



Bonnie Lee Smith

November 4, 1941 - March 2, 2024

Bonnie Lee Smith, 82, of Naples, FL graduated from this life into the presence of Jesus on Saturday morning, March 2, 2024. Bonnie was born in Pittsburgh, PA on November 4, 1941, to her loving parents Walter F. Lockard and Evelyn A. Lockard who preceded her in death. She was the oldest of 6. Brothers: Ronald J. Lockard and Douglas W. Lockard also preceding her in death. She is survived by her three sisters: Joyce A. Pears, Judi L. Lockard, and Nanci J. Walls (Mike), her husband of 36 years, Michael B. Smith and her three children, James S. Agnew (Mary), Kelly L. Elliott, and Matthew W. Agnew (Amy).

Bonnie went to Bethel Park High School in Bethel Park, PA and then attended Shadyside Hospital School of Nursing in Pittsburgh where she graduated as a Registered Nurse. One of Bonnie's most important and significant decisions in her life was her personal relationship with Jesus. Bonnie served as school nurse at Cookson Hills Christian Ministries in Kansas, OK before moving to Clearwater, FL in 1983. There, she became one of the first employees with Hospice of the Florida Suncoast where she served for 27 years.

Bonnie loved her church, going on mission trips and pilgrimages to the Holy Land on a number of occasions. She also enjoyed running and taking long walks on the beach. She was also a lifelong learner and earned advanced degrees in theology after retirement. She loved her dogs: Mistletoe, Sammy and Shelby and her cat Little Kitty. Bonnie was an avid reader and would always have a good book or her Bible in her hands.

The apples of Bonnie's eye and with whom she enjoyed spending most of her time were her 6 grandkids: Lindsay McMullan (Mark), Joshua Agnew, Drew Ishman, Caleb Agnew (Lawren), Kristen Ishman, and Hannah Giammarino (Stephen) and her great grandchildren, Braxton Agnew, Hudson McMullan, Olivia Giammarino, Sloane McMullan, and Colton Giammarino.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Bonnie was always so nice to me even when I was about to take my wife Nanci her littlest sister out of the nest. I have nothing but the utmost respect for her and the way she raised her kids and then later worked hard to give all she could to her grandchildren. Bonnie reminded me so much and in so many ways of both her parents.....they both were wonderful people and great mentors for their children! I have been blessed to be part of the Lockard family/clan for close to fifty years now ! My best memories are of many of us gathering at the beaches of englewood, fl... boca grande, fl..... and Don Pedro island where Bonnie especially loved to relax and read! So sorry for the family's loss she will be dearly missed!*



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