



Diana "Lady Di" Smith

May 18, 1950 - August 27, 2012

Diana Smith, fondly known as "Lady Di", of El Campo died August 27, 2012 at the age of 62. She was born May 18, 1950 in Paris, TN to the late Major Andrew and Martha Louise Tift Potter. She was a former beautician and cashier.

She is survived by her son Mark Gresham of Houston, sister Belinda Roberts of Buchanan, TN, aunt Margaret Evans of Paris, TN, her caregivers Larry & Lisa Wilson, Darla Petersen, aunt Margaret Evans, cousin Brenda Arms, Audrey Wilson, Terry Butts and several cousins and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents, brother Richard Potter, and husband Tony "Hammer" Hamilton.

A memorial service will be held 3:00 pm Wednesday, August 29, 2012, at First Lutheran Church with Rev. Andy Taylor officiating.

Honorary pallbearers are Larry and Lisa Wilson, Rusty and Terry Butts, Rusty and Cheli Cook, Gary and Sharon Harton, Sherrie Vacek, Amy Williams, Patty Stites, Cindy Cerny, Betty Webb, Chad Stevens, Russell and Kaydi Kacer, Ron Shumate, Moses Rangel, Dr. Mac and Carol Lee, Jon and Lindsey Bradford, Andy and Veronica Kirkland, Johnny Fenn and Tina Rader, Calvin and Nora Borak, and Darla Petersen.

Memorial donations may be made to the Hammer and Lady Di Memorial Fund at NewFirst National Bank.

Friends may share condolences with the family at triskafuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

SF

“ I met Hammer and Lady Di when they moved to the North Carolina Coast. I love Classic Country Music, and I met Tony "Hammer" the first chance I got. I soon learned to love them both. They will both have a special place in my heart forever.

Sonny Rose

Sonny Rose - Beaufort, NC - Friend - November 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ I only knew you a short time, but quickly came to know you were a special person with a big heart. Thank you for being a part of my life, if even for a short time.

Betty Webb - Wharton, TX - Friend - August 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ Diana was always a very kind loving person. She never met a stranger. Diana will be missed by all of her family and friends. RIP Diana. You are now at home with Aunt Martha and Tony. No more suffering for you. Love and miss you.

Kathy - Greenfield, TN - 1 st cousin - August 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ *Diana was so special to us. She always had a kind word to say to us every time we saw her. We will never forget her smile. When we found out 6 weeks ago that she had the inoperable brain cancer, we never thought twice about taking her home with us from the hospital and taking care of her. She would have done the same thing for us. We are very sad that she is no longer here with us, but we are reassured by the fact that we know she is in Heaven with Tony and all her other family and friends that have gone before her. She told us the day we were driving home fro the hospital that when she did let go from this Earth to remember that she will always be in our hearts and to please never forget her. Well our precious friend Diana - you will always be in our hearts and we will NEVER forget you. May you rest in peace! We love you. Godspeed our beloved friend! We will see you again in Heaven! Tell Tony hello!*

Lisa and Larry Wilson - El Campo, TX - Friends - August 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ *I can hardly believe that both Tony & you are now gone from this earth, but I am assured that you are together in Heaven. I know how you missed Tony & now you two can be together forever. Don't worry, we will never forget either of you...you have been in my life for over 20 yrs. May you rest in peace and please tell Tony I love him very much and you as well.*

Ann Merrell - Lebanon, TN - my 1st cousin Tonys wife - August 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM