



Candace Lucille (Miller) Smith

September 26, 1962 - October 16, 2023

Candace Lucille (Miller) Smith entered this world on September 26, 1962 in Coos Bay, Oregon and departed this life on October 16, 2023 in her home in Dixon, Missouri after a hard and courageous battle with cancer. She had attained the age of 61 years.

Candy, daughter of Elmer Floyd Miller and Geraldine Gayle (Stewart) Miller, grew up in Lakewood, Washington where she graduated from high school. Later in her life, she furthered her education and became a Certified Medical Assistant.

On September 10, 1996, Candy was united in marriage to Edward Smith in Las Vegas, Nevada and they shared over 27 years of marriage together and many wonderful memories.

Candy worked hard to help provide for her family and served as a CMA at Mercy Clinic of St. Robert, Missouri from 1998 – 2021 and then worked for the Post Immunization Team on Fort Leonard Wood from 2021 – 2023. She made so many friends with co-workers and some of the patients that she served throughout her working years.

In her spare time, Candy had a special talent when it came to crafts. If you need something done, just ask Candy because she could get it done in the

most crafty and creative way possible. She also enjoyed traveling, especially with her family and friends, and being outside while gardening.

Candy leaves to cherish her memory her husband: Ed Smith of Dixon, MO; daughter: Jamie Miller of Dixon, MO; son: Jeromy Young (Diana) of Dixon, MO; three grandchildren: Sulus Young, Faith Young, and Grace Young; three brothers: Mark Miller of Dixon, MO, Floyd Miller of Waynesville, MO, and Lonnie Miller (Eunmi) of Waynesville, MO; several nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Geraldine Miller, and her father, Elmer Miller.

Even though she is gone from our sight, Candy's love of life, family and attitude of service will live on in our hearts forever.

Celebration of Life services were held at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, October 24, 2023 in the Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert with Pastor Archie Atwell, Sr. officiating. The songs " If I Die Young" by the Band Perry, and "Jealous of the Angels" by Donna Taggert were played and Archie Atwell, Jr. and Heather Atwell sang "Through It All". Inurnment will be held at a later date in the Missouri Veterans Cemetery of Waynesville, MO.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of Candace Smith and may be left at Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Cemetery Details

Missouri Veterans Cemetery - Fort Leonard Wood

25350 Hwy H
Waynesville, MO 65583

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **24**. 10:00 AM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

Celebration of Life Service

OCT **24**. 11:00 AM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Candace Lucille (Miller) Smith*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - October 24, 2023 at 02:50 PM



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DK

“ *I came across this picture of me (Debbie) and Candy we both got new 10 speeds for Christmas. This was dated December 25th 1974. Miss you Candy. See you in God's paradise. Love you.*



Debra Kendrick - December 16, 2024 at 09:12 PM

LC

“ *Linda Cole-Schonbok sent a virtual gift in memory of Candace Smith*



Linda Cole-Schonbok - October 26, 2023 at 05:47 PM

ED

“ *My condolences, is she the daughter of Wayne Miller?*

Eddie - October 24, 2023 at 01:28 PM



No

Thomas Young - December 07, 2023 at 10:26 AM



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Thomas Young - December 07, 2023 at 10:26 AM

DB

“ *Dianne Bailey lit a candle in memory of Candace Smith*



Dianne Bailey - October 24, 2023 at 10:58 AM

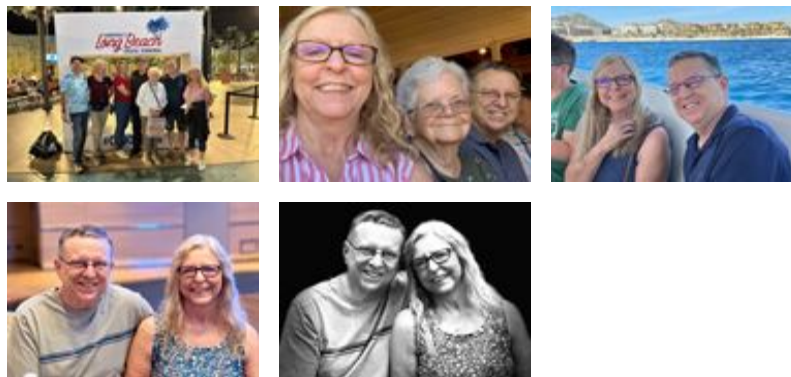
SS

“ Candace was an exceptional person, wife, mother, and daughter-in-law.
She will be in my heart and prayers, always.
Sharon S.

