



Helen Louise Kirkland Smith

May 7, 1943 - November 8, 2016

Helen Louise Kirkland Smith, 73 of Bessemer, Alabama, passed away early Tuesday Morning, November 8, 2016 from a long battle with Cancer. She was born on May 7, 1943, Hopewell, AL. A retired employee of Jeff. County. A very beautiful lady, inside and out, who had a love for her family and friends that exceeded all. A Mother, Grandmother, Great Grandmother, Sister, Aunt, Niece and Cousin, all of which she was proud to be. She loved being around her friends and family, she cherished them all. She had a great love for life & BAMA Football (Roll Tide). Survived by her Daughter & Son in Law, Lisa S. Bowden & Robert, of Gulf Breeze, FL. Sister, Mary Gamble of Hopewell, Grandson Christopher Lenning & family, Ashley, Brantley & Presten of WA., Granddaughter Heather Pierce & family, Jason, Ryleigh & Colins of Clanton, Granddaughter Casey McGowan, Jon & Maggie of Bessemer, many nieces, nephews & friends. She was preceded in death by her Parents, Ralph & Adge Kirkland, her children Kelley Smith, Byron Smith, Shelly Smith and Granddaughter Courtney Engelbert. Visitation will be held Saturday, November 12, 2016 from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. at Bessemer Brown Service Funeral Home. Funeral service will be Saturday at 11:00 a.m. at the funeral home with burial following at Hickman Chapel Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Helen Louis was our Hero. She showed us how live, laugh and love and was an inspiration to everyone she ever met. Helen is in Heaven with her loved one's now which she so longed to see again. FLY HIGH AUNT HELEN. We will never forget you. RIP*

Mitzi Weaver and Family - November 13, 2016 at 01:29 PM

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“ *Sorry to hear of Ms Helen passing, she will be missed by many. Prayers for her Family*

Gregg Franklin - November 11, 2016 at 09:24 AM

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“ *Precious memories of this dear sweet lady go back to our early childhood and I treasure them. May God bless and comfort you.*

Carolyn Spradlin - November 10, 2016 at 06:00 PM