



Ann Hollis Vail

April 28, 1954 - July 24, 2016

Hollis Vail passed away on Sunday, July 24, 2016 of glioblastoma, a form of brain cancer.

The daughter of the late Edward and Dorothy Perez, she is survived by five siblings. She was married to J. Dean Vail III.

Hollis wished her friends to remember, "The most important thing I have in my life is that I have the peace of God which is my ultimate goal."

She wanted to thank Tallahassee Memorial Hospital for all of the good care she received.

A celebration of life will be at 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 7 at Trinity Episcopal Church in Apalachicola.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Tallahassee Memorial Cancer Center. www.tmh.org/giving.

Amber Miller of Bevis Funeral Home is assisting the family (850-926-3333 or www.bevisfh.com).

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

AUG 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

Trinity Episcopal Church
79 6th Street
Apalachicola, FL 32320

Tribute Wall



“ *Hollis was kind and supportive of me. What a bright light!*

Cynthia Balentine - September 23, 2016 at 03:44 PM



“ *To Annie's Family,
So sorry for your loss.
I know how much all of your
Family will miss you. I did not get to see you ,
in such a very long time, but you left a part of
yourself with me, for the few short times we met. RIP Annie
L.D.*



Sunni - August 17, 2016 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sunni sent a virtual gift in memory of Ann Hollis
Vail*



Sunni - August 17, 2016 at 08:18 AM

MH

*Though sad to just learn of Hollis' passing last we rejoice that she is
with her Creator and free of all illness for eternity. Hollis was truly a
vibrant, thoughtful, kind, generous person who will always be
remembered by us.*

Mary & Rick Hanby

Mary Hanby - May 22, 2017 at 04:10 PM



“ *My sweet Angel and Lioness. You fought so hard to give back all the love you received. I may not have a lifetime of memories, but the little time we spent on earth knowing one another has Altered my humanity. It was a gift from God that we met. You needed me and little did I know that I would never be the same after meeting you. Thank you for the honour to care for you and help lead you home.*

Tina Calderin - August 07, 2016 at 11:46 AM



“ *Hollis exuded class and grace in all she did. She was an exceptional business woman, a dear friend, and an absolutely lovely lady. She will be sorely missed.*

Sherri Dodsworth - August 06, 2016 at 09:18 PM



“ *Cari Langston lit a candle in memory of Ann Hollis Vail*



cari langston - August 04, 2016 at 10:24 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. She was a vibrant and talented lady.*

Diane Miller - August 02, 2016 at 10:56 PM

CH

“ *Christineknight lit a candle in memory of Ann Hollis Vail*



christineknight - August 01, 2016 at 05:10 PM

DG

“ *Hollis Vail was a remarkable woman with a big heart, in 2013 I was diagnosed with cancer I had not seen Hollis in several years but I received the most beautiful card from her with words of encouragement! Recently while at the Pam Nobles Dance Recital Hollis and her husband were attending and I was able to talk to Hollis and again she gave me words of encouragement. Thank you Hollis for all the beautiful words, thoughts and prayers to the Vail family at your families loss!!!!*

Doris Shiver Gibbs - August 01, 2016 at 04:39 PM

AC

Hollis was a beautiful person inside and out. I loved working with her. I will never forget her. Praying for the family.

Amy Carraway - August 01, 2016 at 07:19 PM

JL

Hollis was a beautiful person inside and out, she also a generous person! I count it a blessing to have worked with her for a few years! My prayers go to her family! 🙏

Jeanette Land - August 01, 2016 at 08:03 PM

GB

I'm honored to have shared a moment in time with Hollis. It was a pleasure to work with with her, and she'll remain in memories forever. All my love to her family.

Genny Bailey - August 07, 2016 at 01:50 PM

MC

“ I'm so blessed. when I moved here from Texas not having any family in Florida, except my son's and my mother I was introduced to Rhonda and her family that includes Hollas. Hollas introduced me to art, shopping in Atlanta, drinking fine wine, and laughing a lot. I introduced her to many conversation about life after death, she has all the answers now and I know that she is with me while I'm writing this. She will always be with us all.

Melody Redman Cooley - August 01, 2016 at 03:24 PM

DB

“ Hollis never had an unkind word for anyone. Her concern for others was genuine. Her joy of life even when facing her own mortality was awe inspiring. What a legacy for her daughter, Laura and the light of her final years, Annabelle! Will miss her always but have gratitude for having known her and sharing many memories.

Denise Butler - August 01, 2016 at 03:13 PM

LB

“ Gran Annie, we miss you so much. Thank you for your boundless love and kindness. You have left a legacy that we promise to carry. Love you. Miss you. -Lori

Lori Barrentine - August 01, 2016 at 11:58 AM

MA

“ *Hollis was such a grand lady who showered her friends with love and affection. She will be sorely missed. Her stores were a delight and shopping haven....what a pleasure she presented her clients. You entered her store a stranger and left a friend. As much as she will be missed, I am glad she is up there watching out for her friends and family down here. God bless her and I pray for heart peace for her family.*

Margo Armisstead - July 29, 2016 at 10:37 PM