



## Carolyn Sue Mullins Clifton

December 24, 1955 - January 16, 2014

Big Stone Gap, VA

Carolyn Sue Mullins Clifton, 58, passed away on Thursday morning (January 16, 2014) at her home, surrounded by her family.

She was born in Appalachia, VA and was a lifelong resident of Big Stone Gap. She devoted her life to raising her children and was of the Baptist faith.

She was preceded in death by her son, Billy Ray Clifton, Jr.; her parents, Pleas and Crecie (Shepherd) Mullins; a brother, Lonnie Mullins; and a sister, Gaynella Murray.

She is survived by her husband of 39 years, Billy Ray Clifton; one daughter, Marsha Clifton, of the home; three sons, Joey Clifton of Norton, VA, Jarred Clifton and Xavier Clifton, both of the home; four grandchildren, Joey Clifton, Jr., Santanna Clifton, Alexander Clifton and Mercedes Clifton; two brothers, Roy Mullins and Pleas Mullins, Jr.; four sisters, Teresa Blair, Debbie Casteel, Sue Sampson and Sandy Daniels; and several nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends from 12 noon to 2 p.m. on Saturday at Holding Funeral Home (17 E. 3rd St., N.) in Big Stone Gap.

The funeral service will follow at 2 p.m. on Saturday in the funeral home chapel with Rev. Ralph McFarland officiating.

Final arrangements are private.

To view the obituary online and offer condolences, please visit [www.holdingfuneralhome.com](http://www.holdingfuneralhome.com).

Holding Funeral Home is serving the Clifton family.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Carolyn Sue Mullins Clifton*

October 07, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ *I wanna offer my deepest sympathy to marsha and the rest of the family god bless u guys in this time of need to just find this out truly saddens me*

*carolyn you were a great woman and like a 2nd mother when i was growing up and i will never forget you and the impact you made on my life*

**margie** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM



“ *We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Carolyn was a special lady and a loving wife, mother and grandmother. She will be missed by all who knew her. We love you all*

**Pat & Homer Maness** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM



“ *I grew up getting to know Carolyn because she was one of my best friend's mothers. Carolyn was an amazing mother and friend. She was a good Christian lady and was really the type of person who would have opened her heart and home to anyone she felt like she could help. She was genuine in soul and I will always remember her for the kind of person she was and the memories I have her growing up. She was a beautiful person.*

**Chrystal Diets** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM

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“ Carolyn and I grew up friends in Beamontown Section of BSG.(She would remember me as Little Margaret with the long blonde ponytail) We played and had many fun days as children. I so remember her parents and siblings and her little cousin the Shepard girl. We all were good friends but grew up and moved away and apart. Was so sad to here of her passing. Please know you are in my prayers and thought of very fondly. RIP

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**Margaret Jackson Cook** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM

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“ I remeber the days of our kids growing up together..I wanna offer my deepest sympathy to the family god bless you in this time of need  
carolyn you were such a dear friend and will never be forgotten

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**lovely suggs** - January 18, 2014 at 12:00 AM