



Freta Geanette Kinsey

May 26, 1960 - January 11, 2018

Freta Geanette Lott Kinsey passed away surrounded by family and friends on January 11th, 2018. The world lost a bit of joy but Heaven gained an Angel. She was born on May 26th, 1960 and went on to be with the Lord at the age of 57. Freta had a smile that would light up any room, she was full of life, and lived her life to the fullest. She never met a stranger, but instead met not just friends but forever friends, and influenced many people's lives with her contagious and uplifting energy. She was the most genuine person and she will be greatly missed by all those that knew her.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Robert Hence Spooner, Vivian Lee Spooner, and her brother Richard Neal Spooner. She is survived by her Husband Bradford Wayne Kinsey, two children: Jason and Amber Lott (Garrett Reeves); two grandchildren: Jaydon Lott and Carson Lott; two step children; which she raised as her own: Colby and Brittany Kinsey, along with a multitude of forever friends, beloved nieces and nephews, and many people who adored her.

Freta worked for the State of Florida for over 35 years and was a computer programmer for the past ten years. She cherished life each day and loved her family most, as well as friends, and her beloved Biloxi, Mississippi. In keeping with the abundance of joy she was always overflowing with; it was very important for Freta to emphasize to family and friends to celebrate her life.

The celebration of Freta's life will be held on Saturday, February 3rd, 2018 at 2:00 pm at 7000 Natural Bridge Road, Tallahassee, FL 32305. Her favorite

color was purple, and the family asks for anyone who wants to wear purple to her memorial please do so, but most importantly Freta would want you to be comfortable and as you are.

David Conn of Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey Young Chapel in Crawfordville is assisting the family. (850-925-3333 or www.bevisfh.com).

Tribute Wall

JF

“ I’ve never had a lot of friends. I think differently, I never know the right things to say or do. Now I have to say a final goodbye to a very dear friend. I don’t want to. I’m watching a Hallmark movie (a weakness), and in it they just said that “At the end of the day, what gives your life meaning is how you were loved.” It made me think of Freta, everyone loved her - she was loving, positive, and always had a smile to brighten your day. She is gone way too soon, and will be greatly missed by so many who loved her.

Joy French - February 02, 2018 at 08:25 PM



She loved you very much!

Amber Lott - February 02, 2018 at 08:29 PM



I appreciate that Joy French....No I didn't know you..But that was a great memorial 2 my Aunt Freta...Thank you for it!!

Tiffany Spooner - April 17, 2018 at 02:57 AM



“ Although I was a few years older than Freta when we used to go out, she always excepted me in her group to go out and have fun. She had more energy than all of us. She could go to a new place and by the time we left, probably knew most everyone there. Her infectious smile lit up a room and she never knew a stranger. Will miss you dearly even though we hadn't been together for a while except an occasional lunch when I could make it home. Love you Freta forever.

Connie Evans - February 01, 2018 at 02:58 PM

SH


“ Way back when, in the early 1960's, Freta used to stay with Aunt Ruby (Aunt Vivian's older sister), Uncle Jim and five cousins (Janice, Diane, Bill, Vernon and Susan) when we lived off Mission Road in Tallahassee. This memory is from Susan. Freta was the most precious, sweet little girl. Uncle Jim used to say how beautiful her curly blond hair and blue eyes were. When once he mentioned how pretty her hair was and paused, she quickly added and "pretty blue eyes." Freta and I joked about this in later years. When I was 8 years old Freta was born. I thought she was the sweetest little doll baby, always so happy. I loved dressing her up and brushing her blond curls. She grew up to be a selfless woman, taking care of everyone before herself. Freta was a helping hand to me on more than one occasion. She had a way of listening that was not judgmental - just caring. She will truly be missed. We all have another angel in heaven to watch over us.

Susan Harrell - February 01, 2018 at 10:34 AM



That explains my mom so well

Amber Lott - February 01, 2018 at 02:16 PM

 Diane Barber

“ A true angel here on earth as well as in heaven. Gone way to soon.
Love Cousin Diane Barber

Diane Barber - January 30, 2018 at 04:13 PM

LI

“ I feel so blessed to have known Freta She was my best friend and I have so many wonderful memories of the fun times we shared together. She was more than just a good friend she was like a sister to me. Freta I love and miss you so very much. All the trips we made to Biloxi, all those weekends with you and brad to the lake house, laying out by the pool and cooking out , going to bingo at the elks and our weekends out of town to Jacksonville and St. Augustine are just a few of the fun times we shared together. Rest in peace my friend and I know one day we will be together again. You brought so much laughter and joy to my life and to the lives of countless others. I will never forget u Freta. Love, Lindy

