



## Ms. Melody Delane Hardman

January 11, 1969 - October 25, 2025

Ms. Melody Delane Hardman, 56, of Royston, GA, passed away on Saturday, October 25, 2025, at St. Mary's Sacred Heart in Lavonia, GA.

Ms. Hardman was born on January 11, 1969, daughter of the late Roger Hardman and the late Martha Price Hardman. She was a waitress having worked at Leatherwood Fish Lodge and was of the Holiness faith.

Survivors include a daughter, Aleah Nicole Hardman of Royston, GA; sister, Libby Hardman of Toccoa, GA; and nieces, Layla Westmoreland, Layna Westmoreland, and Lylah Westmoreland.

A memorial service for Ms. Hardman will be held at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 29, 2025, in the Peniel Pentecostal Holiness Church with Rev. Stacy Lynch.

Flowers are optional; memorials may be made to the Aleah Trust.

Pruitt Funeral Home in Royston, GA is in charge of arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

OCT **29**. 5:00 PM (ET)

Peniel Pentecostal Holiness Church  
2975 Sandy Cross Road  
Royston, GA 30662

# Tribute Wall

TB

“ I didn't know you but I was friend with Libby .Love and prayers to the family. We keep you all in our prayers. YOUR friends Johnny and Tracy Bryant



Tracy Bryant - November 01, 2025 at 06:00 PM

EC

“ Evelyn Cress sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Melody Delane Hardman



Evelyn Cress - October 28, 2025 at 07:18 AM

CR

“ Aleah you have my sincerest condolences. Im praying for comfort and peace for you in the days to come.



Candy Leverette Rickett - October 26, 2025 at 10:04 PM

BW

“ Brenda Phillips Wallace sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Melody Delane Hardman



Brenda Phillips Wallace - October 26, 2025 at 09:03 PM

TB

“ I've known Melody and Libby for a mighty long time through Ms. Martha and my aunt Louise, actually the whole family. I remember when Aleah was born. Aleah my heart goes out to you babygirl. You have your mom's personality and that's a great thing. Melody met no stranger and you're the same way. You will always be her baby. The road is gonna be rough but always know God got you and he will carry you. God bless you all and know that I love you ❤️🙏❤️



Tamala Alexander Bryant - October 26, 2025 at 07:43 PM

AB

“ I went to school with Melody in Junior and High school. She was always kind and if I needed something in school she would share and left many memories. I valued our laughter and fun of being friends. I'm saddened for you all and will be praying for the comfort of the broken hearted.

Angela Clarke Beri - October 26, 2025 at 06:06 PM

JB

“ So sorry to hear of Melody's passing! Known her for close to 50 years and she used to wait on us at Leatherwood. Always friendly and nice! Praying for Gods blessings and comfort for family at this time and the future!



Johnny Banister - October 26, 2025 at 05:55 PM

WG

“ Aleah, Libby, Diana, Cory, Casey and to the rest of the family Im so sorry for your loss. 😞. I worked with Melody and Libby at Leatherwood Fish Lodge, I was a bus girl while they were waitresses. When Melody had to leave early on a Friday or Saturday, she would ask me to sweep her side, and she paid me for doing that. Melody was a nice lady, and will be greatly missed. I know oh so well what yall are going through. I lost my mom back in Aug. Of 2019. It gets harder not any easier when their Birthdays or Holidays Come Around. At least Melodys not suffering anymore and has a whole new body. She is reunited with Roger and Martha. They opened up their arms and welcomed her home. Prayers going out to you all. 💕🙏💕



Wendi Grice - October 26, 2025 at 04:46 PM

BS

“ So sorry Praying for the Families.



Beverly Stowe - October 26, 2025 at 03:16 PM



“ We went to elementary through high school together. I would see her around in Royston from time to time. She always was a nice and friendly person. I also got to know her daughter as well. My prayers are with the family.



Tina Mayfield - October 26, 2025 at 02:22 PM

JT

*Melody was a sweet person she going to be missed in Royston praying for the entire family Jeannette Thomas and family*

Jeannette ThomAs - October 27, 2025 at 11:18 AM

WH

“ *Wanda Human lit a candle in memory of Ms. Melody Delane Hardman*



Wanda Human - October 26, 2025 at 02:00 PM

WH

*I am so sorry for your loss. All of you will be in my thoughts and prayers*



Wanda Human - October 26, 2025 at 02:01 PM

KN

“ *I went to school with Melody. She was always such a sweet person. Prayers for her family.*



Kelley Norris - October 26, 2025 at 12:40 PM