



## Brenda Smith

July 7, 1964 - December 7, 2011

Brenda Smith, 47 of Blanche, Tennessee died on Wednesday, December 7, 2011, at her home. Born Tuesday, July 7, 1964 in Nashville, Tennessee. She loved traveling, bears, and especially her grandchildren. Surviving are husband: Gary Smith of Blanche, TN; son, Clint Duckett of Blanche, TN, daughters, Amanda Campos of Fayetteville, TN and Nina Duckett of Blanche, TN; step-daughter, Morgan Thigpen of Taft, TN; and four grandchildren: Madison Thigpen, Walker Thigpen, Gracy Finley, and Kaylynn Campos. Funeral services will be at 11:00 AM on Saturday, December 10, 2011 at Ardmore Chapel Funeral Home, Ardmore, Alabama with Bro. Roger Bates officiating. Burial will be in New Grove Cemetery, Blanche, TN. The family will receive friends from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Friday, December 9, 2011, at Ardmore Chapel Funeral Home, Ardmore, Alabama.

# Tribute Wall

KG

“ *Sorry to hear about your loss, May God be with you and your family.*

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**Krysti Graham** - December 09, 2011 at 07:38 PM

JM

“ *Please accept my most profound sympathy, will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers*

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**Jo Mitchell** - December 08, 2011 at 05:48 PM

MM

“ *We are so grieved at Brenda's death. She was a good friend for many years and especially during the years the kids were growing up. We are praying for comfort and peace for all of the family. May God bless each of you.*

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**Mark and Paula Massey** - December 08, 2011 at 04:16 PM

HM

“ I am sadden by the passing of Brenda. My two girls will miss her on the bus and at school. I will tell them tonight that she is now an angel watching over them! Just know that your family is in my thoughts and prayers. I came across this poem a few weeks ago, and it expresses what I can not.

*He Only Takes the Best*

*God saw she was getting tired'  
and a cure was not to be.  
So he put his arms around her  
And whispered, "Come with me".*

*With tear-filled eyes we watched her  
suffer and fade away.  
Although we loved her deeply,  
We could not make her stay.*

*A golden heart stopped beating,  
Hard-working hands put to rest.  
God broke our hearts to prove to us  
He only takes the best.*

*-Author Unknown*

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**Heather Martin** - December 08, 2011 at 01:15 PM

EB

“ Praying for God to send you the comfort only He can during this time. Brenda was truly a good person.

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**Emily Billings** - December 08, 2011 at 12:51 PM

DB

“ Sending my deepest sympathy to all of you. Brenda was loved by so many. I have some wonderful memories of her, she was a special person. Also so good to me and my children. Brenda was made out of the same material my mama was, strong, caring and unpretentious. She will be dearly missed. Much love to all of you.  
Dora Barnes

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**Dora Barnes** - December 08, 2011 at 12:45 PM

SC

“ Everyone at Unity is heartbroken today!  
Brenda was such a special person and a very important part of our Unity family. We will forever have a special place in our hearts for her! My thoughts and prayers are with you!

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**Sonya Crabtree** - December 08, 2011 at 12:40 PM

JG

“ Prayers and love and hugs for this special family. Ms. Brenda was a GREAT woman. An inspriation to all who knew her. She will be missed greatly! We love ya'!!!

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**Jason, Bonnie, Ethan, Simon, & Levi Gray** - December 08, 2011 at 12:36 PM

FO

“ Brenda Smith

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**Funeral Home Owner** - June 30, 2011 at 01:18 PM