



## Wanda Ruth Smith

July 1, 1940 - February 9, 2017

### Wanda Smith

On February 09, 2017 with her husband and five daughters at her side, Wanda went to be with her Lord. She was born to John Elvie and Bertha Lou (Rawls) Deeds on July 1, 1940 in Brooksmith, TX.

Wanda graduated from Early High School and soon after married the love of her life, Roy Lon Smith on January 30, 1959. This wonderful marriage lasted 58 years at the time of her passing. Together they were blessed with five beautiful daughters.

She spent 33 years as a teacher in the Dallas Independent School District where she taught profoundly handicapped children.

She was also an outstanding cook and almost always had something sweet for her grandchildren. She loved planting flowers and tending to her garden and fruit trees, he enjoyed canning which was shared with her large family throughout the years. She enjoyed spending all her time with her family on holidays or anytime they dropped by. Wanda enjoyed going to garage sale, looking for bargains. Pink was her favorite color. She enjoyed traveling with her daughters seeing new places. One of her biggest gifts in life were her five beautiful daughters which she loved dearly. Wanda had a contagious smile and laughter as well as a love for life.

Wanda is survived by Husband, Roy Lon Smith of Richland Springs, TX, 5 daughters; Belinda Noble, husband, Jackie of Forney, TX, Mary Rolison, husband, Thomas of Whitesboro, TX, Wanda Faye Smith of Mesquite, TX,

Denise Martin, husband Mike of Forney, TX, Shelia Miller, husband, Roy of Forney, TX along with 13 Grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. Also surviving her is her brother, Ross Deeds, of Early TX and sisters, Judy Hall of Hewett, TX and Mary Cole of Brownwood, TX

Wanda was predeceased by her parents, brother, John Deeds as well as her sister, Patricia Browder.

Pallbearers

Justin Miller, Cody Smith, Chase Martin, Ryan Westbrook, Chase Counts, Brian Deeds

# Tribute Wall

KM

“ *Belinda and family, you are all in my thoughts and prayers. Take comfort in knowing Ms. Wanda is at peace and suffers no longer. Hold on to the great memories that you all had together and lean on each other for comfort support. Also, please allow your friends to comfort you during this time. I always have a shoulder for any of you. Love you so much.*

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**Karen McDade** - February 13, 2017 at 03:16 PM

DD

“ *AWW MS. SMITH, I WILL MISS YOU DEARLY, YOUR SMILE AND YOUR JOY. I GREW UP KNOWING YOU AND YOUR DAUGHTER AS FAMILY YOU NEVER EVER TURNED AWAY FROM ME OR MY SISTERS YOU LOVED US LIKE WE WERE YOUR OWN. YOU WILL BE WATCHING US FROM ABOVE WITH YOUR BEAUTIFUL SMILE, I LOVE YOU AND WILL MISS YOU DEARLY.*

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**DIANA DAVILA** - February 13, 2017 at 02:26 PM

SH

“ *My deepest condolences to each of you for the loss of your mother/grandmother. I know the pain you feel today is unmeasurable. I pray that in the coming days, weeks, months, and years your sadness will be replaced by the loving memories you have of Mrs. Smith.*

*Much Love,  
Sharon Hudspeth*

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**Sharon Hudspeth** - February 13, 2017 at 12:28 PM

LR

“ *Shelia, I'm so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May God bless you with comfort and strength. Cherish the beautiful memories of your mother.*  
*Linda Riedel*

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**Linda Riedel** - February 13, 2017 at 11:23 AM

JS

“ *We send you love and sympathy for your loss. Wanda was a lovely person, and we know you will miss her. We remember the daughters when they were small, living in Richland Springs, and playing with our daughters.*  
*Blessings to all.*

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**JD and Melanie Smith** - February 13, 2017 at 09:10 AM

VS

“ *My sympathy to all the Smith sisters. I'm so sorry for your loss. I pray that God will put his loving arms around each and everyone of you and embrace u and give you all strength compassion and comfort during this time. Love you all and may your sweet mom fly high and RIP!*

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**Vondal Stokes** - February 13, 2017 at 12:09 AM

DK

“ To all of the Smith family,  
My deepest sympathy at the loss of your wonderful mother and the best sidekick I ever had. Wanda and I spent so many memorable years working side by side with our special kids and I have never had more joy than I did working with her. I know how deeply she loved all of her wonderful daughters because I heard all about everything all of you did each morning before our day started. And then when the grands started coming, I had the joy of hearing about how wonderful they were. I know you will miss her, but so much of her lives in all of you. May God grant you peace and His love through the days to come.  
Dorothy and Ronnie Tomlinson

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**Dr. Big Kid** - February 12, 2017 at 07:50 PM

GL

“ Belinda and family, we pray that God will comfort you in His arms of Love. May God give you strength during this time.

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**Gregory and Robin Lyons** - February 12, 2017 at 04:07 PM

TC

“ I never saw more love for what must have been such a special lady from her daughter. Please accept our sincerest condolences and our prayers for comfort during this time.  
Troy & Renee Cecil

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**Troy & Renee Cecil** - February 11, 2017 at 11:34 PM

SA

“ Belinda,  
I know there are no special words just hold on to the special memories. Wishing you Gods peace, comfort and love.

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**Serina Alexander** - February 11, 2017 at 11:05 PM

CH

“ To the extended Smith family I want to express my sincere condolences over the loss of a wonderful mother, grandmother and great grandmother. I know she will be sorely missed and can't imagine the impact she had on so many lives during her time here on earth. Carla

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**Carla Hatcher** - February 11, 2017 at 06:41 PM

LE

“ We are so sorry for you loss. Your Mother was a blessing to everyone. Your sister a true friend I know you well miss her. Linda and J.V. Hall

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**Linda Hall Eggleston** - February 11, 2017 at 06:10 PM

SB

“ Belinda and family, I'm so very sorry for your loss and you are in my thoughts and prayers .love you all

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**Suzanne benedict** - February 11, 2017 at 05:42 PM

GR

“ Dear Belinda, Mary, Wanda, Denise, Sheila,  
Please accept my deepest sympathy in the passing of your dear sweet mother. You girls are her legacy. She was a wonderful mother , teacher , friend. I know how much you will miss her. Remember all those wonderful memories blessings and peace to all of you girls and your families.

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**Gale Regalado** - February 11, 2017 at 03:42 PM

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Gale Regalado - February 11, 2017 at 03:40 PM

KR

“ Belinda and family,  
My heartfelt sympathies are with you at this time. Prayers are being lifted for you and your family. My God continue to provide comfort, strength and peace. Hugs and much love, Karen

Karen Reed - February 11, 2017 at 03:14 PM

KS

“ Belinda and family my heartfelt sympathy to you on your loss. All my love and prayers to you in this very difficult time. May she rest in the lords arms and watch over you always. God bless love Kim

Kim Spoerre - February 11, 2017 at 02:25 PM

LS

“ Belinda, you have our heartfelt sympathy on the passing of your mother. I know she will be greatly missed, but she is with God now and she will be watching over you and your whole family every day. Love and prayers. Linda and Mel Spoerre 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏❤️❤️❤️

Linda and Mel Spoerre - February 11, 2017 at 02:12 PM

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**Linda and Mel Spoerre** - February 11, 2017 at 01:53 PM