



Linda Ruth Long

January 10, 1947 - December 11, 2022

Linda Ruth Long, 75, of Marble Hill departed this earth to her Heavenly Home, on Sunday, December 11, 2022, surrounded by her loving family.

She was born in Bessville, MO, on January 10, 1947, to the late Luke (Jed) & Beulah (Butler) Sitze. She married Jerry Long on June 03, 1967. He preceded her in death on January 11, 2014.

Linda was a hard working woman that enjoyed many years at the Paramount Hat Factory in Marble Hill. She had a deep love for her family, especially her great grands! She loved drinking coffee at the table watching her cattle and farm animals at her home, Beulah Land Farm. She had a big love for all animals and her furry babies Peggy Sue, Dolly, Peaches, and Maggie Mae. She was a devout member of New Bethel Congregational Methodist Church. Her and her husband Jerry spent many years working hard for the church and the Calvary Hilltop Church Camp.

Survivors include sisters Lola Henson and Evelyn Robins, both of Marble Hill, MO; son, Michael Long of Dexter, MO; daughter, Tammy (Leroy) Long Hiatt of Marble Hill, MO; grandchildren, Casey (Shawn) Masters, and Carrie (Johnathan) McGuire, all of Marble Hill, MO; great-grandchildren, Mayah Sweeney, Bridgett Masters, Olivia McGuire, Zach Sweeney (Madison Swift), Hannah (Ray) Tooman, Nate Sweeney, Aaron (Kimber) Sweeney; and her

special nieces and nephews that were like her own children.

She was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; four brothers, Junior Rhodes, Clark, Melvin, and Harley Sitze; two sisters Ruby Moore and Edna Irvin; and one grandson-in-law John Sweeney.

Linda was a very special woman that will be dearly missed by her family and the many people that called her friend.

Visitation will be at Ford and Liley Funeral Home in Marble Hill, on Wednesday, December 14, 2022, from 4:00 pm until 8:00 pm. Visitation will begin again on Thursday, December 15, 2022, at 10:00 am until the time of the service at 11:00 am. The funeral service will begin at 11:00 am at the funeral home in Marble Hill, with Rev. Kevin Stroup officiating.

Burial will follow in Old Union Cemetery in Bessville, MO.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **14.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Liley Funeral Home - Marble Hill
410 Union Street
Marble Hill, MO 63764
(573) 238-2820
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Funeral Service

DEC **15.** 11:00 AM (CT)

Ford and Liley Funeral Home
410 Union Street
Marble Hill, MO 63764

Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Linda Ruth Long.* ”



December 13, 2022 at 08:09 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Linda Ruth Long.* ”



December 13, 2022 at 03:41 PM



“ *Michael and family, so sorry to hear about your mother. I didn't know her, but the son she raised is a wonderful living tribute to her.* ”

Norma VanGennip - December 13, 2022 at 01:54 PM