



Patricia Cates Horton

August 3, 1941 - January 26, 2025

Patricia (Pat) Cates Horton passed peacefully from this life to meet her Savior on January 26, 2025 after a long illness.

She is preceded in death by her parents: Willie and Vera Cates; her brother: Richard Cates; and her husband of over 55 years: Bobby Horton.

Pat is survived by her children: Chris Horton (Diane Wright Horton) and Lauri Horton Harper; and her grandchildren: Daniel Horton, David Horton, Michael Horton, Anna Horton, Andrew Harper (Jessica Rollins Harper) and Taylor Harper (Jennifer Jones Harper).

Pat was born on August 3, 1941 to parents Willie and Vera Cates. She grew up in the mining community of Praco, AL and graduated from West Jefferson High School. She started nursing school after her children were in grade school and graduated from UAB School of Nursing. She worked at Brookwood Hospital in Homewood, AL for many years in various nursing capacities including Director of Staffing. She then finished her working career at Blue Cross Blue Shield of AL as a nurse case manager, before retiring to Lay Lake.

Pat was a long-time active member of Columbiana United Methodist Church, where she was active in several bible study groups.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Friday, January 31, 2025 at Bolton Funeral Home at 1:00 pm. She will be laid to rest at Shanghi Cemetery, Quinton, AL.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Foundation or Alzheimer's Association.

Cemetery Details

Shanghi Cemetery

7757 Quinton Road
Quinton, AL 35130

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JAN 31. 1:00 PM (CT)

Bolton Funeral Home
207 Hwy 47 South
PO Box 4
Columbiana, AL 35051
(205) 669-3179

Tribute Wall



“ *Kathy Morris lit a candle in memory of Patricia Horton*



Kathy Morris - February 12, 2025 at 08:15 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Patricia Cates Horton.*



January 29, 2025 at 09:46 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Patricia Cates Horton.*

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