



Mrs. JoAnn R. Stanton

March 23, 2015

STANTON, JoAnn R. "Bug", 75, of Plant City, Florida, entered into eternal rest on March 23, 2015. She was a member of Lebanon Baptist Church. She loved her family, and enjoyed cooking for her grandchildren. She is survived by her children, Charlotte Burns (Jimmy), Charles R. "Bobby" Stanton, Jr., and Rhonda Dykes (Tracy); grandchildren, Kevin Burns (Shannon), SGT Brian Burns USMC (Nicole), Amanda Burns (Jennifer), "Lil Bobby" Stanton, Jessica Stevens (Kris), and Daisy Dykes; great-granddaughters, Bella Ann Burns, and Madison Kaye Stevens; and siblings, Evelyn Brown, J.W. Rayburn (Frances), and Ronnie Rayburn. A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, March 28 at 11:00 A.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 CR 39 S, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10:00 A.M. Interment to follow at Central Cemetery, Lithia. Expressions of condolence at www.HopewellFuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Central Baptist Cemetery

Lithia, FL

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

MAR 28. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. JoAnn R. Stanton



Hopewell Funeral Home - March 27, 2015 at 11:09 AM

PR

“ 1 file added to the album Life Tributes



Pam Rogers - March 28, 2015 at 10:38 AM

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“ Pam Rogers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. JoAnn R. Stanton



Pam Rogers - March 28, 2015 at 10:35 AM



“ Charlotte Stanton-Burns lit a candle in memory of Mrs. JoAnn R. Stanton



Charlotte Stanton-Burns - March 28, 2015 at 06:53 AM



“ Rhonda Stanton-Dykes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. JoAnn R. Stanton



Rhonda Stanton-Dykes - March 27, 2015 at 09:49 PM



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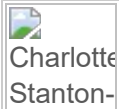
Hopewell Funeral Home - March 26, 2015 at 01:01 PM

SK

“ *Sally Carson Kimmel lit a candle in memory of Mrs. JoAnn R. Stanton*



Sally Carson Kimmel - March 26, 2015 at 09:42 AM



Charlotte Stanton-Burns

Thank you Sally. ..means a lot to us !

Charlotte Stanton-Burns - March 27, 2015 at 12:21 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. JoAnn R. Stanton.*

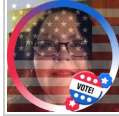


March 26, 2015 at 08:52 AM

EB

“ *A Q&A We miss you so much, "Buggett". Our loss is tremendous. However in the past few week's we have watched you suffer, both physically and emotionally. My prayer became God's Will be done. It seems God's Will was for you to "Walk the Dark Hills", on a journey from which you wouldn't return. You wouldn't want to. You have arrived to a beautiful place called Heaven, where You, Mom, Dad, Geoffrey, Kevin, Eilene. And other Loved Ones and Friends will be "Together Again". Jesus welcomed you , maybe with these words "Hello Darlin". Praise the Lord! Saying Goodbye . I love you, Sis*

Evelyn Brown - March 25, 2015 at 09:56 PM



Sissy that was lovely. And it was Gods will. The selfish me wants her here so I can call her on the phone just to ask "whatcha doin'", but I know she's in a better place. I will always love her.

Rhonda Stanton-Dykes - March 25, 2015 at 11:22 PM



My mommy, a beautiful angel now...I too want to have her back with us...but I am at peace knowing she is healthy again and not suffering ...I love you Mommy💔💔💔💔

Charlotte Stanton-Burns - March 26, 2015 at 07:39 PM



“ Charlotte,

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this special time. Proverbs 3:5-6 Trust in the Lord with all your heart and do not lean on your own understandings. In all of your ways acknowledge him and he will set straight your paths. Love you Charlotte! So deeply sorry for your loss. Keep your chin up! :) xoxox

*Love,
The Stickney Family
(David, Heather, Mason, Lit. David & Caleb)*

Heather Stickney - March 25, 2015 at 07:29 PM



Love you Heather. .I am truly blessed to have you in my life. God bless you and your sweet family💕

Charlotte Stanton-Burns - March 25, 2015 at 08:32 PM

LC

“ *Lisa Camp lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
JoAnn R. Stanton*



Lisa Camp - March 25, 2015 at 07:07 PM



Charlotte
Stanton-

Thank you Lisa. .love you!

