



Cheryl Jean Long

June 27, 1962 - August 31, 2014

Cheryl Jean Long, 52, of Sopchoppy, FL, passed away Sunday, August 31, 2014, from injuries received in an automobile accident.

She was born in Tampa, Florida and had been in this area for 18 years coming from Clayton, GA. She had an AA Degree in Business from Western International University, worked for the Wakulla County School System for 17 years (October 1, 1997 – September 31, 2014). She was a published Poet, Pen Pal to author, Phyllis A. Whitney, and an award winning photographer. She was a loving mother, girlfriend, sister, friend, aunt and “Mom” to many of the schoolchildren. Cheryl loved to camp, hike, fish, and dance, sing, read, write poems and listen to music.

Memorial services will be Saturday, September 20, 2014 at 11:00 a.m. at the St. Marks Lighthouse in St. Marks, FL.

Family will receive friends from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church Social Hall, 3609 Coastal Highway, Crawfordville, FL 32327.

She is survived by her son, Daniel Long; partner, Phillip Rankin; sister: Rebecca Sweat; brothers: Milan LeDuc, Lawrence LeDuc, Dennis Schamber and Woodie Schamber.

David Conn and Amber Miller of Bevis Funeral Home of Crawfordville are assisting the family with arrangements. (www.bevisfh.com or 850-926-3333).

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Marks Light House
St. Marks, FL

Memorial Gathering

SEP 20. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

St. Elizabeth Catholic Church Social Hall
Crawfordville, FL

Tribute Wall

IP

“ *Mourning the loss of my sweet, kind and loving niece Cheryl, who left us much too soon. She loved poems, as I do, so this one is for you Cheryl Jean....it's one of my favorites.*

*Do not stand at my grave and weep:
I am not there, I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow,
I am the diamond glints on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain,
I am the gentle autumn rain.*

*When you awaken in the morning's hush,
I am the swift uplifting rush
Of quiet birds in circled flight.
I am the soft stars that shine at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry,
I am not there, I did not die*

Our love and condolences to Cheryl's son Danny and her brothers and sister and her extended family. God bless you all.

*With much love,
Aunt Irene, Uncle Pete and family*

Irene Peters - September 14, 2014 at 01:52 PM

RS

Thank you Aunt Irene, Uncle Pete and family. I love this poem. Thank you so much.

Rebecca Sweat - September 17, 2014 at 07:08 PM

MG

“ I remember Cheryl as a sweet, compassionate person. I find myself thinking of her often even though I hadn't seen her in many years. My condolences to the family on this tragic loss.

Marie Peters Guillot - September 14, 2014 at 09:58 AM

RS

Thank you Marie. She was many wonderful things to everyone. Thank you for your post. /hugs to you and the family.

Rebecca Sweat - September 17, 2014 at 07:09 PM

MH

“ Please accept my sympathy, during this difficult time always remember to rely on the God of all comfort mentioned at 2 Corinthians 1:3&4 who comforts us in all our tribulation. Draw close to him in prayer and he will sustain you.(Psalm 55:22)

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Mrs Hampton - September 10, 2014 at 08:51 PM