



Rebecca "Beckie" Smith

July 25, 1945 - June 17, 2015

Rebecca Lynn "Beckie" Smith, 69 of Riverside, Missouri went to be with the Lord on June 17, 2015 at her home surrounded by her loving family. Beckie was born July 25, 1945 to Joe and Mable Phelps in Hutchinson, Kansas. She married Ron Smith July 17, 1966 and to this union two sons were born; Scott and Jason. Beckie attended Sherwood Bible Church for the past 30 years and was an integral member of the Awanas program for 12 years. Beckie adored her family and role as wife, mother and grandmother. She would often be found tending to her beautiful flowers which she enjoyed so very much. Beckie is preceded in death by her parents; Joe and Mable Phelps, grandparents; Iva Mae and Rutherford Hamby and Virgil and Alta Phelps. She is survived by her loving husband of 48 years; Ron of the home; her Sons; Scott and Jennifer Smith and their children; Jackson Ray, Iva Jane and Matilda Lynn; and Jason and Cari Smith and their children; Noah Jay and Madilynn Faye; one sister; Stephanie (Rick) Baker and one brother; Steven (June) Phelps; along with a host of other family and close friends. A Celebration of Life will be held at 3:00 P.M., Sunday, June 21, 2015 with a visitation at 2:00 P.M. at Sherwood Bible Church; 4900 N. Norton Ave; KCMO 64119. Donations are suggested to the Awanas at Sherwood Bible Church and City Union Mission. Fond memories of Beckie and words of comfort may be shared at: www.CashattFamilyFunerals.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 21. 2:00 PM (CT)

Sherwood Bible Church
4900 N. Norton Avenue
Kansas City, MO 64119

Celebration of Life

JUN 21. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Rebecca "Beckie" Smith*

October 04, 2023 at 10:39 PM



“ *Beckie walked in to graduation by my side in 1964. What a genuine and special person with a friendship that will begin again in heaven. We shared phone calls, books, pictures of our families long distance but when talking to Beckie it was like she was in the room. Beckie's voice had a smile and how I wished we lived closer.*

A true friend throughout school and to this day, how I prayed for full recovery, but

Beckie is FREE now and in the arms of her Jesus. My prayer is for Ron, Jason &

Scott and families now. Take up her cross, she will be waiting and watching for you.

Hugs of love to all her family, Cheryl (Higbie) Glover - Tucson, AZ



Cheryl Glover - June 22, 2015 at 01:52 AM



“ *Beckie was one of my classmates of 1964 in Lewis Kansas! I'll always remember her as the face with the ear to ear smile and "genuine concern" for her friends and acquaintances! The few times in the last few years that we did see each other brought back memories of times past! Her smile and joy will always be remembered! Our thoughts today go out to Ron and the family! Speaking for the class of 64, our memories are fond ones of Rebecca Lynn!!!!*

William G britton - June 21, 2015 at 08:14 AM

CV

“ We met Beckie when we lived in Jeddah. Our friendship was a special part of our life there and Kansas City. What fun we had learning to adapt to another culture, language, food and friends in Jeddah. Beckie was a delight, always quick to laugh and make everyone comfortable.

Our friendship continued in Kansas City. We shared Bible study, church, raising our families and life in general. Beckie's quest to know God and His word was one of the things that made her special. It is awesome to know this friendship will continue through out eternity.

We will continue to pray for Ronnie and his family.

Bob and Carol Varker

Carol Varker - June 20, 2015 at 06:12 PM

DM

“ Ron, So sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Doug and Peggy Martin Nixa, Missouri

Doug and Peggy Martin - June 20, 2015 at 10:52 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rebecca "Beckie" Smith.



June 20, 2015 at 08:13 AM

JT

“ *Beckie was just one of those people you fall in love with the first time you meet. She was always thinking of others. Even after she was diagnosed with cancer she would call me and ask, 'Janice, how can I pray for this person?' 'Is there anyone else?' I would look over to the opposite side during church and there was that beautiful smile that said, 'I'm glad to be here in the house of the Lord and I'm glad you're here too!' Just ten days before Beckie left this earth, she was in church. I look back and can hardly believe it. She wasn't going to let anything keep her from hearing God's Word or fellowshiping with her brothers & sisters-in-Christ if she could help it. I got to talk with her that day and the last thing I said to her was, 'I love you.' I'm am so thankful that the Lord gave me that moment with her. I will cherish it until the day that I get to see her again. I know that there is a hole in the hearts of all who knew and loved her. There is certainly a hole in mine. What an inspiration and encouragement she was to all. She finished well. God was and is glorified through her life that she lived for Him. She is resting in His arms and is in no pain...for that we are thankful, but her loss still hurts. I will see you again precious friend. I love you. Janice*

Janice Termini - June 19, 2015 at 09:28 PM

PR

“ *It was SO MUCH FUN working with Beckie in Awana Cubbies our 1st years in Kansas City! She had the best giggle in the world! And she truly adored helping the kids in any way! She was one of our sweetest 'welcomes' to Sherwood Bible Church. What an amazing example she is to all of us! We are aching with you all in this huge loss. Lean hard on the Lord. "He cares for you." I Peter 5:7*

Hugs and love,

Dave & Pris Reimer

Pris Reimer - June 19, 2015 at 08:44 PM

JT

“ I will miss my dear Sunday school student, adopted big sis, dear friend but most importantly my dear sister in Christ. What a testimony to God of a life lived well for Christ and seeing how God gave you His Grace to finish well.

Beckie you have "fought the good fight, you have finished the course, you have kept the faith; There is laid up for you the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to you on that day; and not only to you, but also to all who have loved His appearing. II Timothy 4:8-9.

*See you soon love you.
In The Precious Name of Jesus,
Jeff & Janice Termini*

Jeff Termini - June 19, 2015 at 07:33 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rebecca "Beckie" Smith.



June 19, 2015 at 01:13 PM

MR

“ What a wonderful testimony Beckie lived out to all those around her! She and Ron were terrific examples of what a marriage should look like she was so gentle and kind and such a servant. She will be sorely missed, but how happy she must be now in the presence of the Lord!

Mitzy Remington - June 19, 2015 at 10:39 AM

CH

“It is well with my soul” I can see and hear Becky singing this from glory right now. Smiling from ear to ear as she always did on Sunday. Your beautiful smile and spirit will be very much missed. We are are so very blessed to have known you here on earth. Our hearts go out to Ron and Jason and Scott and their families. May you find peace and rest in the arms of the almighty God.
Gary and Connie Helmers

Connie helmers - June 18, 2015 at 09:01 PM

JM

“ Being at Sherwood Bible Church for a number of years, I remember what a sweet person she was with such a warm smile. Our condolences to Ron and all her family.
Judy and Bob McCollum

Judy McCollum - June 18, 2015 at 07:29 PM



Bethany
Miller

“ I know you had a huge impact on our children's spiritual lives and I will forever be grateful for your life and example of Christ to my family. I'm glad you have been made whole in heaven. I can see your smile and you wearing your crown. Praying for your family at this time. She finished well.

Bethany Miller - June 18, 2015 at 07:05 PM