Charlotte Stanton-Burns - March 27, 2015 at 12:22 PM

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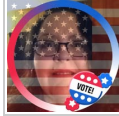
“ I came to know this wonderful family so many years ago that I can't even remember when it all began. Charlotte and I were in school together and played softball on the same team for a long time. Mrs. Stanton seldom missed a practice or a game and hauled us around plenty of times. Bobby was there to cheer us on. I remember her big smile and her joking around with us. As we grew a bit older, it was my pleasure to work with Rhonda and Evelyn at the Holiday Inn. Eventually life took us in different directions but the memories never faded. Recently, I had the good fortune to speak with JoAnn on the phone and promised I would get by to see her. Last week Charlotte told me that her mom was in a hospice center. There was no way the opportunity would slip by and I would never again have the opportunity to fulfill my promise. Sunday was reunion day at the hospice center. When I walked in the room and asked JoAnn if she remembered me, she flashed that big smile, took my hand and said "yes....Lisa Camp". We reminisced for a few hours about the great times we'd had. Charlotte and Rhonda were there and Bobby was on the phone. Bug was asking Bobby to make her some biscuits and sausage gravy. She was so proud of her family. Countless times I heard her tell her family that she loved them. She didn't have to say it. It was obvious. Toward the end of our visit, Evelyn "Sissy" arrived and the fun started all over again. Certainly Heaven has a new angel. JoAnn would never stand for sadness in her passing. After all, we all have a job to do and we need to get busy! Right JoAnn??? :) The love remains in our hearts forever. Farewell my dear friend~ Until we meet again~

Lisa Camp Martin - March 25, 2015 at 07:06 PM



Lisa. ...thank you for all you have done for mom...you're a good person who we are fortunate to have in our lives. All I can say is we love you and will always cherish you! 💕💕💕💕💕

Charlotte Stanton-Burns - March 25, 2015 at 08:37 PM



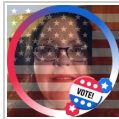
Thank you Lisa. What a fitting tribute. Tears are flowing reading this. That was the last day she really felt somewhat able to laugh if only just a little while. No other can fill the void left in my heart. I will always cherish my beautiful Mama 💕

Rhonda Stanton-Dykes - March 25, 2015 at 11:15 PM

ES

Joann was a dear friend of mine. Our friendship goes way back. We shared some good times together, time that still brings a smile to my face today. This I know.....Heaven is sweeter with you there. I love you, and will miss you terrible, my friend. May you. R.I.P.

Eloise Smith - March 26, 2015 at 10:09 AM



Thank you Eloise. She spoke of you many times! Always fond memories. We would talk about when we were kids and all hung out together. I miss her terribly, but I know she's with her King suffering no more 😊

Rhonda Stanton-Dykes - March 26, 2015 at 04:11 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. JoAnn R. Stanton.*



March 25, 2015 at 03:11 PM

BR

“ *I loved JoAnn. She was a Caring & Kind Neighbor & Christian Friend!
I will miss her immensely!
Betty Lou Roach*

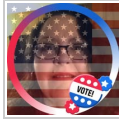
Betty Lou Roach - March 25, 2015 at 02:14 PM



Charlotte Stanton-

*Thank you Betty Lou
..she loved you as well...we all do..God bless you! !!*

Charlotte Stanton-Burns - March 25, 2015 at 08:40 PM



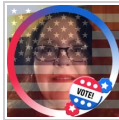
Thank you Mrs. Roach. You're kind words mean so much!

Rhonda Stanton-Dykes - March 25, 2015 at 09:54 PM



“ *So very sorry to hear about Ms Stanton. I sure did enjoy coming out to see her. My thoughts and love.*

Sara with Baycare Home Health - March 25, 2015 at 12:37 PM



Thank you Sara. I'm sure she enjoyed seeing you 😊

Rhonda Stanton-Dykes - March 25, 2015 at 11:01 PM



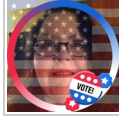
“ *I remember how much you loved the crumbs from Long John Silver's... I think you liked them more than everything else... You were a very loving mother and grandmother... I saw that many times... When I first met you... you scared me, though... Until, when you gave me your first hug.. It was so warm and tender and I knew then that you had a great deal of love in your heart... You will be missed, Bug!*

Warren Brown - March 25, 2015 at 08:52 AM



Thank you Warren..

charlotte burns - March 25, 2015 at 11:28 AM



Thank you Warren. My mother will be sorely missed 😞

Rhonda Stanton-Dykes - March 25, 2015 at 11:05 PM

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“ *Stephanie Stanton Vazquez lit a candle in memory of Mrs. JoAnn R. Stanton*

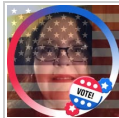


Stephanie Stanton Vazquez - March 24, 2015 at 03:17 PM

SV

Going to miss your laughter Aunt Jo_Ann ??

Stephanie Stanton Vazquez - March 24, 2015 at 03:23 PM



Thank you Stephanie. We will miss her so much!

Rhonda Stanton-Dykes - March 25, 2015 at 11:02 PM