



Janie W. Smith

August 23, 1943 - September 19, 2010

Mass for Christian Burial for Janie W. Smith, 67, will be held Wednesday 10 a.m. at Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Leestown Road, Frankfort. Father's Charles Howell, Pat Stewart and Michael Rambler will officiate. Burial will follow at Frankfort Cemetery.

Mrs. Smith died Sunday at St. Joseph Hospice Care Center, Lexington. A native of Lebanon, KY, she graduated from St. Charles High School and attended St. Augustine and St. Catherine's Academy. She was an accounting technician for the Federal Government and member of Good Shepherd Catholic Church and Bosom Buddies Breast Cancer Support Group. Janie was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and friend to many.

She was the daughter of John Robert and Mary Ida Wheatley. Survivors include her husband, Butch Smith, Frankfort; sons, Lawrence W. Wetherby, III, Lexington and Christopher G. (Amy) Wetherby, Frankfort; daughter, Tammy Smith, Knoxville, TN; four brothers, Donnie (Tootsie) Wheatley, and Henry Butch (Betty Jo) Wheatley, Campbellsville, John Wheatley, Sparta, and Steve (Sheila) Wheatley, Lebanon; four sisters, Margaret Newton, Louisville, Rita (Maurice) Lampkin, Louisville, Barbara McClain and Dede Tabor, Lexington. Three grandchildren, Mallory and John Weatherby, Ryne Montgomery; a special friend Carol Rasmussen, Lexington.

Pallbearers will be Jerry Stephens, Larry McNeese, Jerry Anglin, Paul Ryan, Raymond Vansickle and Chuck Tingle. Honorary bearers are Mike Henderson, Gary Marshall, Ron Penn, Lee Ramsey and Ryne Montgomery.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, 3:00 pm -8:00 pm at LeCompte-Johnson-Taylor Funeral Home and Wednesday 9 – 10 a.m. at Good Shepherd, Leestown Rd..

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to Good Shepherd Catholic Church, 316 Wapping Street, Frankfort, or Hospice of the Bluegrass, 208 Steele St., Frankfort, KY 40601. Online guestbook at ljtfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ We are all so very sorry for your loss.

The Webb Family

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“ we will really miss janie. she touched so many lifes with and through her illness. Her faith was an inspiration to Charlie and I and all who knew her.

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“ Janie and I worked together and I spent a lot of time at her house. I remember when I was there she had fried dove breasts -- the first time I'd ever tried them -- delicious! She also made a strawberry cake that was so good -- I still make that cake with

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“ It was my privilege to be called one of Janie's friends. She was one of the sweetest and most caring people I have known. It is not every day that you meet someone who you know would always be there for you no matter what. If she loved you – you knew y

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“ Our deepest sympathy goes out to Butch and family. Janie was a wonderful person and she sure loved those "grandbabies". Through good times and bad times, she touched our lives for many years and will be missed.##imported-begin##Kenny & KimJacobs##imported-end##

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“ Our sympathy to Donnie and Henry Butch from Campbellsville.##imported-begin##TheRoberts##imported-end##

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“ You all are in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##BeckyGrigsby##imported-end##

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“ To the Smith Family,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Roger & Vonda Hardin##imported-begin##RogerHardin##imported-end##

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“ Janie was always upbeat and positive and her motto was "keep those prayers coming". I believe her faith kept her going when medical science couldn't. I also believe the love and strength she drew on from Butch and her family sustained her through the wo##imported-begin##AnnieMorse##imported-end##

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“ Having worked with Janie for 30 years and keeping in touch during our retirement years, there's too many memories to pick just one. She was courageous, a fighter, caring, compassionate, and I will miss her. Rest in peace my friend!###imported-begin##Mary LouWatkins###imported-end##

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“ Butch and family, i know that you already know this but just wanted to say that Janie lived her life eloquently and she has earned her wings with dignity and grace, God bless and keep your entire family as she continues to live on in your hearts and souls###imported-begin##PaulaHolland###imported-end##

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“ I am sincerely sorry for your Lost! Janie was a one of a kind and will be missed by everyone who knwe her. I know I will miss her dearly!!

I am here for you if you need anything at anytime!

Love, Kimberly###imported-begin##KimberlyO'Toole###imported-end##

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“ Butch, I am so sorry for your family's loss. I know Janie fought a very long battle and was so lucky to have you by her side.###imported-begin##BethRatliff###imported-end##

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“ My deepest sympathies on the loss of Janie. Tammy, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family as you grieve. Remember not to cry because it is over, but to SMILE because it happened. I'm sure that your fond memories and the strength of your f###imported-begin##ChristiLechner##imported-end##

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“ Tammy and family, I pray that God will comfort you and wonderful memories will sustain you. Blessings, Shelley White##imported-begin##ShelleyWhite##imported-end##

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“ Our Prayers are with you all. Janie will be sadly missed.##imported-begin##Robert & VickieKessler##imported-end##

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“ I will always love and already miss Janie!##imported-begin##VickiGroft##imported-end##

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“ My thoughts and prayers are with the Smith family in this time of loss. Mrs. Smith was always very nice to talk with at the pharmacy, and always had a smile on her face. She was a very kind lady.##imported-begin##NathanBales##imported-end##

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“ I am truly sorry for your loss. I only knew Janie from Mallory's Pre-K class, but felt that Janie was a warm hearted, loving lady who thought the sun rose and set on her grandkids. It was obvious she loved them dearly. You are all in my prayers.

Since###imported-begin##ChristinaGnadinger###imported-end##

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“ I will always remember Janie for her grace and her wonderful attitude to life. She always put others before herself and I will do everything I can to keep her memory alive for John and Mallory. I have comfort and peace of mind knowing she's now with

our###imported-begin##BelindaRichardson###imported-end##

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. I'll be thinking of all of you.###imported-begin##PatMitchell###imported-end##

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