



Garalee Ann Hancock

June 26, 1956 - December 27, 2022

Lafayette -

A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, January 5, 2022, at 11:00 am in Asbury United Methodist Church in Lafayette for Garalee Ann Hancock, age 66, who passed away peacefully at her residence on December 27, 2022, in Lafayette.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, January 5, 2022, from 10:00 am until 11:00 am in Asbury United Methodist Church in Lafayette.

Garalee was born on June 26, 1956, in Indiana and was raised in Colorado before moving to Texas with her ex-husband, and Laurel's father, Jeffrey Latimer. She was a resident of Lafayette Parish for 30 years where she opened her store called Heaven on Earth. Garalee met many people in her store that became great friends and meant a lot to her. She will be dearly missed.

Garalee is survived by her daughter, Laurel Latimer Grandon and her husband, Jarrod; her beloved granddaughters, Madeline Claire Grandon and Georgia Kate Grandon, who referred to her as "Gigi"; her longtime boyfriend, Thaddeus Murphy; as well as her siblings, Thomas Earl Hancock, Jr., William Farrell Hancock, and Diane Kay Hancock.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Beatrice Kay Hancock and Thomas Earl Hancock.

Cypress Funeral Home & Crematory, 206 W. Lafayette St., Maurice, LA 70555, (337) 740-3123, is in charge of Cremation arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Asbury United Methodist Church
101 Live Oak Dr.
Lafayette, LA 70503

Memorial Service

JAN 5. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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101 Live Oak Dr.
Lafayette, LA 70503

Tribute Wall

TH

“ To have known Garalee for all these years was a truly enriching experience. I’m grateful to have known her. My deepest condolences go out to Thaddeus and Laurel. I hope that each day for you heals a little bit more.



Trent Haines - January 04, 2023 at 10:50 PM

LH

“ Garalee was a beacon of Light that shone on each and every one of us. She lit up the city the Lafayette and anywhere she chose to be with her joyous smile laughter and heart. I am so honored to have met her 17 years ago sharing stories and taking yoga classes from her. Every time I walked in the store I felt joy and peace simultaneously knowing she put her heart and soul in it. Every time I picked out the perfect crystal I knew she hand picked every one for us to choose from. Garalee was and Angel visiting us on earth. Thank you for your Light 🌟
With love ❤️ Linni & Trent Haines

Linni Tolmachoff Haines - January 04, 2023 at 10:35 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Garalee Ann Hancock.



January 04, 2023 at 11:48 AM

LL

“ *Laura Hanks and Stearns LaSeur purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Garalee Ann Hancock.*



Laura Hanks and Stearns LaSeur - January 03, 2023 at 09:29 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Garalee Ann Hancock.*



January 03, 2023 at 04:31 PM

MA

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Garalee and I were good friends in high school. She was at our house a lot, and we walked up Hospital Hill and ate lunch at her house often. My prayers are with the family.*
Marie Williams Allan

Marie Allan - December 30, 2022 at 08:46 AM

TF

“ *Our sympathies to her family, Garalee was a smart, vivacious, and valued member of the class of 1974 HHS. May God grant peace to you all.*

tena frentress - December 29, 2022 at 10:41 AM

RG

My heart absolutely aches for this family. God has called home one of his angels. This angel was my niece and so special to me. I was only 11 when she was born, so she became my live baby doll even then she was so special with that beautiful smile and as she grew she walked around on the tips of her toes. She was so graceful and always with a smile. My heart was broken when she moved away, as I didn't get to see her each day. God blessed my life with this loving, intelligent, gentle soul. Her heart was full of love for Our Lord and touched lives everyday. She loved her daughter and granddaughters with all her heart. She and Thaddeus had such a special loving relationship sharing their love of Our Lord. Just know that God is with each of you to help you through this time of grief.

Rose Gourley - December 31, 2022 at 02:01 PM

CH

I am so sorry. Garalee was one of the smartest, kindest people I have ever known. I feel so privileged that our lives crossed paths. My love and sympathy to Thaddeus and her loved ones.

Charlotte Dyer

charlotte - January 03, 2023 at 01:10 PM