



## Jewell T. Bales

February 17, 2024

Jewell T. Bales, 96, of Rose Hill, VA went to be with the Lord on Saturday, February 17, 2024, at Johnson City Medical Center.

She was born on April 20, 1927, in Rose Hill, the only child of the late Frank D. and Birdie Lee Busic Turner. She married L.S. Bales on May 12, 1956, and they made their home in Rose Hill for their entire lives. She faithfully attended Rose Dale Baptist Church as long as her health permitted.

Jewell graduated from Thomas Walker High School in 1943 as Salutatorian of her class. She worked for 19 years at the Rose Hill branch of People's Bank, starting there when it first opened, and she greatly enjoyed her work there. She later worked for several years as a bookkeeper at Rose Hill IGA.

In addition to her parents, Jewell was preceded in death by her beloved husband, L.S. Bales, in 2013, and by her life-long friend, Ruby Harber Cody. She is survived by her two loving and devoted children, Jay L. Bales and Sue Ann Bales, both of the home, as well as seven nieces and nephews and a host of extended family members, special neighbors, and a close friend, Louise Montgomery.

The family will receive friends from 6 until 8:00 p.m. on Monday, February 19, at Robinette Funeral Home in Rose Hill. The funeral service will follow at 8:00

p.m. with Rev. Kevin Jerrell and Rev. Norman Clark officiating. Burial will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 20, in Lee Memorial Gardens Park West in Rose Hill. Those wishing to attend the graveside service are asked to meet at the funeral home by 10:30 a.m. Tuesday to travel in procession to the cemetery.

Online condolences may be sent by visiting, [www.RobinetteFuneralHomes.com](http://www.RobinetteFuneralHomes.com). Robinette Funeral Home of Rose Hill is serving the Bales family.

# Cemetery Details

## Lee Memorial Gardens Park West

Rose Hill, VA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 19. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Robinette Funeral Home (Rose Hill)  
207 DeRoyal Industries Drive  
P.O. Box 388  
Rose Hill, VA 24281  
(276) 445-5101

## Funeral Service

FEB 19. 8:00 PM (ET)

Robinette Funeral Home (Rose Hill)  
207 DeRoyal Industries Drive  
P.O. Box 388  
Rose Hill, VA 24281  
(276) 445-5101

## Graveside service

FEB 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

Lee Memorial Gardens Park West  
Rose Hill, VA



# Tribute Wall

CF

“ Charles Hobbs family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Jewell T. Bales.



Charles Hobbs family - February 19, 2024 at 11:17 AM



“ Jay and Sue Ann, I am very sorry for your loss. I know how much you all loved your mother. Your devotion and love for her will not go unnoticed in God's eyes. Prayers for you both and your extended family.



Angie Collingsworth - February 19, 2024 at 09:10 AM

RC

“ Jay and Sue Ann, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. My sincere condolences to you both and the family.



Rose Anna Edds Copeland - February 18, 2024 at 09:35 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jewell T. Bales.



February 18, 2024 at 09:11 PM

DP

“ We extend our deepest sympathy due to the passing of your dear mother. We pray that you feel God's love a little stronger during this difficult time.



Doris and Larry Presley - February 18, 2024 at 08:29 PM

MJ

“ My deepest sympathy  
Melanie Jorgensen

Melanie Jorgensen - February 18, 2024 at 08:15 PM

SN

“ Jay & Sue Ann,

So sorry to hear about the passing of your mom. She was such a sweet lady. Please know I am praying for you both during this time.

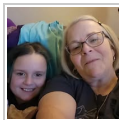
Sandy Newman

Sandra J Newman - February 18, 2024 at 05:11 PM

KE

Jay and Sue Ann I am so sorry for your loss. Jewell was a special person. Prayers for peace and comfort due this time.

Kathy Giles Edens - February 19, 2024 at 11:15 AM



I am so sorry to hear about your mom. Sending prayers your way. You probably don't remember me (Patricia Herbison). Mr. Jay Bales was my history teacher at Thomas Walker back in the 80s. L.S. Bales was my bus driver for several years and was very kind to me.

Trish Hensley - February 19, 2024 at 02:17 PM