



Floretta Pierce

June 24, 1928 - December 14, 2007

FLORETTA PIERCE

Mrs. Floretta Pierce age 79 of Bolivar died at 10:05 PM Friday at Parkview Healthcare Facility in Bolivar after a short illness.

She was born on June 24, 1928 in Polk County near Fair Play the daughter of Roy Essley Combs and Mertie Jane Davis Combs.

Flo was saved at the age of 14 and was a member of the Calvary Missionary Baptist Church in Bolivar. She was united in marriage to Lewis Junior Pierce on November 9, 1945. They lived for seven years in the early part of their marriage in California, moving to the Kansas City area in 1953 where they lived for 30 years before returning to Bolivar.

Flo loved to cook. While in Kansas City, she had a lot of Sunday dinners and singing at her house. She loved to have people at her house and they knew they were always welcome. She liked to travel, and loved music, flowers and playing the piano. She was very family oriented. Her daughter Debra and her were best friends.

Preceding her in death were her parents, two brothers, Ernest Combs and Wilbert Combs, and a sister Gladys Combs died in infancy.

Surviving is her daughter and son-in-law, Debra Lynn and Larry Stanek of Bolivar; two granddaughters, Cherie Stanek and Kera Stanek both of Bolivar; two great grandchildren, Zachary Stanek and Sera Stanek both of Bolivar; two sisters, Marie Bridges of Independence, MO; and Anna Collins of Bolivar; also a brother Herschel Combs of Republic, MO. A sister-in-law Uдах Fay Combs of Bolivar, several nieces, nephews and a host of many friends.

Flo loved going to church and spending time with her granddaughters and great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, December 18, 2007 at 10:00 AM in the Butler Funeral Home Chapel in Bolivar with Bro. Michael Calhoun and Bro. Ron Erven officiating. Music was by the Calvary Missionary Baptist Church Choir singing "Beulah Land", "What A Day" solo by Debra Stanek, and "Amazing Grace" by Debra Stanek, Cherie Stanek, and Kera Stanek. Burial will be in the Greenwood Cemetery. Casketbearers were Clifford Combs, Larry Combs, Bill Rathbun, Mike Combs, Pat Foster, Billie Dee Lightfoot, Derrell Ashlock and Zachary Stanek.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or the Citizens Memorial Hospice % of Butler Funeral Home, P.O. Box 11, Bolivar, MO 65613

Friends may sign the guest book or send private condolences at www.butlerfuneralhome.com

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Tribute Wall



“ Floretta Pierce

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ Floretta Pierce

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ Debbie,

I was so sorry to hear about your mom. I know how difficult it is, especially at this time of year. May you find peace and comfort in knowing she is rejoicing with our Lord and Savior.

Your Mom (and Dad) were special people to me, I loved that they were always joking, teasing and laughing. As years go by, I understand more and more how blessed I am to have had people like your mom and dad in my life.

Spend some time at Christmas sharing special memories, I'm sure she wouldn't want it to be a sad time.

Wishing you and your family many blessings in the New Year.

Carolyne (Andrews) Halford - December 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM