



Gloria Isbell

August 26, 1932 - October 31, 2011

A memorial service for Gloria Nell Isbell, 79, of Tyler will be held on Friday, November 4, 2011 at 11:00 AM in the chapel of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Mrs. Isbell passed away on October 31, 2011 in Tyler. She was born on August 26, 1932 in Tyler and grew up in the Pine Springs area. Her parents, Phillip and Nellie Ruth Burns, owned and operated Burns Park and she enjoyed the skating rink and the only swimming pool in the area. Gloria graduated from Tyler High School in 1949 and attended Tyler Junior College, where she studied Business Management. She worked as Administrator for the East Texas Guidance Center and later became Operations Manager for Smurfit Stone Container, where she worked for 46 years. Mrs. Isbell was a member of Pine Springs Baptist Church. She loved to roller skate and water ski. She also enjoyed membership in the Buzzard Bowling League and the A.P.A. Pool League. Mrs. Isbell is survived by a loving family including: son, David Isbell and wife Janice of Flint; grandchildren, Tammy Perry and husband Steve of Tyler, Tully Wayne Isbell and Teresa Isbell, both of Flint; and great-grandchildren, Taylor Perry, Micaela Perry, Kaya Little, and Dominick Calhoun, all of Tyler; son, Tully Scott Isbell and wife Deana of Tyler; grandchildren, Somer Smith and husband Clint of Bullard, Renea Jones, Robyn McFall and husband Eric, Tully Scott II, David Alan Isbell, Robert Mikel Kassube; and great grandchildren, Katie Smith, Claire Smith, Riley Kassube, Erica McFall, Paxton Baxter, Payton Baxter, and Paisly Baxter; son, Alan Isbell and wife Lesa; grandchildren Casey Isbell and

Tara Allen and husband Josh, all of Whitehouse; brother, P.T. Burns II and wife Diana of Whitehouse, nephew, Chris Burns and wife Patty of Gruene, Texas and niece, Kimberly Gillispie of Frankston. Visitation is scheduled for Friday, November 4, 2011 from 10:00-11:00 AM at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway in Tyler.

Tribute Wall

DL

“ Gloria Isbell was a very caring & "Real" person. I had the privilege of working & partying w/her. A blast she always was no matter the situation. She will be missed by lots. I pray for her family & friends sadness & understanding....But she will be a great asset in Heaven. Tell Cindee Hi for me Lady! Debbie

Debbie Langley - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Gloria is and always will be referred to as a good friend and mentor. She gave so much of herself to those she cared about. We will always remember the many many laughs and good times. May she be forever at peace and enjoying eternity with all our other beloved ones that have greeted her in heaven.
Love You Gloria,
PITA

Ronda Fielding - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ I worked with Gloria for 30 years and she was a true friend. She will be missed .

Bill Wood - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ Alan,Lesa,Casey,Tara... I want you to know how sorry I am for your loss, Gloria was such a special and sweet lady and really meant alot to me, so sorry I couldn't attend services.Gloria will be missed! Love you all Kelly

kelly mcmillan white - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ We would like to express our sympathy to all of Gloria's family. We really cared for her and will miss her smiling face. She was always good to us, and a pleasure to be around.

Sandy McDaniel - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

WH

“ Super cool lady who always treated me like one of her own. Made the best "chit on a shingle"-loved me some momma gloria as we called her.
My thoughts and prayers are with her family at this time.

whiter - October 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM