



Laverne Carroll Encalade

April 17, 1940 - December 3, 2018

Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of his saints. On the early morning of Monday, December 3, while at home being comforted by her two daughters, Helen Laverne Encalade was swept into the arms of Jesus to accept her in eternal reward.

Laverne was the youngest of nine children born to Rozena Thompson Walker and Charles J. Carroll. She was born in Woodville, Florida on April 17, 1940. She grew up in Carrabelle, Florida, graduating from Carrabelle High School in 1958. Upon graduation she worked as a telephone operator in Tallahassee. She was eventually licensed as a cosmetologist and worked as a hairdresser in Carrabelle and Tallahassee. After several years as a hairdresser, she transitioned to real estate and sold real estate in Tallahassee.

There are many family members that await Laverne on the other shore to welcome her into her Heavenly home. She was predeceased by her mother and father, Frances Rozena Walker and Charles Jasper Carroll, stepfather Carl Walker, and three brothers and three sisters: Charles, Roscoe, Fernandia, Eloise, Elizabeth, and Yvonne. She was also predeceased by her husband, Jackson Peter (J.P.) Encalade. She was married to J.P. on February 3, 1961. They were married for 48 years before his death.

Laverne is survived by two daughters: Laurie Williams (Brian) and Jan Cook (Bobby) and one granddaughter, Jolie, all of Tallahassee. She is also survived by two sisters Etta Kilbourne (Pierre) of Tallahassee and Genevieve Putnal (Buz) of Carrabelle, as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Laverne dedicated her life to Jesus Christ early in life and remained a steadfast and dedicated disciple for the remainder of her life.

The family will receive friends Friday, December 7, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. at Carrabelle 1st Assembly of God (307 3rd Street W., Carrabelle) with a funeral service to follow at 11:00 a.m. A burial service at Evergreen Cemetery (Gray Avenue, Carrabelle) will take place following the funeral. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Big Bend Hospice.

Rocky Bevis of Bevis Funeral Home (www.bevisfh.com 850-385-2193) is assisting the family with their arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

Carrabelle, FL

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Carrabelle 1st Assembly of God Church
307 3rd Street West
Carrabelle, FL 32322

Funeral Service

DEC 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

EH

“ Ernest and Ray Harvey. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Laverne Carroll Encalade.



Ernest and Ray Harvey. - December 05, 2018 at 07:23 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Laverne Carroll Encalade.



December 05, 2018 at 05:02 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Laverne Carroll Encalade.



December 04, 2018 at 05:29 PM

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“ Darlene, Ron, and Jared Buxton purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Laverne Carroll Encalade.



Darlene, Ron, and Jared Buxton - December 03, 2018 at 06:29 PM



“ *What a tremendous loss to our extended family of friends. I'll always appreciate Laverne's love of God and Country and her encouragement to me when I served as principal of Carrabelle High School. She did not fail to let me know how she approved of promoting traditional, Godly values through direction from the school leadership and reliance on acknowledging God in our ways with the promise that He shall direct! Heaven's gain!*

Mike Clark - December 03, 2018 at 06:22 PM

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Very sad and sorry for the loss of your mom Laurie. My heart heart goes out to you and your family.

Elfie Mowell - December 03, 2018 at 06:48 PM