



Hazel Elizabeth "Bettye" Walker

April 26, 1946 - August 25, 2015

Hazel Elizabeth "Bettye" Walker 69 of Bowling Green passed away Tuesday August 25, 2015 at the University of Missouri Medical Center in Columbia. She was cremated and final disposition will be in Weaver Cemetery in Bristol, TN.

Bettye was born on April 26, 1946 in Bristol, VA, the daughter of James Carl and Gladys Irene Sluss McMurray. She was raised mostly in Tennessee by her mother and stepfather, Roy F. Guffey.

Surviving are her three children: Dianna Gordon and husband Dirk of Lufkin, TX, Jim Walker and wife Melissa and Ben Walker and wife Gail of Bowling Green and six grandchildren: Cody Gordon, Derek Gordon and Trey Gordon, Brianna Walker, Morgan Walker and Mellany Way-Ziebol; brother Zane Guffey of Knoxville, TN and nephews Michael, David and Daniel Tompos. Preceding Bettye in death were her father, mother and stepfather and sister Dale Tompos.

Bettye loved her family fiercely and enjoyed spending time with them whenever she could. She also loved cats (especially her "babies" Molly and Marty), sewing, and reading the Bible. She missed being in Tennessee, which she always considered home.

The family plans a private graveside service in Tennessee. Memorials may be made to the family of Hazel Elizabeth "Bettye" Walker in care of the Bibb-Veach Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

JW

“ *Jim Walker lit a candle in memory of Hazel Elizabeth "Bettye" Walker*



Jim Walker - November 11, 2015 at 01:01 AM

SB

“ *So sorry to hear of your loss, Jim, Melissa, Bree, and MJ. Please accept my sincerest condolences.*

Stacey Bibb - August 28, 2015 at 08:51 PM

DC

“ *Condolences to the family. God's Blessings.*

Dianne Collins - August 28, 2015 at 08:51 PM

DT

“ *David Tompos lit a candle in memory of Hazel Elizabeth "Bettye" Walker*



david tompos - August 28, 2015 at 08:34 PM

DT

“ *the best memory i have is talking to her over the phone. she always know have to make me laugh with her sense of humor. i have so much fun talking to her. when i was with her in person we always talk about old times. i will never forget that. i love you aunt bettye. i miss you so much.*

David Tompos - August 28, 2015 at 07:51 PM

LF

“ *Laura Frederick lit a candle in memory of Hazel Elizabeth "Bettye" Walker*



Laura Frederick - August 28, 2015 at 02:31 PM