



Vonnie Lee Long "Nanny" Marsh

November 23, 1933 - January 3, 2022

Vonnie Lee Long "Nanny" Marsh, 88, widow of Cecil Legette Marsh, entered Heaven in peace on Monday, January 3, 2022.

Vonnie was born in Andrews, South Carolina, a daughter of the late James "Jim" H. Long and Elizabeth "Lizzie" Thomas Long. She was an identical twin to the late Vermie Long Bodiford and attended Andrews High School.

Meeting and soon marrying the love of her life, both began life together creating a familial legacy that does and will continue to extend for future generations. Together, they had three sons and one daughter. Vonnie was a dedicated and supportive wife and loving mother while her husband proudly served his country for 21 years retiring at the rank of Chief Master Sgt. from the United States Air Force.

Vonnie enjoyed caring for her family, cooking, sewing, decorating, and working in the garden, nurturing her beautiful flowers. She retired after a number of years as a Florist. She was a devoted member of Aeon Baptist Church, where she served her church as a Sunday School Teacher, Vacation Bible School Teacher, and as a member of the Women's Ministry.

Vonnie was a guiding light to her entire family and all who knew her. Her strong sense of family along with her quick wit, humor, and wisdom will be

dearly missed.

In addition to her late husband of 60 years, Vonnie was preceded in death by her two sons and daughter-in-law, Cliff (Lisa) Marsh and Bruce Marsh.

Vonnie is survived by two children, her son, Steve (Lisa) Marsh and her daughter Susan (Danny), all of Tallahassee; five grandchildren, Julie Bowser (Kouji) of Punta Gorda, Melisa McFee of St. Augustine, Amanda Mahoney (Dylan), Ashley Davis (Terry), Eli Sweeney (Megan), all of Tallahassee; ten great-grandchildren, Kayla, Baylee, Evan, Dylan, Morgan, Drake, Ariel, Jonah, Tyson, and Axel; a brother, Joe Weldon Long (Patricia) of Georgetown; and a sister, Ethel "Nealy" L. Ethridge of Crawfordville.

The funeral service will be at 3:00PM on Thursday, January 6, 2022, at Bevis Funeral Home, 200 John Knox Road in Tallahassee. The family will receive friends immediately following the service. For those unable to attend, the service will be livestreamed via the funeral home website <https://www.bevisfh.com/obituaries/Vonnie-Marsh/#!/PhotosVideos>

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

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JAN 6. 3:00 PM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home & Crematory
200 John Knox Rd
Tallahassee, FL 32303
(850) 385-2193

Tribute Wall



“ *Bevis Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Vonnie Lee Long "Nanny" Marsh*



Bevis Funeral Home - January 06, 2022 at 10:37 AM

JM

What a beautiful service. Praying for peace and comfort for the Marsh family.

Jannette and Noah Mims - January 06, 2022 at 03:42 PM

DM

Thanks for live video of Vonnie's service ... she was an amazing person ... we all loved her ❤️

Donna Meriwether - January 06, 2022 at 03:47 PM

VR

That was a beautiful service, praying for the Marsh family

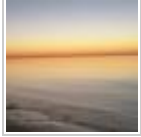
Vickie McGlamory Reeves - January 06, 2022 at 05:07 PM

LW

“ *May God bless and keep the Marsh family at this precious moment in time. Ms. Vonnie was a kind and loving woman and she was a fantastic cook. I was invited to her dinner table by Cliff and Lisa were my dear friends for over 15+ years.*

L.F. Warren

Linda F . Warren - January 07, 2022 at 07:37 AM



“ Sue Wright lit a candle in memory of Vonnie Lee Long "Nanny" Marsh



Sue Wright - January 06, 2022 at 09:51 PM



“ You are all n my prayers.



Betty Tanner Powell - January 06, 2022 at 11:46 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Vonnie Lee Long "Nanny" Marsh.



January 06, 2022 at 07:42 AM



“ Steve, We are sorry to hear of your mother's passing and want to offer our condolences.
Jane and Mitch

jane silveria - January 05, 2022 at 10:08 PM

JH

“ *Janice Hollifield purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Vonnie Lee Long "Nanny" Marsh.*



Janice Hollifield - January 05, 2022 at 05:32 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Vonnie Lee Long "Nanny" Marsh.*



January 05, 2022 at 03:16 PM

KM

“ *Such a strong woman who loved her family!! She will be missed by many! Our sincere condolences to Susan, Steve and family!*

Kim & Charles McClellan - January 05, 2022 at 05:20 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Vonnie Lee Long "Nanny" Marsh.*



January 05, 2022 at 05:14 AM

ME

“ Vonnie always showed Smitty, mom and I such kindness. As my moms health got worse she brought her food, sat with her and visited her if it was at home or the hospital. I will never forget the love she had for my mom and Smitty and going beyond the extra mile in making my moms last months so much more precious. Thank you always Vonnie and my prayers are with all of you right now.

Melissa - January 04, 2022 at 06:50 PM



“ Vonnie’s nurse on Monday pretty much summed it up, “Her joy and smile were infectious”. She was very loved and will be missed by everyone.

Lisa Mooney Marsh

Lisa Mooney - January 04, 2022 at 08:58 AM

CL

Loved this precious lady so much and loved the way she loved her family!! She will be so missed. Loved you Nanny 😊😊

Charley & Judy Livingston - January 04, 2022 at 12:06 PM

AP

My 2nd Momma...I loved her dearly. I know she had a joyous reunion with Getty, Cliff, Lisa, Bruce, Daddy and most of all getting to see Momma again. Sorry I can't be with you on Thursday.

Ann Bodiford Payton

Ann Payton - January 04, 2022 at 03:11 PM

VB

Ms. Vinnie was a special lady, mom and Grandmother..She loved everyone and was always happy. RIP Ms. Vinnie you will be dearly missed..

Vivian/Ed Brown - January 04, 2022 at 04:09 PM

DP

Ashley,

You and your family are in my prayers. Sending healing prayers and comforting hugs.

Darlean Patterson - January 06, 2022 at 01:57 PM

AM

“Nanny will forever be missed 💔



Amanda - January 03, 2022 at 09:18 PM