



Sandra Pickens

August 19, 1944 - December 4, 2017

Mrs. Sandra R. Pickens, 73, of Troy, MO, formerly of Louisiana, MO, passed away on Monday, December 4, 2017 at her home in Troy, MO. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Friday, December 8, 2017 at the Collier Funeral Home in Louisiana, MO. The Rev. Bill O'Neal will officiate. Burial will be at the Fairview Cemetery near Louisiana, MO. Visitation will be held from 11:00 A.M. until time of service at 1:00 P.M. Friday at the funeral home.

She was born on August 19, 1944 in Louisiana, MO to Richard D. and Marguerite Love Rule. She was married to Robert Ewell Pickens on January 2, 1982 and he preceded her in death on September 28, 2011.

She is survived by one son, William Terhune (Anita), 4 step-children, Kim Pickens-Gibson (Ernest Gibson), David Pickens (Joellen), Dan Pickens (Robin), and Kelly Anagnos, 5 grandchildren, Kurt Gibson, Todd Gibson, Brian Pickens, Amber Pickens, and Brad Anagnos, one brother, Richard Rule, and 2 sisters, Jane Reeves (Gary) and Carolyn Oliver (Bob), one Great Granddaughter, and the caregivers that Sandra loved, Betty, Gini, Lois, Amy, and Alyssa.

She was preceded in death by her parents Richard and Marguerite Rule. Memorials may be given to the Fairview Cemetery Association in care of Collier Funeral Homes, Inc., 117 Barnard Drive, Louisiana, MO 63353.

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery

Hwy YY at Hwy 79
Louisiana, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 8. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Collier Funeral Homes, Inc.
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Louisiana, MO 63353
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Funeral Service

DEC 8. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sandra Pickens*

November 08, 2022 at 10:35 AM



“ *Sandra Pickens*

November 08, 2022 at 08:46 AM



“ *Carolyn Oliver lit a candle in memory of Sandra Pickens*



Carolyn Oliver - January 22, 2018 at 10:52 PM

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“ Sandra and I were a little more than six weeks apart in age. I was always told that when our Grandpa Love was dying, Aunt Mossie brought Sandra back on a train from San Diego when she was about six months old. He asked that both Sandra and I be placed in the bed with him so he could be near us.

Sandra was the sweetest cousin, never an unkind word, never complaining. I would call her to see how she was feeling telling her I was concerned about her. She would always reply “Joyce Ann, I’ve been worried about you!”

On my 50th birthday, Sandra and Bob were so concerned that no one would do anything special for me, they drove to Kansas City to take me to dinner for my 50th birthday!

I have always loved this special cousin, and so thrilled when she found Bob, what a perfect couple, both so brilliant, so kind!

To Billy, Dickie, Jane and Carolyn along with the wonderful caregivers, may I say thank you for taking such good care of Sandra. If not for you, we would never have had this special person for this long. Thank you!

Love to all,
Joyce Love Robey and Merl Daniel



Joyce Robey - December 06, 2017 at 04:30 PM



Thank you, Joyce, for such a touching tribute. Sandra was a wonderful person, and an even better sister. We will all miss her terribly.

Carolyn Oliver - December 07, 2017 at 08:39 PM