



Mrs. Connie Rae Ward Cato

October 16, 1951 - August 1, 2025

Connie Rae Cato was born October 16th, 1951, in Kansas City, Missouri. She married Millard Dale Cato, January 8th, 1965 (Elvis Presley's birthday per her request). They continued on to raise a rambunctious family in Malden, Missouri. She passed in the afternoon of August 1st, 2025. She was an irreplaceable wife, loving mother, cherished grandmother, as well as an adored great grandmother. She led a life that was filled with faith, love, and wisdom. She was preceded in death by her mother (Nora Ward), and siblings (Barbara, Shirley, Tom, and James). She is survived by her caring and faithful husband (Millard Dale Cato), her five courageous daughters; (Bejuana Regene Cato), Dalene Renae (Larry Matthews), Connie Marie Cato, Nelliene Star (Abel Mercado), Tabitha Ann (Tommy Cowart), and son (Robert Cato). She is also survived by 21 grandchildren, and 34 great grandchildren. Her presence will remain in our hearts, minds, and lives. May her memory be a blessing, a privilege, and a gift to every person she has ever loved and known. She will always be missed and never forgotten. May she rest in peace up above with our lord and savior Jesus Christ. Amen. Visitation will be on Sunday August 3, 2025, from 11 AM until 2 PM at Pafford Funeral Home in Scotts Hill. Funeral services are scheduled for 2 PM Sunday August 3, 2025, in the Chapel of Pafford Funeral Home in Scotts Hill with burial to follow in the Pafford Scotts Hill Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Pafford Scotts Hill Cemetery

Highway 100
Scotts Hill, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 3. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Pafford Scotts Hill Funeral Home
10145 Highway 100
Scotts Hill, TN 38374
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Chapel Service

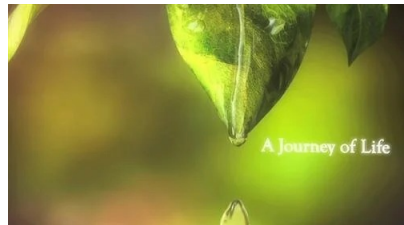
AUG 3. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (CT)

Chapel of Pafford Funeral Home - Scotts Hill, TN
Highway 100
Scotts Hill, TN

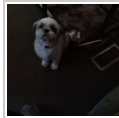
Tribute Wall



“ Pafford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Connie Rae Ward Cato



Pafford Funeral Home - August 03, 2025 at 07:46 AM



She and bro cato was great people couldn't help loving them

Terry Goodman - August 06, 2025 at 02:51 AM

JA

“ Mrs. Connie was a sweet lady. My condolences to the family.



Jennifer Adams - August 03, 2025 at 08:33 AM



“ 55 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pafford Funeral Home - August 03, 2025 at 07:38 AM

BH

“ To the family your in our thoughts and prayers. What a wonderful soldier of the cross.



Brent Hill - August 02, 2025 at 08:34 PM

BG

“ Prayers of comfort, peace & strength to family & friends. Sis. Cato will be missed. We enjoyed being their pastor for a number of years in Malden, Mo. Love, Bro. & Sis. Dale Hill

Bro & Sis Dale Hill gmail - August 02, 2025 at 07:15 PM

BC

“ *Brenda Casey sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Connie Rae Ward Cato*



Brenda Casey - August 02, 2025 at 05:55 PM

RH

“ *Robbie Heigh lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Connie Rae Ward Cato*



Robbie Heigh - August 02, 2025 at 05:35 PM