



## Linda Lue (Barker) Nelson

February 6, 2016

Linda Lue (Barker) Nelson, age 65, of McArthur, Oh. passed away on Saturday, February 6, 2016 at her home surrounded by loved ones. She was born March 12, 1950 in Halcom, Ky. Daughter to the late James Harvey Barker and Mary Alice (Sparks) Barker. Preceded in death by her late husband Raymond (Bud) Nelson, husband of 48 years.

Linda was so very blessed to have lived, laughed and loved so many and so much throughout her lifetime.

Linda is survived by her daughters, Tina Duff and Tonia (David Walker); sons, Howard (Sonia) Bowen and Alan (Melinda) Stevens; grandchildren Christina (Tony) Nelson, Hope Duff, and Alex Walker; great-grandchildren Gavin McCarty, Arabella Duff and Jaxson Duff; siblings, Ray (Marcella) Barker, Ruth Pennington, Johnny (Velma) Barker, Ruby Barker-Woods and two special dogs Boomer and Abby; sister-in-law Linda Marcum, George (Elsie) Nelson and Gracie (Charlie) Arthurs; many special nieces; and nephews and other beloved family members and special friends Gerri Carter, Tom and Linda Starr and Sue Keith.

Besides her parents and husband, Linda was preceded in death by her siblings Ples Barker, Bert Barker, Blanche Laney, Mary Faye Lawson, Erma Ison, mother-in-law Martha (Salyers) Nelson, and sister-in-law Joby (Nelson)

Bowen and (son-in-law) Jeff Duff.

Funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. On Friday, February 12, at the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home in Jackson, Ohio with Howard Bowen officiating. Burial will follow in Hickman Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Thursday, February 11, from 2:00 – 8:00 p.m., and 1 hour prior to the service on Friday, from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Condolences can be emailed to the family at: [www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com](http://www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

SM

“ Aunt Linda you are truly loved and will be greatly missed I Love you and you will always be in my heart

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**Sheila mccallister** - June 29, 2018 at 10:09 AM

LM

“ One day when our girls were little, we were on our way shopping. We were making a left turn there at the cemetery, when this man ran a red light and broadsided us. He was going so fast, he knocked my little Datsun clear across the road. I was stunned, but Linda looked in the back seat at our girls and saw blood coming from Tina's mouth. The old mother hen protecting her chicks came out. She got out of the car, and she began beating that man with her fist. By God's grace no one was hurt beyond a busted lips and sore bodies. But you don't hurt one of ours and get away unscathed. One of many memories. God how I will miss her. My love and prayer with you all. I'm sorry I cannot be with you. Sis

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**Linda Marcum** - June 29, 2018 at 10:09 AM

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“ Loved you so. My childhood we being with you. You were such a Special Lady. I miss you so. Never stop remembering you. Rest now My Precious Aunt. Love you Aunt Linda.

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**Cathy Eckols** - June 29, 2018 at 10:09 AM

CE

“ Aunt Linda there is no way to say how much you will be miss. You were a Beautiful Lady with a Beautiful Heart. I grew up knowing you and you always showed love and concern for everyone. You won't have anymore pain,now you need to rest. You are loved and will be missed more than you could imagine. I love and will miss you. You meant so much to me, my Dad, Bert, your Brother who loved you so and I'm sure he wasn't at Heavens door to greet you, My Sister Faith and my daughter Heather. I loved you so, Good Night, Sleep Well, Your Niece Cathy

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**Cathy Eckols** - June 29, 2018 at 10:09 AM

SB

“ Aunt Linda such a Beautiful person inside and out. You were the pillar of your family and gave of yourself so lovingly. You will be deeply missed...it hurts our heart knowing you are gone from our lives...but we will treasure our memories of you forever. Love Sonia K McCoy-Bowen

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**Sonia Bowen** - June 29, 2018 at 10:09 AM

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“ Remembering her wonderful and gentle soul will forever remain in our hearts. You will be forever missed by many. My deepest sympathies go out to you and your family. May God give you the peace that you seek.

*We love you!*

*The Hines Family*

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**Ashley Hines** - June 29, 2018 at 10:09 AM