



Loretta Marie Middleton-Metcalf

July 29, 1937 - July 20, 2024

Loretta Marie Middleton Metcalf of Bonne Terre, Missouri, was born July 29, 1937 in Elvins, Missouri to John and Rosemary (nee Graves) Middleton and entered into rest Saturday, July 20, 2024 in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri at the age of 86 years.

She is preceded in death by her parents, John and Rosemary (nee Graves) Middleton; brothers, Elmer Leroy Middleton and James Robert Lee Middleton; husband of 32 years, Wayne Tucker.

She is survived by her loving husband, Delbert "Del" Metcalf of Bonne Terre, MO; brother, John Paul (Lois) Middleton of McIntosh, MN; sisters, June Davis of St. Peters, MO, Sandy (Rick) Skaggs of Farmington, MO and Brenda (Danny) McBride of Desloge, MO; special friends, Chris and Robin Bullock of Farmington, MO; along with numerous nieces and nephews.

Loretta was a beacon of kindness and warmth, loved by many and a friend to all who had the pleasure of knowing her. Her compassionate nature and genuine smile could light up any room, making everyone feel valued and cherished. Loretta's love for her pet J.J. was evident to all, as she often shared stories of their adventures and the joy J.J. brought into her life. Her spirit of friendship and her boundless love for her furry companion will forever remain in our hearts, reminding us of the beauty and grace she brought into our lives.

Graveside service will be held on Wednesday, July 24, 2024 at 3:00 p.m. at Woodlawn Cemetery in Leadington, Missouri.

Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at www.stlfuneral.com and follow details of this event and others in the community at www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Cemetery

Leadington, MO

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JUL 24. 3:00 PM (CT)

Woodlawn Cemetery
375-, 419 Woodlawn Dr
Leadington, MO 63601

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Tribute Wall

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“ *By Robin Bullock:*

Loretta's desire to help others started at an early age. Being the eldest of all the siblings it was only natural that she helped to take care of them.

One of the ways Loretta expresses her love for family and friends was through her amazing cooking skills. She always made extra food especially during the holidays then would take it to share with less fortunate families. Loretta took a lot of pride in her cooking and was happy to share her recipes. If you went to visit her you would soon be sitting at the table sharing coffee and one of her delicious pies or cake. Never would you leave Loretta's home with an empty stomach.

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Loretta was such a giving and generous person, she always purchased so much groceries as it made her so happy to pack a box full of canned goods and give it away. I've often heard people say 'give the shirt off their back' well Loretta did that also. She constantly gave clothes away. You would have a difficult time finding someone as generous as she was, and it came straight from her heart.

danabowling - July 26, 2024 at 10:14 PM

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“ *Centene Leadership & Team purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Loretta Marie Middleton-Metcalf.*



Centene Leadership & Team - July 24, 2024 at 10:13 AM