



Donna Brodie

February 16, 2013

Donna Gale Brodie, 49 of Rossville, Georgia traveled to her chosen destination, Heaven, to be with God for all eternity this Saturday, February 16, 2013 peacefully at her home with her husband and daughters by her side. Mrs. Brodie was preceded in death by her paternal grandfather; Ernest V. Henegar, maternal grandparents; Fred D. and Elsie Marie Richardson and her beloved mother; Alice Marie Henegar. Mrs Brodie is survived by her devoted husband; Mr. Raymond R. Brodie Jr. a daughter; Mrs. Amber Regal and her husband Mr. Chad Regal both of Flintstone, Ga. and daughter; Miss Tasha Brodie of Rossville, Ga. Other survivors include her father Mr. Donald G. Henegar, of Rossville, Ga., Paternal grandmother; Ms. Ruby Mulkey of Chattanooga, Tn., brother and sister in law; Mr. John F. and Jacqueline Henegar of Ringgold, Ga., brother in law; Mr. Robbie Brodie of Chickamauga, Ga., brother and sister in law; Mr. And Mrs. Steve and Gwen Brodie of Ringgold, Ga., Also her beloved granddaughter, Miss Makenzie Regal. Also, many beloved aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews and friends will remember Donna with love.

Mrs. Brodie was born October 27, 1963 in Southgate, Los Angeles County, California. She attended Cloud Springs Elementary, Lakeview Middle School and was a 1981 graduate of Lakeview Fort Oglethorpe High School. Her professional career choice was nursing where she proudly served the Fort Oglethorpe, East Ridge and Chattanooga communities for over 25 years. Most of that time was served at the Hutcheson Medical Center in Fort

Oglethorpe helping save lives in the trauma / emergency unit. On February 26, 1983, Miss Donna Henegar married the man of her dreams and became Mrs. Donna Brodie for life.

Mrs. Brodie also had many interests other than her chosen profession. She loved to worship God and was a member of Shiloh Baptist Church in Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. Spending time with her family was always at the top of her list. However, her other interests including playing with her B.F.F. Makenzie, softball, golf, fishing, camping, Georgia Bulldog football, laughing, loving and enjoying life, especially with her husband, Ray of nearly 30 years. As a child Donna loved twirling baton, tennis, softball, singing and playing music with her mother, cheerleading and travel. Her "Happy Place" was the sugar white beaches of Destin, Florida where she traveled to countless times during her optimistic and fun loving life and spent many a happy day in her perfect place on earth. However, Donna's greatest talents were her patience, kindness to others, leadership, positive outlook and the God given ability to develop her own unique style of communication with canvas, paint and a brush. A legacy to be cherished by all that knew and loved her.

Special thanks to all of the fine physicians, nurses and staff at the Memorial Hospital Oncology department for their professionalism and compassion and also all of the fine people that represent Chattanooga Hospice and the unique comforting service they provide. Sadly, there will be one less survivor at Purple Stride Chattanooga 2013. www.pancan.org

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 PM Wednesday, Feb. 20, 2013 at Shiloh Baptist Church with Reverends Paul O'Neal, Derrell O'Neal, and Joe Pickett officiating. Entombment will follow at Tennessee-Georgia Memorial Park. Family will receive friends from 4:00 PM until 8:00 PM Monday, 1:00 PM until 8:00 PM Tuesday at the funeral home, and will receive friends at the church from 11:00 AM until service time Wednesday. Arrangements are by W.L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home-Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.

Tribute Wall

JN

“ Our Dearest Neighbor's,
We have heard of your loss and are so grieved by the news. We are praying for all of you and if you need anything or just need someone to talk to we are here for you. Donna was a beautiful and precious person. Ray we remember also when that bad storm hit and trees were down everywhere you came immediately to check on us, we are blessed to have a neighbor like that. You also helped keep an eye on my Son Zeke when I was a single Mom trying to work. My Son is also saddened by Donna's passing. I have went through some hard times with my health the last couple of years and still suffer with ITP. The last time I was blessed to have a conversation with Donna was on my porch and of course it was about those flocks of birds that fly in. I will never forget her sweet personality and beautiful smile?

John and Carolyn Davis - Rossville, GA - Neighbors - February 21, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Ray, Tasha, And Amber, my heart is broken for you with the loss of Donna. She was one of the best nurses I have ever had the privilege of working with. She never had a mean word to say about anyone, and I so enjoyed playing softball with her. She was such a fun loving person, and she was a lady completely. This world has lost one of it's brightest shining stars, and it will always be dimmer because of it. I am very thankful that I had the honor of knowing Donna, and working beside her for all those years at the Hutch. May God give you all Peace that passes understanding, knowing that Donna is residing now with her God, and suffers and hurts no more. Rest In Peace, Sweet Angel. You have earned it!

Jay Westmoreland - February 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ Dear Amber,
I am so sorry to hear of the recent passing of your mother.
I know she was such a special part of your life, and always will
be. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.
Love, JJ

Jennifer Joy - Ooltewah, TN - former co-worker to Amber - February 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ I last saw Donna one Sunday afternoon. She had such a glow about her! We laughed about our days in the ER at Hutcheson and how our lives have changed as we continued our different nursing paths. One thing that had not changed was the friendship and Christian bond we had. We had a saying in the ER that we were "saving lives and making a difference in the world". She truly lived up to that statement. I am not saying good bye to Donna, just "See ya later my friend!"

Carolyn Wooten, RN - Fort Oglethorpe, GA - friend - February 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Heaven has received one of the most beautiful angels. My heart hurts for you Tasha and your family. I'm praying for you all. God Bless You All.

Pamela Hicks - Rossville, GA - Friend - February 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ Amber...my heart goes out to you and your family. The love of a mother is like no other love. Her beautiful spirit will be missed. I am praying for you and here for you if you need anything!

Beth Hixson - Chattanooga, TN - February 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ *My heart goes out to all of you right now. Donna was a very special strong woman with a big heart. She was a great mother, wife, and grandmother. I am so sorry. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers.*

Jackie Saylor - Chattanooga, TN - February 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

WP

“ *My condolences to the family. Donna was a very skilled and compassionate care giver.*

William Lewis - NC - Former Hutcheson EMS Paramedic - February 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ *Amber,
Our love and prayers go out to you and all of your family in this time of loss. Know that you have many girls at work who were thinking of you today and will be here for you if you need anything at all. We love you.*

Amanda & Clay Conwill - Rossville, GA - co-worker with daughter - February 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM