



Beverly Smyly Lloyd

May 28, 1953 - July 21, 2017

Beverly Smyly Lloyd, beloved Christian wife, mother, and grandmother, passed away on July 21, 2017. She leaves behind her husband, Thomas W. Lloyd, son Philip Michael Lloyd, daughter Rachael Lloyd Garrett, son-in-law Jeremy Garrett, and two grandchildren, Clara Faith Garrett, and Elijah Thomas Garrett.

Beverly was a faithful and loving wife of 38 years, and loved by both sides of their families. She was also dearly loved by her two sisters, Sybil Smitherman (Stevie) and Linda Erickson (Steve), and their families, as well as her husbands four siblings, Judy Barrett (Ken), David Lloyd (Carol), Russell Lloyd (Diana) and Jay Lloyd (Beth) and their families.

Beverly was born and raised in Selma, Alabama, graduated from Selma High, received her B.A. from Birmingham Southern, did graduate work during her teaching assistantships at Auburn University, and later received a Masters in Education from University of Alabama in Birmingham.

Beverly Lloyd was an excellent and popular teacher of English, Drama, and Gifted English. She also used her remarkable teaching and drama gifts in the community as a Board Member of ACTA in Trussville. She taught for many years in a Christian school while her two children were growing up, and later at various public schools, ending her career at North Jefferson Middle School

until her health conditions forced her to retire early.

Beverly had a keen and insightful sense of humor, a kind heart, and a determined faith in Jesus Christ. She was well known in the Birmingham Tres Dias Community where she had served actively for many years. She was also involved in the Women's Community Bible Study in Trussville, and in the many churches where she and her husband had attended and served, including Huffman Assembly,(eventually Cathedral of the Cross), Metro Church, Argo Prebyterian (now Argo Christian Fellowship), Church of the Highlands, and First Presbyterian Church of Trussville .

In many of these churches, Beverly also enjoyed volunteering to work in the nursery. She had a special tender love for newborns, and having two grandchildren was one of the greatest pleasures of her life. That great pleasure, and her quiet love for her whole family, describe her heart.

Memorial service will be on Thursday, July 27, 2017 at 1:00 PM at the Metropolitan Church of God in Birmingham, Alabama.

Deerfoot Memorial Funeral Home - directing.
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Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL 27. 1:00 PM (CT)

Metropolitan Church Of God
2800 Metropolitan Way
Birmingham, AL 35243

Tribute Wall



“ I witnessed 9/11 happen in Mrs Lloyds class at Warrior High school. From that day forward, my classmates and I had a special bond with her that I've carried with me all these years. I came looking for her in hopes of connecting on Facebook and exchanging the excitement of our missing one another. Mrs Lloyd , your gentle and kind heart will truly be missed . With love ,
Jalessia Washington-Williams

Lisa Le - June 08, 2023 at 11:31 PM



“ What a wonderful memorial service. Tom did a terrific job sharing her powerful testimony. I know that my class from Cathedral Christian loved her and we are thinking of and praying for the family.
-Matt Ford, CCS class of 1995



Matt Ford - July 27, 2017 at 05:40 PM



“ Mrs. Lloyd was such a sweet teacher. She always had a smile on her face. My prayers are with her family.



Shannon (Parris) McCray - July 26, 2017 at 10:24 PM

CW

“ Christy Grier Wallace lit a candle in memory of Beverly Smyly Lloyd



Christy Grier Wallace - July 26, 2017 at 07:02 PM

DH

“ I have many dear memories of Beverly. We rocked our girls together and chatted in the nursery at church. We spent many New Year's Eves together playing games and bringing in the New Year. We taught together at CCS. We were in Easter dramas together. Beverly was quite the thespian. One special memory is when Tom and Beverly provided the entertainment for my husband's 40th surprise birthday party. They wrote and performed an original and very humorous script of what could have been (though wasn't) our 1st date. What a comedy and gift that was ! Tom, Rachael, and Michael, May The Holy Spirit, our Great Comforter, bring peace to your hearts during this difficult time. Please know that you are on my mind and in my prayers. Much love, Dawn Huguenard

Dawn Huguenard - July 26, 2017 at 03:00 PM

WC

“ Wanda Champion sent a virtual gift in memory of Beverly Smyly Lloyd



Wanda Champion - July 25, 2017 at 12:46 PM

PG

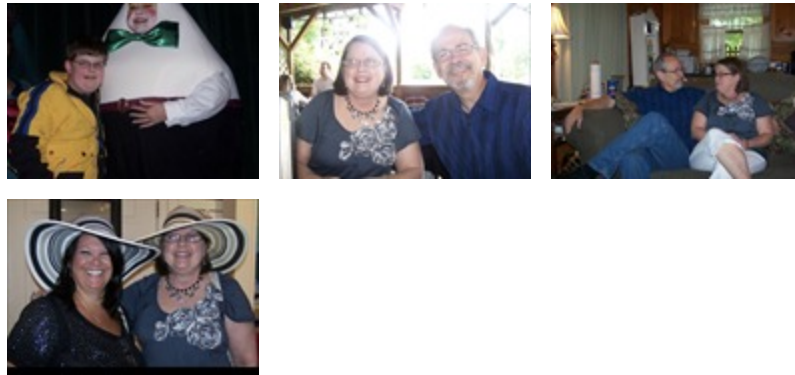
“ Pam Bunch Gregg lit a candle in memory of Beverly Smyly Lloyd



Pam Bunch Gregg - July 25, 2017 at 12:15 PM

TR

“ 4 files added to the album *My sweet friendship and sisterhood*



Tina Robbins - July 25, 2017 at 10:14 AM

TR

“ *My friend ,My sister, My crazy kinship, I loved her she loved me! I will always love her family! I will miss her but I am thankful she is happy an healthy! Praise the Lord for her precious life.*

Tina Robbins - July 25, 2017 at 10:05 AM