



Allison Edwards Durham

October 11, 1966 - November 12, 2018

Allison Edwards Durham, 52, of 3990 Strawberry Road, Chatham, VA went home to be with Lord suddenly on November 12, 2018.

Allison was born on October 11, 1966 in the former Halifax Community Hospital in South Boston, VA, a daughter to Nancy Tucker Edwards and the late Ray Bennett Edwards. She lived most of her life in Pittsylvania County. Allison was a graduate of the Hargrave Military Academy, Class of 1984. She was one of the first group of employees hired by the Nestle Corporation of Danville where she worked for over 27 years. Allison was presently working for Columbia Forest in Chatham, VA, serving as acting supervisor. She was a member of Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church where she attended the Circle of Friends group when possible. She was attending classes offered by Columbia Forest to become an Emergency Medical Technician.

On May 17, 1997, Allison married Gary Thomas Durham, who survives of the residence. She is also survived by her mother, Nancy Tucker Edwards of Danville, three sons, William Ray Durham, Noah Edwards Durham, Garrett Wesley Durham (Sarah Scarce), one daughter, Anya Sheree Walker (Jacob), one sister, Holly E. Bailess (Christopher) of Gretna, VA, two grandchildren, Alyssa Walker, Thor Walker and one special nephew who she thought of as her own, Tucker Bailess. Allison was predeceased by her father.

Funeral Services for Allison will be conducted on Friday, November 16, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. from St. Andrews United Methodist Church at Gretna, VA, by Pastor Jimmy Calhoun. Interment will follow in the church cemetery.

The family will receive friends Thursday night from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. at the Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel and at other times be at the residence, 3990 Strawberry Road, Chatham, VA 24541. Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel is respectfully serving the Durham family.

Cemetery Details

Saint Andrews United Methodist Church

10164 East Gretna Road
Gretna, VA 24557

Previous Events

Funeral Service

NOV **16**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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10164 East Gretna Road
Gretna, VA 24557

Tribute Wall



“ *Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Allison Edwards Durham*



Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes - November 15, 2018 at 11:39 AM

HH

“ *Nancy, Gary and all of Allison's family, we send our most sincere sympathy to each of you. Allison was a beautiful lady, sweet and kind to everybody she met. She is not suffering anymore and her world is shining bright! May God grant you each His peace and love.*

Herbert & Joan Holley - November 16, 2018 at 07:11 PM

JG

“ *You will be missed. Truly a great friend.*

Joseph Goode - November 16, 2018 at 05:04 AM

TB

“ *I am so sorry for your loss! May you feel God's presence and comfort now and in the days to come!*

Tammy Bowlea - November 15, 2018 at 04:50 PM

JU

“ *i have been thinking of all of you*

Allison was such a beautiful person and always such a caring person

*i remember when she would come visit me and we would get down
in the floor and play games*

*she will be deeply missed by all
love all of you
lyn sends his blessings*

judy edwards

judy - November 15, 2018 at 12:01 PM



“ *78 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes - November 15, 2018 at 10:33 AM

BF

“ *Brenda Walton and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Allison Edwards Durham.*



Brenda Walton and Family - November 15, 2018 at 10:07 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Allison Edwards Durham.*




November 15, 2018 at 09:17 AM

DE

“ *Allison you were such a good person. Everyone that you knew you touch their lives . You will be sadly missed.*

Diane Ellis - November 15, 2018 at 09:16 AM

 Sheila
Ingram

“ *Sheila Ingram lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham*



Sheila Ingram - November 15, 2018 at 08:38 AM

DE

“ *Diane Ellis lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham*



Diane Ellis - November 15, 2018 at 08:18 AM

PD

“ *Proctor Dean lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham*



Proctor Dean - November 15, 2018 at 06:36 AM

BG

“ *So sorry to hear of Allison's passing. May you find comfort and strength in the days ahead.*

Brenda Grubbs - November 15, 2018 at 12:35 AM

BS

“ *Nancy I am so very sorry, my heart aches for you and the family. Praying for God's comfort and peace in the days ahead!*
Beth Saunders Simpson

Beth Simpson - November 14, 2018 at 09:44 PM

CS

“ gary and family so sorry for your loss...allison was a fun loving person, a pretty lady. she will be dearly missed!
cindy sparrow and shirley lynch



cindy sparrow - November 14, 2018 at 03:05 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Allison Edwards Durham.



November 14, 2018 at 02:10 PM

DS

“ Gary, we are so sorry to hear about Allison. She was a Beautiful and caring person. Know that you and the family are in our every thought and prayers.