Sharon Smith - October 24, 2023 at 10:47 AM



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Memorial Chapels and Crematory - October 24, 2023 at 09:24 AM



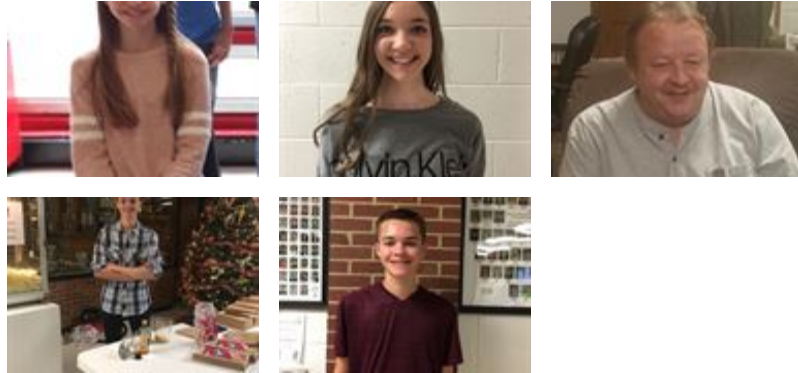
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Memorial Chapels and Crematory - October 23, 2023 at 07:57 PM



“ 7 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - October 23, 2023 at 10:10 AM



“ 3 files added to the album *Candy*



Kim - October 20, 2023 at 04:01 PM



“ 144 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - October 20, 2023 at 03:00 PM

KI

“ 2 files added to the album Candy



Kim - October 19, 2023 at 03:57 PM

KI

“ 3 files added to the album Candy



Kim - October 19, 2023 at 02:20 PM

DK

“ *I'm so saddened to hear of Candys passing. We were best friends growing up through Elementary, Junior high and High school. Even though we didn't keep in touch after she moved from Washington, I still thought of her and her family often. We also share alot of wonderful memories growing up in Lake City. But I know on one amazing day that I will see you again in Heaven. Until then my friend I love you and I've always missed you. God Bless you and your family.*
Debbie McCormack



Debra Kendrick - October 19, 2023 at 12:18 AM

JA

“ I am thankful to have met Candy. She would say things to make you giggle and her smile was contagious. She will be missed.



Jane - October 18, 2023 at 09:22 PM

PG

“ Pulaski Camp Gideons lit a candle in memory of Candace Smith



Pulaski County Camp Gideons - October 18, 2023 at 10:29 AM

DA

“ Ed and Jamie, praying for you both.



Darla - October 17, 2023 at 09:34 PM

KR

“ I don't have the right words to say! I'm going to miss my sister/bff! We share so many great memories, conversations and lots of laughs together! Candy it's the memories that will get me through the days ahead! You made such a huge impact on so many lives. I love when certain words or phrases would just come out of your mouth and it would catch you off guard too! You would say I don't know how that happened, words just come out!!! Thank you for being my partner in crime over the years!



Kelley Rider - October 17, 2023 at 05:18 PM

CL

“ So sorry for your loss. I worked at Mercy-St. Robert with Candy for 11 years. She is one of the sweetest kindest people I have ever met. May God bless each one of you and give you comfort knowing Candy was loved by so many.



Cathy Light - October 17, 2023 at 04:37 PM

KS

“ 1 file added to the album Candy



Kim Snider - October 17, 2023 at 03:14 PM