



Kazuko Russell

November 30, 2024

On November 30, 2024 Kazuko Russell left this world for her heavenly home. Originally from Okinawa, Japan she resided in Magnolia Springs. She was a member of Vernant Park Baptist Church where she was the organist for many years. She was born on November 20, 1948 to Kamasuke and Toyo Wakugami.

Kazuko married Roy Russell on November 10, 1978 and raised two children. She loved to garden and tend to her roses. She was a member of the Baldwin County Master Gardeners and even has a rose named after her on the Foley Rose Trail. She was the president for many years at an Okinawan Friendship Club in Pensacola, Florida. She also lead a Japanese Bible Study in Pensacola over the years.

Kazuko is survived by her husband of 46 years, Roy and their two children James Russell and Sharon (Troy) Rigsby. She was “achan” to Ryder and Lila Rigsby. She is also survived by 1 brother and 3 sisters and many nieces and nephews. Kazuko was preceded in death by her infant son John, her parents 1 brother and 1 sister.

Kazuko’s service will be December 10, 2024, at Vernant Park Baptist Church. Visitation will be at 10 am and service at 11.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Vernant Park Baptist Church
10891 Vernant Church Rd
Foley, AL 36535
(251) 424-3809

Service

DEC **10**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Foley, AL 36535

Tribute Wall



“ I have so many wonderful memories of my good friend Kazuko. We worked together at the Okinawa Kenjin Kai club that she played a major part in sharing the Okinawan culture. She was such a giving person that loved her church and the joy of knowing Jesus. She is now with him.
May God bless Roy and their wonderful family. Yoko

Yoko J. - December 08, 2024 at 08:00 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with the Russell Family in their loss.
With Deepest Sympathy,
JoAnne Keller

JoAnne Jeller - December 07, 2024 at 12:28 PM



“ Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kazuko Russell.



December 04, 2024 at 10:55 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kazuko Russell.

December 04, 2024 at 10:55 AM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. Your family is in our prayers. My mother Janice Lipscomb thought so much of Kazuko. Shannon



Shannon Lipscomb - December 03, 2024 at 09:37 PM



“ Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Kazuko Russell.



December 03, 2024 at 07:56 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kazuko Russell.

December 03, 2024 at 07:56 PM



“ Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Kazuko Russell.



December 03, 2024 at 07:53 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kazuko Russell.

December 03, 2024 at 07:53 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Kazuko Russell.



December 03, 2024 at 02:26 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kazuko Russell.

December 03, 2024 at 02:26 PM



“ From Your Flowerwood Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Kazuko Russell.



From Your Flowerwood Family - December 03, 2024 at 10:08 AM



“ So sorry for your loss, Sharon and all the Russell family.
Tom Smith
Flowerwood Nursery

Tom Smith - December 03, 2024 at 08:26 AM

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“ Roy, I am so sorry for your loss. I know God will see you and the kids through this grieving time.

Bettie Clark Carter - December 02, 2024 at 07:21 PM