Diane Sossoman - November 14, 2018 at 01:16 PM

DG

“ DONNA GEE lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham



DONNA GEE - November 14, 2018 at 01:09 PM

LH

“ *Continued prayers for all of Allison's family and friends. I will never forget her friendliness and her sweet smile.*



Lyn Hill - November 14, 2018 at 12:56 PM

CO

“ *Connie lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham*



Connie - November 14, 2018 at 11:58 AM

KM

“ *Kevin McDaniel lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham*



Kevin McDaniel - November 14, 2018 at 10:02 AM

KM

My thoughts and prayers are with you all!

Kevin McDaniel - November 14, 2018 at 10:03 AM

CF

“ *Colleen Hardy & Family lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham*



Colleen Hardy & Family - November 14, 2018 at 09:32 AM

CH

Nancy and Family
We are so sorry for the loss of your loved one. May God bless you and our prayers go out to all of you.

Colleen Hardy - November 14, 2018 at 09:33 AM

VR

“ *My heart goes out to the whole Family. Thoughts and prayers go out to you all.*
God Bless

Vivian Rivers - November 14, 2018 at 09:07 AM

VR

“ *Vivian Rivers lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham*



Vivian Rivers - November 14, 2018 at 09:02 AM

SS

“ Shirley Sydnor lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham



Shirley Sydnor - November 14, 2018 at 08:14 AM

KR

“ Kimberly Rowland lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham



Kimberly Rowland - November 14, 2018 at 07:39 AM

KR

*Nancy, Hollie, and family,
We are so sorry for your loss. Such a sweet person.
Mark & Kimberly Rowland Gretna, Va 24557*

Kimberly Rowland - November 14, 2018 at 07:41 AM

LS

“ Linda Short lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham



Linda Short - November 14, 2018 at 07:04 AM

LC

“ Sorry for your loss. May God be with you and your family and friends in this time.



Lisa Carter - November 14, 2018 at 06:45 AM

AP

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time.

Love,
Adam, Ashley and McKinley Palmer

Ashley Palmer - November 14, 2018 at 06:42 AM

NW

“ Nancy Trent Wyatt lit a candle in memory of Allison Edwards Durham



Nancy Trent Wyatt - November 13, 2018 at 10:05 PM

NW

Nancy , keeping you and all your family in my thoughts and prayers. Sending hugs / with love.

Nancy Trent Wyatt - November 13, 2018 at 09:07 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Allison Edwards Durham.*



November 13, 2018 at 09:57 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss Allison was such a sweet girl prayers for all of you.*

Terri Moss Rowland - November 13, 2018 at 09:12 PM



“ *Nancy and Holly I am so sorry for the loss of Allison. Loosening a sister and a daughter is so hard. May God be with your family and her children.*



Connie Pickral - November 13, 2018 at 08:53 PM



“ *So sorry for your families loss. Sending prayers.*

Laura A Rowland - November 13, 2018 at 08:06 PM

LB

“ Allison was such a beautiful and sweet person. It was so sad to hear this news yesterday. I went to school with Allison and also worked with her for a while at Sara Lee in Gretna, before she went to Nestle years ago.

Lifting Prayers of comfort to all of Allison’s Family and Loved One’s and a special Prayer for “Nancy” who is Allison’s sweet Mama who I worked with for years, my heart goes out to you all. God bless you all.



Lisa Quarles Brumfield - November 13, 2018 at 08:05 PM

VR

“ I worked with Allison for many years at Nestle. Allison had a kind soul, always happy and greet you with a smile. My condolences to her family.

VickieRobinson

Vickie Robinson - November 13, 2018 at 07:34 PM

TB

“ What an amazing person and what a remarkable life. I feel so lucky that I got to know Allison. My heartfelt sympathy and prayers to you all in the difficult days ahead. Love and prayers

Larry & Tammy Betterton

Tammy Betterton - November 13, 2018 at 07:19 PM

DD

“ Thoughts and prayers for all of Allison's family. Another one of our classmates gone too soon. Rest in peace, Allison Durham.

Donna Dickson - November 13, 2018 at 07:14 PM

DS

“ Thinking of Holly and Nancy during this time. Remember you and Allison as a child in Mt Airy growing tobacco and fishing at your pond in the front yard. Always thought so much of you and Allison. Allison is in heaven now with her dad Ray. God bless your family.

Deborah soyars - November 13, 2018 at 07:11 PM

BF

“ Nancy we are so sorry to hear of Allison's passing. May our LORD comfort all of you at this time.
Bobby and Annette Ford.

Bobby and Annette Ford - November 13, 2018 at 06:17 PM

BB

“ Gary & Family, I am so saddened about Allison. Hard to believe. Gary, my thoughts & my prayers are with you and your family. I love you. Barb



Barbara P Baugher - November 13, 2018 at 06:16 PM

GF

“ Nancy, Holly and family: My sincere sympathy to all of you in the loss of Allison. May you find comfort from your faith in the days ahead. Gail Ferguson

Gail Ferguson - November 13, 2018 at 05:40 PM