



## Jeanne Jarrett

May 15, 1947 - December 28, 2018

Jeanne Jarrett, age 71, of Erwin, passed away unexpectedly on Friday, December 28, 2018. A native of Miami, FL, Jeanne is a daughter of the late Jones Eli and Maxine (Whitt) Jarrett. She started working in 1967 at Prince George's Hospital Center, which later became Dimensions Health Corporation. She left there in 1991 to work for Professional Staff Nursing Association, affiliated with Service employees International Association Local # 1998. She and her siblings were frequent past visitors to Erwin to see their grandmother, aunts, uncles and cousins. Jeanne was happy to return here after her retirement to care for her mother. After Maxine's passing, she became active in church activities as well as part time employment at the Unicoi County Courthouse, where she worked in the Register of Deeds office and developed many close friendships. Jeanne was a giving and welcoming person who helped anyone who was in need. She enjoyed watching football and was an avid Washington Redskins and Maryland Terrapins fan. She was also a NASCAR fan, having been a distant relative of Dale Jarrett. In addition to her parents, Jeanne is preceded in death by her brother-in-law: Ralph Staubs; five cousins: Teresita, Paris, Charles, Kay and Carolyn; and numerous aunts and uncles.

Jeanne Jarrett has left behind to cherish her memory:

Twin sister: Joyce Staubs;

Brother: Terry Jarrett;

Uncle: Jerry Whitt and wife, Gay, of Unicoi;

Aunt-in-law: Maxine, of Blackshear, GA, and the late Uncle Bob Whitt;

Numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and extended family members;

Special friends: J. R. and Laiken Richardson.

Also mourning her loss is Jeanne's church family at First Christian Church in Erwin, where she served as Deacon and was a vital part of the children's program. She was much loved by everyone at First Christian Church and a favorite of all the children whose lives she touched while serving there.

The family respectfully requests the honor of your presence as we offer tribute and remember the life of Jeanne Jarrett in a memorial service to be held at 7:00 PM on

Thursday, January 3, 2019 in the chapel at Valley Funeral Home. Dr. Todd Edmundson and Reverend Andy Frazier will officiate. Musical selections will be provided by Rob Meier. A visitation period to share memories and offer support to the family will begin at 6:00 PM and will continue until service time on Thursday.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations be made in Jeanne's name to First Christian Church, 307 South Main Avenue, Erwin, TN 37650

Condolences and memories may be shared with the family and viewed at [www.valleyfuneralhome.net](http://www.valleyfuneralhome.net) <<http://www.valleyfuneralhome.net>> or on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/ValleyFuneralHomeErwin>. These arrangements are made especially for the family and friends of Jeanne Jarrett through Valley Funeral Home, 1085 N. Main Ave., Erwin, 423-743-9187.

# Cemetery

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# Events

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**Heritage Cremation Care Center**  
211 North Riverside Drive  
Elizabethton, TN, 37643

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**Visitation** 06:00PM - 07:00PM

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Valley Funeral Home  
1085 North Main Street, Erwin, TN, US, 37650

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**Celebration of Life Service** 07:00PM

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# Comments

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“ Condolences to the family.



**Deborah Corn** - January 04, 2019 at 07:20 PM

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“ Linda Butt sent a virtual gift in memory of Jeanne Jarrett



**Linda Butt** - January 02, 2019 at 08:30 PM



“ Prayers for God's comfort for Joyce and the rest of Jeanne's family and friends.

**Linda Butt** - January 02, 2019 at 08:30 PM

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“ Becky Conley lit a candle in memory of Jeanne Jarrett



**Becky Conley** - January 02, 2019 at 08:36 AM

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“ I am so glad that God allowed our paths to cross in life. We shared so many laughs at PG Hospital. Until we meet again my friend! I hope my mansion is close to yours!  
Love, Linda Dombroski.

Linda Dombroski - January 01, 2019 at 07:39 PM

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“ Rita Jensen sent a virtual gift in memory of Jeanne Jarrett



Rita Jensen - January 01, 2019 at 06:53 PM

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“ Jeannie always remembered her friends in the nursing union. I always received birthday, special occasion and nurses day cards from her. We spoke several times on the phone and she was always cheerful and encouraging. She loved her twin sister Joyce. Their hearts and desires were identical, always thinking about others. Her passing will leave a hole in the universe.  
Rita Jensen

Rita Jensen - January 01, 2019 at 06:51 PM