



## Mrs. Julia Royster Todd

October 29, 2013

Julia "Judy" Carol Royster Todd, 64, of Plant City, Florida, left this earthly world on October 29, 2013, and joined her Heavenly Father. She is survived by her husband of 25 years Willie Todd; daughters Diane Todd (Bobby), Kristie Ruiz (Alex), and Kim Watkins; brothers D.J. and Larry Royster; 9 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. She was preceded in death by her parents Julian and Edna Mae Royster, and many family members who greeted her in Heaven. Julia worked 31 years at Cork Elementary School in dietary services retiring in 2012. Her family was the center of her world and her kindness and her gentle spirit will always be cherished. The family would like to thank the Palliative Care Staff at Lakeland Regional and the staff of Good Shepherd Hospice. A Celebration of life will be held on Mon., Nov. 4 at 3:00 P.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 CR 39 S., Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 2:00 P.M. Interment in Hopewell Memorial Gardens, Plant City. Expressions of condolence at [www.wecare.io](http://www.wecare.io)

# Cemetery Details

## Hopewell Memorial Gardens

6005 County Road 39 South  
Plant City, FL 33567  
(813) 737-3128  
office@hopewellfuneral.com  
<https://www.hopewellfuneral.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 4. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Julia Royster Todd



Hopewell Funeral Home - October 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ I'm so proud to have you as a sister-in law. You never had a mean word to say about anyone. I love and miss you. Ruthie Cody

RUTHIE CODY - November 05, 2013 at 12:47 PM



“ Judy my precious sister in law my prayers are with your family Diane Kristy Kim Willie .A mothers love is unconditional we try to fix things keep our family happy But most of all God loves us with ever lasting love Your in the arms of Jesus now tell all our loved ones hello I remember when you were taking care of your mom and dad I asked if I could help you said no I know cause you thought it would be a burden but wouldn't have been I love you to me you were still my sister in law linda see you on the other side sis love forever linda

linda feaster - November 02, 2013 at 12:30 PM

KH

“ *What can I say except God called already an angel here on earth home. Judy Carol you will be missed. I remember all those summers I would come and stay with you. We would go to the races over in Tampa and when it was good and hot we would load up and go to Crystal Spring or Lythia Springs State Park for a whole day of swimming and eating. There was never a dull time, we always had something going. I sure will miss you and I loved you like my sister I never had. You have always been a God fearing woman and I know you are up in Heaven rejoicing with all our loved ones gone on before. Until we meet again. Kathy Ann Lehman Hughes*

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**Kathy Lehman Hughes** - November 02, 2013 at 11:07 AM

LF

“ *Judy Carol and I are first cousins. We grew up together visiting each other's house. We did a lot of playing house and exploring the city dump across the street from her house to see what we could find. Growing up my family would visit their house on Sunday afternoons and vice versa. Judy Carol was a generous, kind, and loving person.*

*I never heard her say one bad word against another person. The last time I saw her was at my mom's (Lena) funeral.*

*Judy Carol, I know you are at full peace now in the arms of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. What a great reunion you must be having with your parents, my parents, Wiley and Lena, and all the other relatives and friends.*

*To Willie, Diane, Kristie, and Kim we send our deepest sympathy. May Christ envelope you in His love with peace and understanding. We love you guys. Wish we were able to attend the services. We will be there in prayer and spirit.*

*Until we met again,  
From the family of Larry and Linda Frederick  
Taylorsville, KY*

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**Linda Frederick** - November 01, 2013 at 10:08 AM

SJ

“ I remember You and I playing drive around the front yard in Larry's truck and You would not let Him in it and You jumped out and told me to keep driving Me not even being a teen Yet but just starting to drive He sure got mad at me for keeping on driving and not letting Him in but I did what You said We had a Great Laugh Even the last time We met a couple years back We still had a good laugh about it. I will always Remember the 67 mustang You had You would take Me for rides and buy Me a coke and boiled peanuts . I think as we are growing up in the moment we do not realize those's will be the most fun time we have in Our life's . You was the Best Sister in-law But to Me You was like a big Sister God Give's Us Special People that come in Our Life and You was truly one of them. I never forget the Time We took Dianne Trick or treating for the first time Kristie was just a baby We had boiled peanuts and coke's that night We sure had fun. You would let Little Larry and I come over and spend the night at the same time and Him and I would watch Hee- Haw We had so much fun and Little Larry and I would sing the Hee- haw song and just laugh. These are the thing's I remember about You The Love You showed the Kindness The sweet spirit about You . As I sit here and write this The sun is coming in through the window I know there are some Bright smile's in Heaven this Morning. Tell Dad Your Mom And Dad to save a Hug for Me When I get There I will Give them one back and You one to Sissie. I love You . Dianne , Kristie, Kim and Willie We are sorry for Your loss and will Keep You All in Our Prayer's . Nancy and I send Our Love to You and Keep You All close to Our Hearts.



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**Steve James** - November 01, 2013 at 08:54 AM