



Veronica "Lynne" Davis

January 22, 1950 - January 21, 2016

Veronica "Lynne" Davis, age 65 years, a resident of Vienna and a former resident of New Haven, passed away Thursday evening, January 21, 2016, at 10:58 PM at Baptist Health in Paducah following a brief but courageous battle with cancer.

Lynne was born January 22, 1950 in New Haven, Illinois. She was the daughter of Al and Laura Lee (Lawrence) Davis.

Lynne was formerly united in marriage to Dennis Keith McDowell.

Survivors include: her children – Dawn (Bryan) Wendleton of Dublin, California, Shawn McDowell of New Haven, Michael "Mickey" Graville of California, and Stephanie Graville of Las Vegas, Nevada; 8 grandchildren – Justin, Jonah, and Emilee Wendleton, Alexa and Hailey McDowell, and McKenna and Madison Graville; a sister – Vonda Burnam of Vienna; a sister-in-law – Linda Burnam Slone of Cypress; 2 nieces – Katie Ashford and Rachel Stewart; 2 aunts – Leveda Pyle of New Haven and Ilean Downs of Godfrey; cousins – Chris and Regina; a great niece and 2 great nephews - Sydnie Kerley, Will & Wyatt Ashford.

Lynne was preceded in death by her father – Al Davis; her mother – Laura Lee Norris; an infant grandson – Tyler Lee Joiner; and her brother – Terry

Burnam.

Lynne was a 1967 graduate of Ridgway High School. She had been employed as a restaurant manager and also was the owner and operator of her own housekeeping business.

Lynne was of the Baptist faith. Locally, she attended the Benton Community Church.

Lynne is remembered by her family as being an excellent cook. Her signature dessert was her coconut cream pie. Lynne also enjoyed traveling and fishing.

A memorial service honoring the life of Veronica "Lynne" Davis will be conducted Tuesday morning, January 26, 2016, at 10 AM at the Benton Community Church, 5050 Reevesville Road, Grantsburg, Illinois. Brother Bob Murley will officiate.

A graveside service will be conducted Tuesday afternoon, January 26, 2016, at 2 PM at Union Ridge Cemetery, 1102 County Road 355 North, New Haven, Illinois. Brother Buddy Hubbard will officiate.

A private gathering of immediate family and close friends will be conducted at Bailey Funeral Home. However, there will be no public visitation.

Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, Tennessee 38105 or to the National Autism Association, 1 Park Avenue, Suite 1, Portsmouth, Rhode Island 02871.

To share a memory of Lynne or to leave an online message of condolence for her family, please visit www.baileyfh.com

Cemetery Details

Union Ridge Cemetery

1102 County 355 North
New Haven, IL

Previous Events

Service

JAN 26. 10:00 AM (CT)

Benton Community Church
5050 Reevesville Road
Grantsburg, IL

Service

JAN 26. 2:00 PM (CT)

Union Ridge Cemetery
1102 County 355 North
New Haven, IL

Tribute Wall



“ *Veronica "Lynne" Davis*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *One of the most beautiful souls I have ever had the chance to encounter. So many people knew this wonderful woman as friend. She grew to be so much more than that to my family. We grew to know this wonderful woman as my aunt Lynn and no blood would ever be able to tell me different. She was here obviously to touch as many souls as this woman could and believe me she did in so many ways. Oh the memories I have that involve this beautiful soul you can only begin to imagine. Memories are a once in a lifetime thing so many take these for granted any more and that's where they make a mistake because you miss out on so many things. I am so happy I had the love of this woman to share so many memories with. May you my dear be cherished for all your glory dear, may you dance in the streets of heaven as your feet aren't touching the ground. With all my love I send to you my beautiful aunt Lynn*

amanda francisco - January 28, 2016 at 05:46 AM



“ *" I have so many memories of Lynne she lived with us in Kentucky for a few years and my children would call her Aunt Lynne she would get up and be getting ready for work with music blaring in the background she would laugh and everyone would just start laughing with her smile was so infectious she would light up a room. Lynne had a heart of gold she would try to do anything she could to help someone even if it was her last penny she would give. I love you Lynne, and I will miss you my friend but we will meet again one day! Save a place for us my friend till we meet again. "*

Barbara Francisco - January 25, 2016 at 07:23 PM

 Vickie
Wilson

“ I have way to many memories to try to post. The best memory I will have is the fact that Lynne had a heart of gold. Lynne was always there when you needed her. She would do anything she possibly could to help anyone. And that laugh, oh that laugh. Just thinking of it makes me cry and smile at the same time. Love you Lynne, I will miss you so much 🍀💛💜💐💕💖💗💘💙💚💛💜💐💕💖💗💘💙💚

Vickie Wilson - January 23, 2016 at 04:48 PM