



## Mrs. Mary Alice Adams

January 9, 2014

Adams, Mary Alice Kendall, 67, of Plant City, Florida passed away on January 9, 2014 after 16 years of her battle with Non Hodgkin's Lymphoma. She was born in East Liverpool, Ohio and was a registered nurse in the state of Florida for 45 years. Mary was passionate about nursing and making a difference in the lives of children she provided care for. Mary is survived by her husband Bill Adams; 4 children Gregg Ganas Jr. (Melanie), Heather Patrick (Chuck), Teresa Adams, and Kristi Dean (Robbie); and 5 grandchildren Evan Ganas, Garrett Ganas, Kennedy Dean, Dillon Patrick, and Haydon Patrick. A Celebration of life will be held on Mon., Jan. 13 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 Pelote Cemetery, Lithia. In lieu of flowers memorial donations can be made to UF Hematology Oncology Education and Research Fund# F001057. Check made payable to UF Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 14425, Gainesville, FL 32604. Expressions of condolence at [www.wecare.io](http://www.wecare.io)

# Cemetery Details

## Alderman-Pelote Cemetery

Pelote Cemetery Road  
Lithia, FL 33547

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 13. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Hopewell Funeral Home  
6005 County Road 39 South  
Plant City, FL 33567  
(813) 737-3128  
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## Celebration of Life

JAN 13. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

JM

“ I was privileged to be a neighbor to Mary and Bill. We shared a love of dogs. She was a great storyteller and just a very good person. She will be missed.

Joan Hallgren Miller - January 14, 2014 at 09:24 AM



“ I count it a privilege to have worked with Mary at the Polk County Health Department a number of years ago. She was amazing and memorable! I loved the fact that she knew so many (and was known by so many) people! I am praying for God's strength and comfort to carry you through.  
Mary Stalvey

Mary Stalvey - January 13, 2014 at 06:50 PM

TW

“ We were fortunate to meet Mary & Bill when we first moved to Rabun County - our nearest neighbors. Nearly 20 years later, we considered them friends & always looked forward to seeing them, when they came to the mountains or we went to Florida. We've seen the struggle all these years, which Mary endured with grace & a sense of humor. Her suffering is over and she will be missed. Our hearts go out to Bill, Greg & Heather & their families, & we'll keep Ya'll in our prayers. Bill, consider your neck hugged. Love, Terry & Steve



Terry Wright - January 12, 2014 at 02:50 PM

KH

“ I had the privilege to work with Mary at CMS. She was a caring nurse. I enjoyed her sense of humor--she always told the best stories. I also remember that she was a great cook--she shared her corn casserole recipe with me and I'm baking it now! I never heard her complain about her medical issues--she took them in stride and carried on with her business. My prayers will be with you during this time.

*Kay Henry, RN*

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**Kay Henry** - January 12, 2014 at 10:21 AM

DJ

“ We met Mizz Mary & Mr. Bill going on 25 years ago. As time went along, we learned that they were people of their words. Kind, honest, caring - all you could want in friends. All it took was a phone call for whatever you needed and they were there.

*We are so saddened at the loss of Mary. She was a loving beautiful person inside and out. And she had to most marvelous sense of humor.*

*Dan & I send our heartfelt sympathy, prayers and love for the family. Jehovah GOD tells us we will see our loved ones again. There will be a resurrection, just as there was for Lazarus. "The righteous shall possess the earth and they will live forever on it." Psalm 27:39 <3 Jesus will lead us and pain, sickness and death shall be no more.*

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**Dan & Nadine Jackson** - January 12, 2014 at 01:58 AM