



Helene Louise (Streno) Kennedy

November 29, 1950 - December 7, 2022

Helene Louise (Streno) Kennedy, 72, of Salem, Missouri, passed away Wednesday, December 07, 2022 at home surrounded by her loving family.

Private Family Services will be held at a later date. Arrangements are under the direction of Wilson Mortuary of Salem, Missouri.

Helene is survived by her loving children: Robert Lueth and wife Michelle of West Milford, WV, Michael Lueth of Haxtun, CO, Crystal Dawn Pilkington and husband Travis of Salem, MO, and Colette Lovell Kennedy-Blankenship and husband Charles of Salem, MO; sisters: Connie Reynolds and Janet Cruz and husband Bobby; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and dear friends.

Condolences may be left at www.wilsonmortuary.com

Tribute Wall

LW

“ There are not enough words to write a tribute to my beautiful Aunt Helene. Her love walked me through childhood like I was her own daughter. My best memories as a young girl are with my aunts and cousins. You never had to wonder if she loved you because she always ensured you knew. She made me feel safe, comforted, and cherished, right up until my last visit before Thanksgiving. My aunt was gentle but fierce, consistently strong, and always smiling. I will miss her infectious laugh, strong hugs, and listening ear. She is the only person who called me her 'baby girl', and she did so as we hung up the phone for our last chat. We always look back and regret the time we missed, but I am thankful for the moments we had over the last couple of years, though they were never long enough. As I drove off from my last visit, I thought about my life with my aunt, and I realized she gave me a deep-seated hope to be brave and love, no matter what I had faced. She was an example of light and love to us all and that is what I take with me forever. I long for the day we will meet again. I thank you Aunt Helene for loving me so well.



Lisa Wenninger - December 08, 2022 at 03:48 PM

LW

We visited grandpa's grave with you today. I wish my words had been more elegant, but only one word comes out when I think of you- love. You loved us all so well, and all we want to do is share light and your example with all. I'm not sure I said anything right or said enough, but I love you and I am so blessed because you were in my life. I smile knowing you are healed and whole again. I hope your hair is flowing in the wind and your smile is big and bright as always. I love you.

Lisa Wenninger - June 26, 2023 at 12:37 AM

LW

This year is different Aunt Helene. You are with your dad, mom, and two sisters. Aunt Connie left this earth almost a year ago and joined you all in heaven. I get sad thinking you both reside where it's not time for me to go. We miss you so much. Especially as I watch the silliness of things here on earth. People get very short-sighted fast. Thank you for loving me. I hold our precious bond deep in my heart always. Your niece, Lisa

Lisa Wenninger - November 17, 2024 at 03:04 PM