



## Mrs. Kathleen Collins

July 6, 1934 - December 29, 2016

Kathleen Collins, 82, of Dover, Florida, born in Clarksburg, West Virginia, on July 6, 1934, entered into eternal rest on December 29, 2016. She was preceded in death by her husbands, Owen Whitmer and Robert Collins; and son, David Whitmer. She is survived by her children, Steven Whitmer (Dorothy) of Elizabeth, Pennsylvania and Brenda Benefield (David) of Dover; sister, Linda Bender of Bethel Park, Pennsylvania; and 12 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren, and 3 great-great-grandchildren. Expressions of condolence at [www.HopewellFuneral.com](http://www.HopewellFuneral.com).

# Tribute Wall

BB

“ *It's been 3 months and still feels like it's not real. Missing you everyday. EVERYDAY! Hug daddy's and David's necks for me. Till we see each other again.*

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**Brenda Benefield** - March 30, 2017 at 09:52 AM



“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. The Bible makes this comforting promise: "Jehovah is close to the brokenhearted, he saves those who are crushed in spirit." (Psalm 34:18) It also assures us: "Throw your burden on Jehovah, and he will sustain you." (Psalm 55:22) May these thoughts bring you a measure of comfort at this difficult time.*

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**K** - January 06, 2017 at 11:02 PM

BB

*May I ask who you are?*

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**Brenda Benefield** - January 09, 2017 at 07:43 AM

RH

“ *My grandmother came up to visit my Dad when he was sick and it meant so much to him and our family.*

*I am sorry to hear about her passing, however, I know she is in a place far better than we could ever imagine.*

*During this time, I hope those closest to my grandmother can find peace and comfort.*


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**rebecca hersan** - January 03, 2017 at 10:20 PM

BB

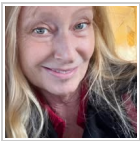
*Thank you so much Becca.*

**Brenda Benefield** - January 05, 2017 at 05:46 PM

 Teresa  
Renee

“ *Daddy and Grandma are reunited in Heaven together. My heart goes out to my family during this difficult time.*

**Teresa Renee** - January 03, 2017 at 04:28 PM



“ *Brenda I was deeply sadden to hear of your mom's passing. Her and I shared some good times together, she loved you guys dearly. Prayers for healing to you and your family. Love you girl and miss you.*

**Mary Whitmer** - January 03, 2017 at 03:44 PM

BB

*Mary, thank you so much. It's been hard, but she is so much better now. Love and miss you all more than you know.*

**Brenda Benefield** - January 05, 2017 at 05:49 PM

BB

“ *Momma with me and her sister Lynn.*



**Brenda Benefield** - January 03, 2017 at 10:18 AM

BB

“ I miss you beyond what you could ever know.



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**Brenda Benefield** - January 03, 2017 at 09:49 AM

TB

“ Kathleen I was fortunate to get to know you and work with you in your last days here on earth. You brought a smile all who crossed your path. I loved your sense of humor, funny gestures and sweet spirit. I will miss you dearly. You touched more lives than you will ever know.

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**Theresa Benefield** - January 02, 2017 at 06:29 PM

AR

“ My dear Aunt Kathy, you will be greatly missed. I remember the times spent on my back deck drinking cocktails and laughing for hours. You always made us laugh until our cheeks hurt! I remember the trips we made to North Carolina to see you and Uncle Bob. You are in a much better place and I know you are with your family above! Give them all hugs and kisses and save a place for me! Until we meet again! Xoxoxo

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**Angela Ricciuti** - December 31, 2016 at 10:04 AM

BB

Thank you Angel. She loved you kids like you all belonged to her. She always talked about you guys and all the kids. She LOVED going to PA for vacation!

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**Brenda Benefield** - December 31, 2016 at 06:57 PM

BB

“ Will miss you  
Have great memories  
Especially when you lived in North Carolina when we visted and the  
live crabs escaped from the cooking pot and was scattering all over  
kitchen floor lol!

Butch bender - December 31, 2016 at 09:40 AM

LB

“ Sis remembering us sitting on the deck with our Samuel Adams,  
here's to you ,Rest in peace. I will ALWAYS love you .  
Love WAYNE

Linda Bender - December 31, 2016 at 09:07 AM

HM

“ Heather Morrell lit a candle in memory of Mrs.  
Kathleen Collins



Heather Morrell - December 31, 2016 at 02:05 AM

RB

Sorry for your loss, God bless you and your family!

Robbin Branch - December 31, 2016 at 02:41 AM

LB

“ My Dearest Sis, You were more like a mom to me. You and I had  
many wonderful times together. I LOVE you forever and a day.  
Your Baby girl (Linda Carol )

Linda Bender - December 30, 2016 at 07:33 PM

JD

“ *Brenda-  
Kate and I want you to know how deeply we feel the loss of your Mom. She was, in a word, unique, and we both enjoyed some snappy repartee with her on her visits to Pittsburgh. We always considered her a dear friend, regardless of the miles between us.*

*Know that she is in our prayers, as are you, during these trying times. God bless you, and keep you, and comfort you.*

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**John and Kate DeLallo** - December 30, 2016 at 11:24 AM

 Teresa  
Renee

“ *Teresa Renee lit a candle in memory of Mrs.  
Kathleen Collins*



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**Teresa Renee** - December 30, 2016 at 06:59 AM

BB

“ *Brenda Benefield lit a candle in memory of  
Mrs. Kathleen Collins*



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**Brenda Benefield** - December 30, 2016 at 12:40 AM

HM

“ *Grandma u will truly be missed...I have so many memories of us when i was growing up....i sit back and laugh about...I know u are in a better place and your not suffering no more....love u ..*

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**Heather Morrell** - December 29, 2016 at 10:34 PM