for them.

To say that Faye will be greatly missed isn't words enough but missed she will be- immeasurably so.

Faye was preceded in death by son Joey Hancock, brother Bruce Griffith, mother Virginia Marie Daniels and many more loved ones waiting to see her. She is survived by her loving husband of 50 years, Ralph Eugene Hancock; sons Kevin Ray Hancock, Aaron Eugene Hancock and Brandon Ray Hancock; daughters Shelly Dawn Jenkins and Noel Dawn Hancock; grandsons Anthony Hancock, Harley Hancock and Daxton Hancock; granddaughter Sunshine Hancock; great grandsons Bryson Tyler Ames and Zacharia Hancock; great granddaughter Kaydence LilyAnn McRae; sisters Sandra Treat and Connie Davidson; brother Scott Griffith; and many aunts, uncle's, nieces, nephews and extended family.

Viewing will be Friday, Oct. 8 at 10am at Sisco Funeral Chapel in Springdale with a funeral immediately following at 11am.

Online condolences may be left at www.siscofuneral.com

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Sisco Funeral Chapel
705 West Meadow
Springdale, AR 72764
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Faye Marie (Griffith) Hancock*

January 21, 2023 at 02:29 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Faye Marie (Griffith) Hancock.*



October 07, 2021 at 10:47 AM



“ *Faye came into our family when I was only eight years old. I remember a few times when Mom and Dad went out somewhere together and Faye came to watch us kids while they were out. I was always thrilled when she did. As a little boy I was crazy about her, she would make us laugh and was a great babysitter. I remember the day she and my brother got married. I was walking home from school for lunch and as I came up our street I saw them leaving with my dad and they acted on top of the world. I didn't know where they were going but I wanted to go, it seemed liked they were all going somewhere fun. She was more than my sister-in-law, she was my sister.*

Dwight Hancock - October 07, 2021 at 12:30 AM



I don't think I ever heard her say the word in-laws when she spoke about any of you all! It was always brother/sister/mom/dad

Shelly Jenkins - October 07, 2021 at 09:18 PM

AC

“ I've known Faye (second mom) since I was 13 years old. She was always a second mom to me growing up when I would go stay all night with Shelly, She was always so kind and treated me if i was her own. I will miss you very much! Love you Faye!

Amanda Cooper - October 06, 2021 at 12:30 PM

SJ

She loved you too Amanda! She spoke of me you and Marty so often!

Shelly Jenkins - October 06, 2021 at 09:39 PM

TD

“ I am sorry for your loss. I only met Faye once or twice at Aunt Mary's years ago; she seemed really nice.

Teresa Dreier - October 06, 2021 at 10:22 AM

LW

“ Faye was more of a sister than a sister-in-law. As a child, I always thought she was my sister until I was a teenager. We loved her dearly and I know mom loved her as a daughter. Prayers for the family. May God give peace that passes all understanding.

lucinda whitfield - October 06, 2021 at 09:29 AM

SJ

Like it says she didn't have inlaws she had family ❤️

Shelly Jenkins - October 06, 2021 at 09:39 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Faye Marie (Griffith) Hancock.*



October 06, 2021 at 01:20 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Shelly Jenkins - October 05, 2021 at 10:53 PM



“ *My Grandma was a one n only!! She was indeed brave enough to do anything she wanted. Her coleslaw and mush was one of my favorites to eat, every time I would go over to her house I'd be like "hey grandma wanna make me some mush" and sure enough she would always do it!! I just want to thank her for everything she did for me she was amazing! She was always texting me " what do you want me to make you next time you come over for dinner" and every time I would go over it was always so good and we had a good time. I love you so much Grandma you were such a blessing to me*❤️

Sunshine - October 05, 2021 at 05:40 PM



Perfectly said!!!

diane johnson - October 05, 2021 at 06:34 PM

PA

Her mush was so good. 💕

paige - October 06, 2021 at 10:04 PM