Lindy - January 25, 2018 at 11:11 PM

CD

“ each other i will truly miss her, cheryl Davis



Cheryl Davis - January 19, 2018 at 07:45 PM

AL

“ Jason and Amber Lott



Amber Lott - January 17, 2018 at 01:41 AM

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“ There are so many good memories that I could share about you Mom but everyone that knows you can attest to your zest for life, patience, love for your children & extended family/friends. I miss you deeply and I always use the phrase, "A Mother's Love" because of the way you always made me feel at home. You are my best friend and I can now understand how honored you felt to be there with Granny Spooner as she went through her process. I never took you for granted, not before you were diagnosed, and I don't now. We never saw this happening as it did but I would not trade anything in this world for firstly being your daughter/best friend and for the time that I did have with you. I miss you so much that I can not begin to express this. I am allowing myself as you would want to honor my feelings and to go on giving my best every day as you did, but also taking care of myself. It was an honor to be with you from the time I took my first breath until you took yours. I felt peaceful and nothing but love for you my entire life because you always encouraged me to think for myself and to show empathy but in a balanced way. I don't like the word sometimes being empathy, only because what I am trying to express is different than what I mean and feel. I also know that it was very important to you that no one feel any guilt if they did not see you. You were full of love for many, and in a balanced and healthy individual way to each person you met and had so many life long friend that you considered family as well. I will continue a piece of you has been inside of me that granny had too. I will never forget reading at night in your bed, vacations, coming to stay the night with you because of how much we enjoyed being with each other. You told me a few weeks ago that when I was there you felt peaceful. I also felt the same when I was with you. I don't have the vocabulary to express the person you are and I don't think I can ever give it the credit of sharing just how much I respected you, but I know everyone that knows you can relate to what I am saying about you. I love you Mom and we all miss you so much. I am so happy that you met Brad , and that you cared and loved my step sisters (sisters) in my eyes. Love you Mom and I am happy that you are no longer in any pain. You are the strongest woman that I have ever known and I love you so much. Love your loving daughter Amber

Lott.

Amber Lott - January 17, 2018 at 01:36 AM

AS

Amber this is just perfect! Eloquently Expressed! Love you! Praying for Us All!

Amanda Spooner - January 17, 2018 at 10:09 PM

ID

“ *Ida lit a candle in memory of Freta Geanette Kinsey*



Ida - January 16, 2018 at 08:02 PM

MM

“ *Me and my girls will always remember all the good times on our corner of "Pixie Circle", you will be missed.*

Mitch, Brittany and Brooke McElroy - January 16, 2018 at 06:44 PM

MM

Brittany too, don't know why her name didn't show on original post.

Mitch, Brittany and Brooke McElroy - January 16, 2018 at 06:46 PM

MC

“ *Sending love & prayers to the family. Freta always greeted me with a beautiful smile & kind words. May Gods love give you all strength . Melinda Lilliston.*

Melinda Lilliston, Retired Coworker - January 16, 2018 at 05:31 PM

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Amber Lott - January 16, 2018 at 05:07 PM

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Amber Lott - January 16, 2018 at 04:57 PM

TJ

“ *Freta... You will forever be in my heart. That smile and beautiful spirit of yours will never be replaced. I am honored to have called you a dear friend. Rest in peaceful happiness in Paradise. Till we meet again sweetie. GODSPEED. Love you, Terri Jones*

Terri Jones - January 16, 2018 at 09:04 AM

CN

“ *She was a beautiful person/ friend inside and out. Prayers for her family. Freta will be missed.*



Charlene Newsome - January 16, 2018 at 08:58 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Freta Geanette Kinsey.



January 15, 2018 at 05:40 PM



“ So beautiful. I have wonderful memories of spending weekends at the beach, Posey's or just hanging out at her house. She made everyone feel like they were her best friend and she had the biggest heart. She is up in heaven with her mom, dad and brother, all having a good time now. I was fortunate to have known her in a chapter of my life.



Sonya Sims Stanley - January 15, 2018 at 05:22 PM



“ Love, Aunt Donna and Uncle Steve purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Freta Geanette Kinsey.



Love, Aunt Donna and Uncle Steve - January 15, 2018 at 04:39 PM



“ The Lynns purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Freta Geanette Kinsey.



The Lynns - January 15, 2018 at 04:21 PM

GB

“ *Gale Barrett Berry lit a candle in memory of Freta Geanette Kinsey*



Gale Barrett Berry - January 15, 2018 at 02:52 PM

GB

“ *Beautiful smile, beautiful heart, beautiful person!*

Gale Barrett Berry - January 15, 2018 at 02:51 PM

JS

“ *Freta was a very kind and genuine soul. I am so sorry that she is gone now. We are praying for the family and friends.*

Judy Seaman - January 15, 2018 at 01:45 PM

LW

“ *Lovely Lady. That smile was beautiful. Love to you and your family. Aunt Lavonne.*

Lavonne Wynn - January 15, 2018 at 01:37 PM

The logo for Bevis Funeral Home, featuring a stylized 'B' above the word 'BEVIS'.

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Bevis Funeral Home - January 15, 2018 at 11:12 AM

SM

Beautiful woman inside and out ❤️❤️

Stephanie Miller - January 15, 2018 at 08:09 PM



Beautiful smile

Amber Lott - January 30, 2018 at 04:58 PM

AL

Amber, it's Aaron. Can you please shoot me an email. I'm just now reading this about your mom, I'm so shocked. I'd like to hear more details if that'd be possible, pleasee touch base with me at AL.AARONLEON@GMAIL.COM

Thank you so much and I'm so sorry for the loss you and your brother and other friends and family has endured, and I hope to hear from you soon.

Aaron Leon - February 20, 2023 at 08:20 AM