



Alice Mae Gordon

August 6, 1940 - September 30, 2010

Alice Mae Gordon, 70, of New Castle, went home to be with the Lord on Thursday, September 30, 2010 at The Waters of New Castle.

She was born August 6, 1940 in New Castle, a daughter of the late Robert Ray Hughes and Mildred Marie Hughes Kennedy.

Alice was a 1958 graduate of Chrysler High School. She had a passion for music and was a gifted musician composing and recording many songs and poems. For several years Alice and her husband John Gordon owned G & S Recording Studio where they produced gospel music. She was very active in church music programs and sang with many local groups and individuals. She attended the New Life Holiness Church in Hagerstown and in recent years spent much of her time and attention spoiling her grandchildren.

She is survived by four children, Chad "Chip" (wife: Lou Ann) Gordon of New Castle, Tony (wife: Wendy) Shelton of Straughn, John Lee (wife: Stephanie) Gordon of Cincinnati, Ohio and Rhonda (husband: Tom) Thrasher of Mooreland; 11 grandchildren, Charlie, Brandy, and Jedidiah Gordon, Benjamin, Latrisha and LuRhe Shelton, Jonathan "JP" (wife: Sarah) Gordon and Jeremy Lee Gordon, and Allison "Allie", Ashley and Alyssa Thrasher; two great-grandchildren, Brooke and Frankie; seven brothers and sisters, Charles Hughes of New Castle, Roberta (husband: Henry) Hill of Spiceland, Raymond Kennedy of Iowa, James Kennedy of New Castle, Geneva (husband: Jim) Morrow of New Castle, Allen Kennedy of New Castle and Bill (wife: Margaret) Kennedy of Pershing; a step-brother Bobby Hughes of New Castle; a step-sister, Mary Caudill of New Castle and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her first husband, Haskell "Hack" Shelton; her second husband, John Paul Gordon; four sisters, Betty Hughes, Laura Huckaby, Mildred "Sue" Garner and Shirley Pennington; and her step-father, James Kennedy.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Monday, October 4, 2010 at Sproles Family Funeral Home with the Revs Gene Bennett and Ron Coleman officiating.

Friends may call from 4 – 8 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Memorial Contributions may be made to the Cancer Society of Henry County, 1022 Riley Rd New Castle, IN 47362. Envelopes will also be available at the funeral home. You may

send the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com.

Sproles Family Funeral Home is honored to serve the family of Alice Mae Gordon.

Tribute Wall

TB

“ Rhonda and Tony and families, Cousin Alice will be sadly missed by my family (Bob, Joyce, Wink and Chad Lawson). Alice was very important to us our entire lives. She brought music, laughter, good food, great conversation and the passion for life into everything she touched. She lived and lead a steadfast Christian life and has been promoted into Heaven for enternal peace and joy. We love you Alice!

Treva (Lawson) Brown - October 29, 2010 at 08:32 PM

RT

“ I love you mom and will miss you tremendously. Tom, the girls and I will remember all the good times we had with you living with us for the past year. You will forever be in my thoughts and be a part of my life forever.

Rhonda Thrasher - October 09, 2010 at 10:02 AM

KW

“ Her journey is over and she is celebrating her life! We had alot of great times and I will cherish those. She will always be remembered for her beautiful piano music and for making our wedding a day we cannot forget 21 years ago.

Kim & Mike Werking - October 04, 2010 at 11:09 PM

KH

“ Alice you have been in our thoughts and prayers for a long time.

Kevin & Keitha Hill - October 04, 2010 at 05:16 PM

EN

“ Rhonda & Family-I am so sorry for your loss. Alice & John were some of the first people I met when I moved to New Castle almost 20 years ago! Alice was a very kind, compassionate woman and lived her Christian witness. She will be missed. You all are in my prayers.

Eldonna Neeley - October 04, 2010 at 02:41 PM

AF

“ I have very sweet memories of singing with Alice at the piano. She was so gifted! And I am sure that she is enjoying a beautiful worship time in heaven! My heart goes out to you - I am very sorry for your loss.

April (Elliott) Fisher - October 04, 2010 at 08:23 AM

BR

“ TO THE FAMILY MY PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY IS WITH YOU MAY GOD BE NEAR YOU DURING THIS TIME OF SORROW

BrendaMclean - October 03, 2010 at 05:19 PM

JB

“ We have many good memories of you all. you are in our thoughts & prayers during this difficult time.
Love to all!!

John & Gail Bowling - October 03, 2010 at 04:01 PM

RJ

“ We are sorry for your loss. Our hearts and prayers go out to you. Although we have not seen you all in many years, we have good memories of times in the Music Studio...with Your Mother playing the piano. She was a sweet and lovely lady. May you find comfort in knowing she is with our Lord and Saviour, with no more pain. Now she is singing in the heavenly choir...

Ray and Penny Jarrell - October 02, 2010 at 08:58 PM

SG

“ Mom,
You will be greatly missed. You are no longer suffering but now you are safe in the arms of Jesus. Your Christian life has been a testimony and an inspiration to those around, especially your grandchildren. Your songs that you have written and have sung over the years will continue to be an inspiration to us all. Looking forward to seeing you again in Heaven.

Stephanie Gordon - October 02, 2010 at 07:56 PM

HL

“ Wanted to tell all of Alice's family how sorry I am to hear of her passing. She is without a doubt in a better place and no longer in pain. She was such a nice person, and heaven is now rejoicing to have her back. My thoughts and prayers will be with you all during this time of sorrow. Helene

Helene Langman - October 02, 2010 at 09:14 AM

TF

“ Aunt Alice was a kind and loving individual and will be greatly missed by our family. We hope all of the family and friends kind find comfort in knowing that she is not suffering anymore and is at peace. We love you all and will be thinking of each of you as you start the healing process.
Darrell, Tammy, Jeremy & Jessica

Tammy Sorrell & family - October 02, 2010 at 08:23 AM

HH

“ Alice you have achieved the ultimate rest. I know you will be missed. God bless your family and give them comfort during this time.

Hazel Hoover - October 01, 2010 at 06:56 PM