



Patricia Hodges Sanders

March 13, 2011

Patricia Hodges Sanders, 78 of Kennesaw died on Sunday, March 13, 2011.

"To everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven."

~Ecclesiastes 3:1

Sunday morning, in the twinkling of an eye, Patricia Hodges Sanders stepped out of this world and into the presence of God at the age of 78. She was a devoted wife of 50 years, a wonderful mother, and the greatest grandmother on earth to her five grandchildren.

The family will hold a visitation on Wednesday, March 16 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at the Mayes Ward-Dobbins Funeral home. Memorial services will be held at the same location at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 17 with a burial service following at Kennesaw Memorial Park.

A loving and caring woman, Pat demonstrated kindness to all. She was a true animal-lover, particularly fond of her Siberian huskies. Pat also enjoyed watching and caring for the birds that would flock to the numerous feeders she carefully maintained at her home of 45 years. An avid reader, she demonstrated a love for knowledge her whole life long. Pat attended NorthStar Church in Kennesaw and exemplified the biblical principle of laying down one's life for others.

One of Pat's greatest joys was to be an active part of her grandchildren's lives, and she orchestrated her life around being as involved as she could. Whether it was watching one of her grandson's ballgames, hosting a Saturday night sleepover at Grammy's house or cooking Sunday supper for her granddaughter, Pat demonstrated over and over again that being a grandmother was a high priority in her life. Patricia Hodges Sanders is survived by her husband, Tye C. Sanders, her daughters Melinda Sanders Hinkson, Stephanie Sanders Moore and Cynthia Rochelle Sanders as well as her beloved grandchildren, Kayte Alyse Moore, Jacob Dale Moore, Joshua Patrick Lambert, Brandon Tyler Hinkson, and Brian Patrick Hinkson.

Comments



“ Dear, dear Mindy, Paul, and your unmatched, precious boys--Brandon and Brion, ****In my deep prayer, I trust the Holy Spirit is truly winging my heart to you. God be praised in thanksgiving for the bright glow always around you along with your admirable sisterhood of friendship with my own sister. What rays of God's only Son always gave and continue giving light through the blessed motherhood and grandmotherhood of Pat. Those gifts are real and priceless. How I truly believe my own mother, Bunny, AND my father, Rick, whom YOU so loved are joining in heaven's smiles having met and now know YOUR mother. Know the smile of my own heart is there, not in Virginia only, right now, tomorrow, and in all the "nows" and "tomorrows" God wills here on this earth and in His own Eternal Kingdom. Life is indeed forever nourished by and through Jesus, our Lord, Redeemer, and Brother, too. My arms and eyes are holding you lovingly with tears of quiet joy.
--Bernadette/Bern [Arico]

Bernadette Arico - March 16, 2011 at 06:14 PM



“ Mindy, Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family...Just remember all the goodtimes that were shared and just what a great person and friend your mother was to you and your children...She loved you all very much.

Ed & Patty Redmond - March 16, 2011 at 03:20 PM



“ Although we can't be with you while you remember your mother/grandmother, you all are in our thoughts and prayers.
The Ricci Family

The Ricci Family - March 16, 2011 at 10:21 AM



“ Cynthia,

I am so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you, Josh and your family during this very difficult time.

Christy & Family

Christy Burns - March 15, 2011 at 11:14 PM



“ We are so sorry to hear of the passing of your dear love one. She was a very special lady. Praying that God will be with you all and comfort you in this difficult time.

Joseph & Tempie Moore - March 15, 2011 at 03:23 PM