



Peggy Jean Gillis Hess

December 27, 1941 - May 22, 2016

Peggy Jean Gillis Hess, 74, went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, May 22, 2016. Peggy was born Dec. 27, 1941 to the late Paul Gillis and Margie Thornburg in Rowan County.

Peggy lived her last few years with her daughter, Mitzi Hatley; son-in-law, Terry Hatley; and a great-granddaughter she adored, Macy Wellmon.

Peggy attended Boyden High School. She last worked as a caretaker for a group home which was no surprise as she was a caretaker all her life.

Peggy is survived by her daughter, Mitzi (Terry) Hatley of Salisbury; three great-granddaughters, Macy Wellmon, Savannah Hatley, whom she never had the pleasure of meeting, and Bailee Hess; great-grandson, Bradley Hess; three grandsons, Garet (Pam) Hatley, Shane Hess and Justin (Jessica) Hess; two granddaughters, Amanda Allen and Megan (Brian) Birdsong of Salisbury; brother, Thomas (Marcia) Gillis; sisters, Sue Corneilson and Trish (Bobby) Lovings; and half-brother, Freddie Gillis.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Franklin Lewis Hess Jr.; sons, Franklin Scott Hess and Todd Shane Hess; and sister, Shirley Wood.

Service and Visitation: The celebration of life service will be held at Franklin Baptist Church, 3810 Hwy 601, Salisbury, at 3 p.m. Thursday, May 26, 2016. The family will receive visitors at the home of Mitzi Hatley, 6-8 p.m. Wednesday, May 25.

Memorials: Memorials may be made to Franklin Baptist Church, 3810 Hwy 601, Salisbury, NC 28147.

Tribute Wall

AH

“ I love you grandma Peggy there ain't a day that goes by I don't think of you you was my world it's gonna be hard without you but I know ill make it love ya very much may you rest with the Lord until we meet again!! Love Shane Hess

Alan Shane Hess - July 24, 2016 at 06:09 PM

MW

“ Mitzi, our prayers are with you and your family. I remember spending the night in middle school having the best time with all of your family. Hanging out over there was one of the places we could hang out. You have had some hard times these past couple of years. Hope you only have good things from now on. Love you girl, Mary Ann L. Whitley

Mary Ann L. whitley - May 26, 2016 at 05:29 PM

LB

“ Peggy I remember when I was a rebellious teenager and you let me run away to your house for about a day until my Mom came and got me. I will never forget your kindness and understanding. Be Free... ~L



Loreen Buddemeyer - May 25, 2016 at 06:43 PM

LB

“ Mitzi, Terry & Family I am so very sorry for your loss. May all your memories soon turn into smiles. Much Love to you All. ~Loreen Buddemeyer



Loreen Buddemeyer - May 25, 2016 at 06:24 PM

JO

“ Mitzi I am so sorry for your loss, Peggy had a good heart was always so kind to everyone. May see rest in peace. Joyce Shrewsbury

joyce - May 25, 2016 at 01:35 PM

DG

“ *Donna Glass sent a virtual gift in memory of Peggy Jean Gillis Hess*



donna glass - May 25, 2016 at 07:46 AM