



Martha Jo "Jody" Cameron

March 22, 1941 - July 16, 2023

Martha Jo "Jody" Cameron, age 82 of Dayton, passed away on Sunday, July 16, 2023, at her home. She was born in Rhea County on March 22, 1941, the daughter of the late Caleb and Cannie Mae (Byrd) Smith. She was also preceded in death by her two brothers, Glen Smith and Chester Smith; her two sisters, Velma Brown and Dorlene Lovelady; and her granddaughter, Megan Levengood.

Jody lived in Dayton most of her life, graduated from Rhea Central High School in 1960, and was a supervisor at La-Z-Boy for many years. She was an avid sports fan, played softball and basketball, and enjoyed watching her grandchildren. She was a member of Dayton First Baptist Church.

Jody is survived by her husband, Jimmy Ray Cameron of Dayton; her three daughters, Karen Levengood and Stacy (Matt) Hampton, both of Dayton, and Jan Cameron of Kingston; her two sons, Walt Cameron and Tracy (April) Cameron, both of Dayton; her nine grandchildren, Stephanie Gibson, Natalie Bright, Ashton Cameron, Madison Bailey, Mallory Hampton, Sydney Hampton, Haley Cameron, McKenna Cameron, and Kaleb Cameron; her great-grandson, Luke Bright; her brother, Jimmy Ted Smith; and her special cousin, Carolyn Tallent.

Graveside funeral services for Jody will be on Tuesday, July 18, 2023, at

12:00 noon at Add Smith Cemetery in Spring City with Rev. Bobby Schafer officiating.

Please share your memories and photos of Jody on her online guest register at www.vanderwallfh.com.

The family is being cared for by Vanderwall Funeral Home in Dayton, TN.

Previous Events

Graveside Funeral

JUL **18**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Add Smith Cemetery
Old Stage Road
Spring City, TN

Tribute Wall

DW

“ Evelyn to jody, will miss you so much!!

debra wilson - July 19, 2023 at 09:07 PM

DG

“ David G. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Martha Jo "Jody" Cameron.

David G. - July 19, 2023 at 03:28 PM

SF

“ Stephanie Freeman-Brown lit a candle in memory of Martha Jo "Jody" Cameron



Stephanie Freeman-Brown - July 18, 2023 at 04:52 PM

MW

“ Jody and I played softball together many years ago and played against each other as well...she was a very awesome person as I remember and was a very personal person...I know she'll be missed ...Jody hope you enjoy playing ball on God's special team... Martisha Wilkey Wooden



Martisha Wilkey Wooden - July 17, 2023 at 07:57 PM

BM

“ *Bimbo McCawley lit a candle in memory of Martha Jo "Jody" Cameron*



Bimbo McCawley - July 17, 2023 at 06:44 PM

JS

“ *Jody and I played softball together over many seasons and many years. I considered her a great friend. Judy Steele*

Judy Steele - July 17, 2023 at 06:36 PM