



Darlene Faye Short Hall

December 26, 1957 - October 9, 2025

Darlene "Dee" Faye Short Hall, 67, of Rustburg entered her heavenly home Thursday, October 9, 2025 at Forest Health and Rehab.

She was born December 26, 1957 in Lynchburg, a daughter of the late Arnold Harold Short and Myrtle Violet Swain Miller. She was a retired employee for the Charter of Lynchburg. Darlene enjoyed simple pleasures in life like working on word searches, tanning, fishing, and her favorite drinks, Dr Pepper and Mountain Dew. She was a devoted fan of the Washington Redskins and a lifelong animal lover who cherished the cats and dogs that brought her companionship and joy throughout the years.

She is survived by one son, John Hubbard and his wife, Ashley of Evington; one brother, Ronnie Lee Short and his wife, Wendy of Gretna; three sisters, Linda Miller, Betty Short and Shirley Walden; a special friend and sister-in-law, Angel Hudson of Lynchburg; three grandchildren, Ryan Horn and his wife, Kaitlin of Lynchburg, Melinda Hubbard of Evington and Courtney Hubbard of Evington; four great-grandchildren, Benjamin, Kaci Lynn, Mackenzie and Sophie; and a number of nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, Melinda Hubbard Horn and three brothers, Bobby Elvis Short, Dennis Wayne Short and Billy Ray Short.

A memorial service will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, October 18, 2025 at Finch & Finch Chapel, Altavista by the Pastor Matthew Mann.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider the American Cancer Society, 2050 Langhorne Rd., Ste. 201, Lynchburg, VA 24501.

The family would like to share a special thank you to Forest Health and Rehab for their care.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

Finch and Finch Chapel
809 Main St.
Altavista, VA 24517

Tribute Wall



“ *Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Darlene Faye Short Hall*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - October 17, 2025 at 12:11 PM

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“ *I have a lot of happy memories of when all of us were growing up together. Especially when I would take everyone one riding in my truck,those were the days when you could ride in the back of a pickup truck and not get a ticket for kids riding in the back. We all had such fun. Sorry I lost track of Darlene after we all grew up Love always for Darlene and her sisters and brothers. My deepest sympathy to all the family. Cousin, Anderson Bradner and M." Marie" Bradner*

Anderson & Marie Bradner - October 17, 2025 at 10:53 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Darlene Faye Short Hall.*



October 17, 2025 at 08:32 AM



“ I have many memories of Dee, she was my neighbor and friend ❤️, we would stay up laughing, talking and just enjoying life. She would always say , " Where You Going Rere All Dressed Up ". Knowing I wasn't going anywhere. Dee will truly be missed ,Prayers and Strength for the family. R.I.P.Dee ❤️🕊️❤️

Serritta Elliott Belcher - October 11, 2025 at 08:30 AM



“ I haven't seen Darlene in years, but I will never forget her kindness when we were both students at Hurt Elementary School. Though Darlene and I did not maintain contact with each other, I am happy to say I am friends with other family members 🙏❤️



Teresa Worsham - October 10, 2025 at 07:04 PM



I have many great memories of Darlene and her brothers and sisters. The girls would take turns during the summer to stay a week with me. We always had a lot of fun. Although, after I moved from Virginia, I lost contact with my cousins, but still the memories will remain forever. Sending my Love and Prayers to Shirley, Linda, Ronnie and Betty. Bessie (Bradner) Cox in Anderson, S.C.

Bessie Bradner Cox - October 11, 2025 at 09:52 PM