



## Lydia "Jo" Jolene Hobbs

January 14, 1939 - August 14, 2018

Lydia Jolene "Jo" Hobbs, 79, of Pomfret, Maryland, died on August 14, 2018 at Charles County Hospice House. She was a graduate of Sylva High School in Sylva, North Carolina, and a 1997 graduate of Charles County Community College, now known as College of Southern Maryland, with an AA degree. She was a member of Christ Church Port Tobacco Parish in La Plata, Maryland, and was also involved with the Mattawoman Art Center and the La Plata Senior Center. In her early work years, she worked for C&P Telephone Company of Maryland, later, worked as a substitute teacher and finally, worked at the regional library in Charlotte Hall, Maryland.

She was daughter of the late Jack Finley Cooper and the late Merle Dolly Parker. In addition to her parents, Lydia was preceded in death by two brothers, the late Rev. J. Finley Cooper, and the late John R. Cooper.

She is survived by her husband of 59 years, Stewart W. Hobbs; two sons, Ret. MSGT Stewart W. Hobbs, Jr. and his wife, Kimberly, and J. David Hobbs; beloved companion, Lisa Hensley; one brother, Ronald A. Cooper; and one sister, Brenda Gail Crissinger. Also survived by three grandchildren, Krysten R. Hobbs, Gregory W. Hobbs, and Madelynne J. Hobbs.

Friends received on Saturday, August 25, 2018 from 10:00 AM until time of Funeral Service at 11:00 AM at Christ Episcopal Church, 112 Charles Street,

La Plata, MD 20646. Officiated by Rev. Kate Heichler and Rev. Tim Johnson.

Interment to follow in Mount Rest Cemetery, La Plata, MD.

Memorials in Jo's name are asked to Hospice of Charles County, 2505 Davis Road, Waldorf, MD 20603.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Rest Cemetery

Charles Street  
La Plata, MD 20646

# Previous Events

## Viewing

AUG 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Christ Church - La Plata  
112 East Charles Street  
La Plata, MD 20646

## Service

AUG 25. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Lydia "Jo" Jolene Hobbs

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ Lydia "Jo" Jolene Hobbs

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ I have no words to express how much she will be missed. Now she is an Angel in Heaven and I was truly blessed to have met her. My deepest sympathy to you all as I know your loss is great. Let her memory give you comfort. RIP sweet Jo Jo.

Debi Shanks - August 24, 2018 at 04:16 PM



“ Debi Shanks lit a candle in memory of Lydia "Jo" Jolene Hobbs



Debi Shanks - August 24, 2018 at 04:12 PM



“ Love you Aunt Jolene I loved how kind and sweet you always were to me.💕 Kimberly Davis Woodson and Scott Woodson. Praying



Kimberly Davis Woodson - August 24, 2018 at 12:25 PM

GN

“ *My happiest memory of Jo is when I met her and Stew at the Alpacca Farm and we were trying on the hats and we laughed and Judy had s great time. I will always remember that sweet face .  
Love and Peace*

**Gemma Nelson** - August 24, 2018 at 10:09 AM

SS

“ *Sister/Cousin Sharon purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Lydia "Jo" Jolene Hobbs.*



**Sister/Cousin Sharon** - August 22, 2018 at 07:05 PM

PS

“ *Stu and family; My sincere condolences on the loss of Jo. Remember the good times and she will always be with you*



*Pam Stewart*

**pam stewart** - August 22, 2018 at 03:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lydia "Jo" Jolene Hobbs.*



August 21, 2018 at 08:45 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lydia "Jo" Jolene Hobbs.



August 21, 2018 at 12:45 PM



“ God Bless your family at this time, praying for strength and comfort.

**Priscilla Collins** - August 18, 2018 at 12:00 PM



“ With love, The Dahls purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Lydia "Jo" Jolene Hobbs.



**With love, The Dahls** - August 17, 2018 at 10:42 PM



“ Dear Mr. Hobbs,  
My deepest sympathy to you and your family.  
Most sincerely,  
Massey Gough Rausch

**Massey Rausch** - August 17, 2018 at 08:37 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Stewart and his family. Jo will be missed dearly!

**Christopher Estep** - August 17, 2018 at 06:58 AM

FR

“ *Frances Rogers lit a candle in memory of Lydia "Jo" Jolene Hobbs*



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**Frances Rogers** - August 16, 2018 at 06:37 PM

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*It was such a privilege to meet this wonderful cousin last summer after corresponding with her for a couple of years. We shared so many things in common and had a wonderful time with comparing notes. May God's love bring you peace and comfort until we meet again in Heaven.*

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**Frances Rogers** - August 16, 2018 at 06:42 PM

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“ *My memories of Jo go back almost 70 years when I stayed with Uncle Jack and Aunt Merle in Sylva, N.C. I have loved her all these years and there are no words to describe the void left in my heart and in the world. She was always beautiful, never more so than the day I was privileged to be a bridesmaid at her wedding to Stewart. Their love affair lasted almost 60 years. Jo told me once there were only two perfect men and one of them was her Stewart. The other one was her brother, Ronnie. I do believe I have to agree. We called each other sisters. I never met my sister who left us before I was even born, but Jo was everything I could have asked for and more. I could write a book of memories and every one of them with so much love.*



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**Sharon Schikner** - August 16, 2018 at 06:34 PM



“ So sorry for the loss of our beloved Jo. I hope that Stewart and her family are comforted by all the prayers I know are surrounding them right now.

Danielle Webber - August 16, 2018 at 09:39 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lydia "Jo" Jolene Hobbs.



August 15, 2018 at 10:13 PM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss of this wonderful woman. I loved her dearly. I'm sending hugs and love to all. You are all in my prayers also.  
Connie Stephens Brooks



Connie Brooks - August 15, 2018 at 09:18 PM



Jo was my only sister and she was my very best friend. I will miss her forever until we can get together once more. I'm praying for her family and her many friends. We all loved this very special woman

Gail Crissinger - August 16, 2018 at 02:01 PM

CB

“ Cynthia Baxter lit a candle in memory of Lydia  
"Jo" Jolene Hobbs



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**Cynthia Baxter** - August 15, 2018 at 04:43 PM