



Glenda Carlotta Root

June 22, 1943 - January 31, 2011

Glenda Carlotta Root, 67, of Searcy, died Monday, January 31, 2011 at her home. She was born in Denmark, Arkansas June 22, 1943 a daughter of the late Homer Buck and Lorene Hays. She was a homemaker, a born again Christian and a very loving, family oriented person.

She is survived by her daughters, Elizabeth Essmyer and husband Chris of Butte, Montana, Amanda Wallace and husband John of West Des Moines, Iowa and Allison Freewalt and husband Art of Hot Springs Village, Arkansas; a son, Scott Root of Atlanta, Georgia; brothers, Billy Hays of Denmark, Bobby Hays and Dennis Hays both of Searcy; sisters, Shirley Boswell of Searcy, Marlene Hays of Judsonia and Faye Henderson of Victoria, Texas; grandchildren, Jeremiah Saunders, Rebecca Peterson, Sarah Peterson, Cliff Wallace, Jarrod Wallace and Seth Wallace.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, February 5, 2011 at 2:00 p.m. at the Powell Funeral Home Chapel in Bald Knob.

Cremation arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home, Bald Knob-Judsonia. www.powellfuneralhome.net.

Tribute Wall

SA

“ God, Thanks for giving us Glenda Root. She was the mother of four beautiful children who all hold a special place in my heart. The world is a better place because of her accomplishment of bearing them. Your Word states that children are a gift from the Lord, and I feel that next to your son Jesus- this was your greatest gift. I know she didn't do it alone, so thanks for their father and grandparents too. You changed my life when you gave me Allie and the Root kids, and I will be forever grateful. She is my best friend in the world and because of her, I am blessed. I pray you welcome Glenda into Your Kingdom and give her the Peace that only you can bestow to us. In Jesus' Name I pray, Amen

Shelley Austin - May 04, 2016 at 07:20 PM

AL

“ I lost my friend, my mother, and I will miss her so very much.

Allison - February 10, 2016 at 05:08 PM

AW

“ You were loved, Mother and you will be missed. I'm sorry that Lizzy made off with your DNA, but I am glad that you are now at peace.

Amanda Wallace - February 10, 2016 at 05:08 PM

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Amen

Shelley Austin - February 10, 2016 at 05:08 PM

DW

“ We had alot of fun onthe farm when we were growing up.

Donna Worrell - February 10, 2016 at 05:08 PM

EE

“ Mom.....I miss you so much..... You were the best mother.....I wish I could have been with you, but you are safe now. You are beautiful inside and out and will forever be with us. Wrong..Mandy, I very much love Mother, but I will be keeping my DNA!!!! LOL

Elizabeth "Lizzie" Root Essmyer - February 10, 2016 at 05:08 PM

LE

“ Love you

Lizzie Essmyer - February 10, 2016 at 05:08 PM

CE

“ *First and foremost I want to give praise and glory to God for giving me the best mom-in-law. I'll miss her very much...and I want to give thanks for mom leaving her DNA with my wonderful and awesome wife (lizzy), and my sisters-in-law my best friend (Allie) and Mandy, not to forget my only brother-in-law (Scott). God be with you all and peace be with all who knew Glenda as we go on with life without her.*

Love you all so very much!

Chris Essmyer - February 10, 2016 at 05:08 PM

KJ

“ *My memories of Aunt Glenda as a child are fond she was always very affectionate and extremely kind when we would visit. I would love to just look at her because of how beautiful she was as were the rest of my aunts.*

Everytime I would visit as an adult she was always sweet to embrace me ...she was most gracious when my husband died in 1988 and never failed to want an update on my girls and my life. Her hugs were genuine and her heart was warm.

The last time I saw her was on my Dad's birthday and all the sisters were there... they were giving each other a hard way to go one minute and making each other and everyone else laugh the next. What a sense of humor.... I loved it...I loved her gentle and sweet voice...on our last visit as she was leaving we had a special lingering hug and it truly blessed my heart.

To the surviving members of this fantastic woman my thoughts and prayers are with you all...God Bless

Kim Hays Johnson - February 10, 2016 at 05:08 PM