



Sandra J. Walls

November 1, 1948 - June 13, 2017

Hampton – Sandra J. Walls, 68, of Hampton died Tuesday, June 13, 2017.

She was born in Amesbury, Mass., on November 1, 1948 a daughter of the late Guy W. and Mabel (Bartlett) Smith, Jr.

Sandra was raised in South Hampton and graduated from Amesbury, Mass. High School with the Class of 1966. She was employed as a supervisor for Verizon for over 20 years and retired from Long Term Health Partners in Portsmouth where she worked in the research department.

She made her home in Hampton since 2002 coming from Amesbury. Family was most important and she enjoyed gardening, spending time at the family camp in Maine, being at Hampton Beach, and watching her bird feeders in the backyard. She also possessed many talents, including sewing, needlepoint, stained glass, and cake decorating.

She shared 33 years of marriage with her husband, Donald Walls.

In addition to her husband, family members include two sons, Scott Cloutier and his wife Becky of East Kingston, Craig Cloutier and his wife Woneta of South Hampton, her stepdaughter, Hattie DeRaps of Farmington, ME, six grandchildren, McKenzie and Kaylie Cloutier, Ethan DeRaps, Kristen, Kelly and Sam Swan, two great-grandchildren, Wyatt and Lucas, two sisters, Carol Smith of South Hampton, Judy Hill and her husband Roy of North Hampton, a niece and a nephew.

Private services will be held at the convenience of the family. If desired, donations may be made to a charity of one's choice. Arrangements are by the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory, Hampton.

Comments



“ Dear Don and Family:

I was extremely saddened to learn of Sandy's passing recently.

As a new (and, looking back, extremely naive) New England Telephone management trainee, Sandy was my godsend at the Malden Operator Services Office. I always looked forward to our "breaks" where she would magically consume 2 liters of Diet Coke!! The advice, patience and guidance she gave me were immeasurable.

When I had the opportunity to attend her retirement party from NYNEX, it was like it was yesterday when, in fact, years had gone by. Sandy's beautiful smile and heart always lit up a room, no matter how small or large that room was.

She was so proud of the work Don has done at their vacation home (and I learned what a beautiful fieldstone fireplace is supposed to look like and be!). Christmas cards I received from Don and her would update me on her boys and her beautiful grandchildren.

The world was a better place with Sandy in it.

As she looks down from heaven being closely held in God's hands, I know that she continues a new but peaceful journey. She is just smiling and laughing from a different vantage point.

Rest in peace, my friend.

Colleen McCabe
Marlborough, MA

Colleen McCabe - February 12, 2020 at 12:49 PM



“ I am heartbroken to learn of Sandy's passing.

I have known Sandy since I was 2 years-old. She was my babysitter and neighbor in South Hampton, and with her sisters Blondie & Judy, was probably my first real friend. As a child, I spent a great deal of time at the Smith home and remember her parents very well.

"The Smith Girls" were very good to me, and my own parents thought very highly of this lovely family who lived up the street at the Four Corners on Main Avenue.

Our days together will never be forgotten; riding horses, listening to records, skating at Dennett's pond, telling secrets, admiring her many talents, recalling her enormous collection of ceramic elephants (or was it pigs?) in her bedroom, remembering her tender caring of her dear Mom, and sharing other precious memories I will hold close to my heart forever - including that of one summer when I saved my allowance to buy my first two-wheeler bicycle for \$10.00, which was Sandy's black English bike I had for many years and cherished.

Sandy was a very positive figure in my younger years as she watched and even helped me to grow. She will never know how influential she was to my young life.

These memories are overwhelming to me, and I only wish we could have seen each other in later years, if only to reminisce about days long past.

Rest in peace, old friend.

Much love,

Kathy Janos Gonthier

Kathy Gonthier - July 26, 2017 at 09:10 AM



“ Dear Sister, You will always live in the hearts of those you touched, because nothing loved is ever lost and you were loved so very much! Rest in Peace!



Blondie - July 08, 2017 at 11:25 AM



“ Sandy was my best friend for so many years. We shared adventures in high school. We watched our children grow from babies to adults. She was my son's Godmother. I have always felt sad that we lost contact with each other over the years. There are no words to ease your loss. My condolences to Don, Scott, Craig, Hattie, Carole, Judy and her grandchildren. She was a blessing to all who knew her. Rest In Peace my old friend.
Peace and love to you.

Pauline Zagranis Carrier

Pauline Zagranis Carrier - June 19, 2017 at 09:45 PM



“ To Sandy's family:

I am deeply heartbroken to learn of Sandy's passing. I met her when I was 20 and had just started working at LTCP. For many years, she and I shared a cube area where we developed a special friendship. We shared a lot of laughs, and she was a great person to go to for advice. I looked up to her.

We would exchange stories about our weekends, planned trips, and what was going on in our lives. For Sandy, it was always about her family, which I loved hearing about, due in part to the way she would light up when she spoke about you all! It was clear how much she loved you. I'm sure you know, you were her world! Her dedication to her family will always serve as an example for me, and I will forever remember her fondly.

I hope your memories of her provide comfort during this difficult time. Prayers of healing to all of her loved ones.

Rest In Peace, Sandy.
Love your "Cove Buddy",

Mary Metivier

Mary Metivier - June 15, 2017 at 07:29 PM



“ My most heartfelt condolences to Sandy's family and friends. Although I knew none of you it must have been a joy to have her in your lives all these years. I met Sandy when she was married to D.C. They lived upstairs from our family on Prospect St. in Amesbury. Sandy was so pretty and always nice to me, a kid, and she was my first crush. I can remember her coming down the stairs to walk their dog 'Ouija' the big standard poodle. If I was home I'd rush out to meet them and play with the dog so I could spend time in her presence. She always tolerated my little boy adoration. I'm guessing that this had to be back in the early 60's. I lost touch with them long ago and have since moved away. That was over 50 years ago and now I find that she's passed. I'm so sorry you have lost this special someone that was so outgoing and genuinely nice to people. I've lost another piece of one of my fondest childhood memories. Rest in peace Sandy, we'll all miss you.

Wayne Shute - June 15, 2017 at 04:59 PM



“ Don and Family- I am deeply sadden to hear of this sad news. I worked with Sandy at LTCP up until she retired back in 2014. Sandy was a great co-worker as well as a friend. Sandy was always my go to for advise, reason being, she was straight forward and honest, which I respected. We did keep in touch after her retirement but only for a brief time, now, I understand, Sandy was a very private person, I feel honored she let me into her life. Rest in Peace Sandy, will miss you!

Dorothy Wilkinson

Dorothy Wilkinson - June 15, 2017 at 04:21 PM



“ As a co worker with sandy at LTCP up to her retirement, I am truly shocked and saddened to hear of Sandy's passing. I hope Don and Sandy's family know I share their loss and will pray for them all in this time of deep sorrow. God bless.

mike minard - June 15, 2017 at 02:37 PM



“ Our deepest condolences to The entire Walls Family.

Sandy was my first friend when we moved here to Hampton 14 years ago. She was such a friendly person with a heart as big as gold. Always a very upbeat and positive person. ISandy and I spent many days at the beach walking along the water edge just talking about anything and everything. Or we would just sit and read a summer book. I will miss those times as I have the last couple of years. She loved her family dearly and especially her grandchildren, I know she was sick the last few years and respected her privacy but I missed her and prayed for her and her family . I will miss her dearly. RIP Sandy

Don, please let us know if you need anything, and again our deepest sympathy.

Cheryl & Tom Sawyer

Cheryl Tom Sawyer - June 15, 2017 at 07:35 AM



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