



Mrs. Linda Gail Campbell

October 16, 1948 - September 12, 2016

On September 12, 2016 at 7:10 am, Linda Gail Campbell gave her last in the fight she had fought for years against illness and passed on. Born on October 16, 1948 to Beatrice and Wilbur Bandy, Linda Gail was blessed with a loving sister Bettye Parris and a gregarious brother Richard "Jigs" Hall. Her precious sister is still going strong while her brother was waiting for Gail when she arrived in that next world.

Gail was married to Leon Campbell for an astounding 48 years, and they were only weeks away from their 49th anniversary. It is worth noting those years all started from a blind date. They had two sons; Marcus Leon in 1971 and Jeremy Earl in 1980. Gail may have left them behind in this physical world; but her compassionate, loving, patient, and generous nature lives on in all three of them and her love will always be with them. Gail devoted her life to the care of her family and was, by all measurable standards and objectives, the perfect mother.

Gail was blessed to have many nieces and nephews, as well as an extended family that most would have sworn was a large group of brothers and sisters. Bill, Mike, George, Patricia, Lynn, Barbara, Carolyn, Wanda, Debby, Glenda, Peggy, and Letrice all meant the world to her as did all of their children and their children's children. She always had an open door and a hot meal waiting for her loved ones.

She was also known as "Momma Campbell" to so many of her son's friends. Her hospitality and warmth was apparent to anyone who was fortunate enough to have met her. She had the biggest heart that opened wide for almost everyone. Gail didn't allow anyone to leave her house hungry. Her love of nature and all of its splendor was so much a part of her beautiful soul. She never wanted anything on four feet to be hungry or wander off again from her home (sometimes much to her husbands frustration, but he never begrudged her sheltering a stray...or five.)

There can be no doubt that the wonderful person she was will continue to brighten this world. It has been said that one candle can light thousands, and so we know that there are countless candles burning more brightly because of the light that was Linda Gail Campbell.

She didn't want a funeral or a service but the family is going to have a small "rememberin" soon. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to "The Shy Wolf Sanctuary" in Naples Florida.

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Tribute Wall

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“ I MET THIS BEAUTIFUL SWEET SOUL, THROUGH HER SON (OUR SON) JEREMY...RIGHT BEFORE THE HOLIDAYS, WHEN HE CAME TO WORK WITH OUR COMPANY, A FEW YEARS AGO.HE WAS BEARING "HOMEMADE GIFTS," THAT HIS MOMMA MADE...THE BEST CANDY AND COOKIES EVER, ALL DRESSED UP IN HOLIDAY "TINS," MY, MY, MY, I KNEW I LOVED THIS KID AND HIS MOTHER. THE 1ST HUG AND SMILE ON HER FACE WHEN WE MET, WILL ALWAYS HAVE A WARM PLACE IN MY HEART...YOU GUYS WERE TRULY BLESSED, TO HAVE SUCH A WONDERFUL WIFE, MOTHER, & FRIEND, THAT YOU SHARED WITH US...SHE WILL BE MISSED, BUT FOREVER REMEMBERED! <3 YEVOVA



Yevola Green - September 15, 2016 at 04:39 PM

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“ My best friend and relative. Never to be forgotten. Miss you so much. We had such great times when we were together .She was just so funny and entertaining. Loved to go to her house and watch Leon and her do that crazy bickering that was all love and part of the relationship. Never left there without food, a gift and a smile. Love you aunt Gail.

Glanda Widger - September 14, 2016 at 03:09 PM

DB

“ I have many fond memories with “Momma Campbell,” such as our Medieval Times experience a few years back. Her candor and quick-witt kept me laughing and on my toes for sure. Our memories are just that -- forever memorable. She was just awesome.

My condolences to her family and friends.

David Beard

David Beard - September 14, 2016 at 10:48 AM

HF

“ We are sorry about Gail. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. If there is anything we can do let us know. Love,
Rickey and Sherrie Holcomb and Family.



Holcomb Family - September 14, 2016 at 10:24 AM