



Mrs. Sharon Melinda Abellar

April 24, 1959 - August 9, 2024

Sharon Melinda Higginbotham Abellar age 65, of Cleveland, TN went home to be with The Lord Friday – August 9, 2024. She was born in Jacksonville, Florida and was of the Christian faith. She was a devoted Navy wife, moving to the Philippines, Hawaii, Washington State, California, Pensacola, Florida and several other barracks. She enjoyed cooking, collecting recipe books and anything Hello Kitty. She loved Jesus and studying her Bible. Romans 14:7)“For none of us liveth to himself, and no man dieth to himself. 8)For whether we live, we live unto The Lord; and whether we die, we die unto The Lord: whether we live therefore, or die, we are The Lord’s. 9)For to this end Christ both died, and rose, and revived, that He might be Lord both of the dead and living.” She is preceded in death by her father: Joseph Jackson Higginbotham and her husband: Victor Licayan Abellar. She is survived by her mother and step-father: Claud Orville and Maxine Kruse of Ooltewah, TN, her sisters: Mary Jean Rogers of CA, April Dawn (Thomas) Crites of Oak Ridge, TN, brothers: Joseph Paul Higginbotham, Claud Orville (Carol) Kruse, Jr. of Ooltewah, TN, Shawn Kevin (Angela) Kruse of Rossville, GA, several nieces and nephews that she loved dearly. The family will celebrate her life with a memorial service on Monday - August 4, 2025 at 10:00 am. Arrangements by W.L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes – Fort Oglethorpe Chapel. Online register book at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Chattanooga National Cemetery

Holtzclaw Ave.
Chattanooga, TN

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

AUG 4. 10:00 AM (ET)

Chattanooga National Cemetery
1200 Bailey Ave
Chattanooga, TN 37404
(423) 855-6590

Tribute Wall

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“ Ohh Sharon was such a good friend we met at Sage Manufacturing and became friends with her and Victor and when we move to Hawaii then the next thing Sharon and Victor moved there too we were joyed to have them there and we always had laughter with them. Sharon was a very caring soul and loved God so much and Victor was her life she was strong minded but she was very fair and very independent she had so many qualities just joy to be around. Our Dear Friend You Will Be Forever In Our Hearts And Will Be Truly Missed!!! Our Prayers go out to Sharon's Family!!!

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