



## Rita Gail Moore

September 12, 1956 - January 14, 2025

Rita Gail Moore age 68 passed away peacefully at her home surrounded by family on Tuesday January 14, 2025. she graduated from Ervinton High School in 1977 and married Ronnie Moore August 6th, 1977 (47 years). Rita was part of the McClure Kiwanis and a substitute teacher at DCPS. Rita is preceded in death by her mother and father Louetta and Brian McCowan, sisters Freda Owens and Teresa Edwards, brother Terry McCowan and infant brother James Glenn McCowan

Survivors include:

Husband: Ronnie Moore

Sons: Jeff McCowan of Clintwood, Virginia and Phillip Moore of Kodak, Tennessee

Sister: Jean (Donny) Edwards of Clinchco, Virginia

Brother: Wayne (Barbara) McCowan of St. Paul, Virginia

Grandchildren: Blake McCowan of Lebanon Virginia, Amy McCowan of Clintwood Virginia and Emma Bush of Castlewood Virginia

Nieces, nephews, cousins and special friends Vada McCarty, Tina Wellman, Sharon Mullins and Debbie Moore

One special niece Rozina Branham and grandson by love, Gauge Branham Family will receive friends Thursday January 16, 2025 from 6 pm until 7 pm in the Mullins Funeral Home Chapel where a song service will be held at 7 pm. A celebration of life service will be the following day Friday January 17th 2025 beginning at 12 pm with clergy; James Moore and Jerry Vitatoe officiating.

Burial will follow at the Sykes Cemetery Clintwood, Virginia

Pallbearers will be Nephews and Great Nephews

Honorary Pallbearers will be Raymond McCarty, Tim Carty, Jack Wellman,  
Perry Moore and Donny Edwards

# Cemetery Details

## Sykes Cemetery

Clintwood, VA 24228

# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

JAN 16. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Mullins Funeral Home Chapel  
210 Main Street  
CLINTWOOD, VA 24228

## Service

JAN 16. 7:00 PM (ET)

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## celebration of life service

JAN 17. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

HC

“ *Helen Collins lit a candle in memory of Rita Gail Moore*



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**Helen Collins** - February 01, 2025 at 02:48 PM

KP

“ *So Sorry for your loss Ronnie. If I can help any way Ronnie just let me know.  
Prayers for Ronnie and All of the Family.*

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**Ken Phillips** - January 17, 2025 at 05:39 PM

PR

“ *Palmer And Judy Rose lit a candle in memory of Rita Gail Moore*



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**Palmer and judy rose** - January 17, 2025 at 09:25 AM

DE

“ *Ronnie, so sorry to hear of the passing of your dear wife, Rita. She was clearly not well last time I saw both of you not long ago. My sincere condolences to you and family.*

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**Danny L Edwards** - January 17, 2025 at 09:02 AM

CC

“ So sorry for your loss, prayers go out to all of the family.



Chad Counts - January 16, 2025 at 10:31 PM

RC

“ Jean, So sorry to hear of your sisters passing. May the Lord of all mercy bless and keep you from this day forward. Ronald

Ronald Counts - January 16, 2025 at 03:57 PM

NN

“ Ronnie, Burley and I were very sorry to hear of Rita's passing, Condolences to you and your family at this sad time.



nancy neece - January 16, 2025 at 03:13 PM

RM

“ Roma Mullins lit a candle in memory of Rita Gail Moore



Roma Mullins - January 16, 2025 at 11:52 AM

LM

“ Ronnie and family, so sorry for your loss. We were great friends when we lived in McClure and seems we loss touch after we moved, I really hate that . She was such a wonderful person. B.J. And Phillip were schoolmates. As well,,, we pray God will give you peace that only He can give.



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**Linda and Bobby McClellan** - January 16, 2025 at 11:46 AM

VP

“ Ronnie & all of Rita's large circle of loved ones... I hope that your many memories of Rita are near to you today and cause for celebration even during this time of great loss and sadness.

*In honor of Rita, I made a donation to the National MS Society.*

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**vickie r phipps** - January 16, 2025 at 11:34 AM

GS

“ Gerry Scardo lit a candle in memory of Rita  
Gail Moore



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**Gerry Scardo** - January 16, 2025 at 10:07 AM

RE

“ Ronnie I am so sorry to hear of Rita passing. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers

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**REBECCA** - January 16, 2025 at 07:06 AM

DK

“ Ronnie and family, so sorry for your loss. It's been a while since I've seen Rita. I seen her a lot at the nursing home in Clintwood when Freda was there. She was so sweet. Darlene Kiser



Darlene Kiser - January 15, 2025 at 10:01 PM

MM

“ It seems like I've known Ronnie and Rita all my life, from growing up in McCKure to living across from them on Rose Ridge. Rita was one of the best people in the world. Rita could always make you laugh and was always catching up with mom in all of the latest happenings around the mountain. Rit would always ask about me and my family, even after we moved to Pulaski. We will miss her and will always remember the get togethers at her and Ronnie's or at Mom and Dad's. Rita's son Phillip is one of my treasured friends. Rest now Rita..the struggle is over.

Matthew McCarty - January 15, 2025 at 09:47 PM

CE

“ I remember when Mrs. Moore was a substitute teacher. I was always glad to to see it was her. She was sweet as pie! My condolences to her family and friends.

Catherine Edwards - January 15, 2025 at 06:36 PM

RS

“ Ronnie , I'm so sorry to hear about Rita . You are in my prayers , may GOD comfort you in the coming days ahead .



Retha Stone - January 15, 2025 at 06:31 PM

TB

“ I'm so sorry for your loss, my heart goes out to you and your family. Let God hold you in this time of sorrow and he will be your refuge and guide. God bless you.



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**Theta Bailey** - January 15, 2025 at 06:23 PM

JR

“ Jimmy, Rebecca(Jenkins) & Tyler Robinson lit a candle in memory of Rita Gail Moore



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**Jimmy, Rebecca(Jenkins) & Tyler Robinson** - January 15, 2025 at 02:15 PM