



Portia Lynn Moore

June 16, 1945 - December 6, 2023

Portia (Poke) Lynn Moore, 78, of Pleasant View, TN, and formerly Tomah, WI, passed away peacefully in her home on December 6th with family by her side. Portia was born at Baptist Hospital in Nashville TN to Finous Montgomery Holt and Jean (Yates) Holt.

She was raised in Hohenwald and Liberty Grove, TN, and graduated from Loretto High School. After graduating, she moved to California where she met Roger Moore, the love of her life. After marrying, they moved to Wisconsin in 1972 where she raised her family. Portia worked at the VA Hospital in Tomah until she retired in 2003. Portia then moved back to Pleasant View, TN to be around family.

She was an amazing mother, grandmother, and sister. Portia loved to cook and we will all miss that dearly. Her other interests were gardening {she liked digging in the dirt}, planting flowers, going to family reunions, yard-saling, and renovating her old farmhouse to make it her comfort place.

Portia's greatest joy was her family. The stories she told while sitting on the porch gave the family a window into the past and many laughs as well. She was a smart woman and one of the most frugal people on this planet. Although her passing will leave us with a hole in our hearts, we will always remember her kindness, generosity, and love.

Portia's faith had a strong hold on her life. In her last days, she prayed to be home and move on to heaven. She was able to do that with family by her side just as she wished.

Portia was survived by her sisters Deb (Steve) Beckman, Connie White, and Sherry (Buck) Thorton. She had two sons, Monty {Sherry Bowman} Moore and Skeez {Heather} Moore, and 4 grandkids, Myranda Lynn Moore, Maximillian Len Moore, Dane Ellis Moore, and Kylee Jordan Moore. 3 cats Buttercup, Precious, and Shadow as well as many cousins, nieces, and nephews. She was preceded in death by her brothers Tony Holt and Mike White, her sister Beck Murks, and her parents, Finous and Jean Holt.

McDonald Funeral Home is honored to serving the Moore family.

Cemetery Details

Grinders Creek

236 Rush Branch Rd
Hohenwald, TN 38462

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

McDonald Funeral Home, Inc. - Lewis County
20 West 2nd Avenue
Hohenwald, TN 38462
(931) 796-2207

Funeral Service

DEC 9. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ McDonald Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Portia Lynn Moore



McDonald Funeral Home, Inc - August 02, 2024 at 11:15 AM

NC

“ *i met portia in san jose califonria when we both worked at a collection agency portia was a hard and capable worker and advanced to becoming a collector she took care of herself and monty was a wonderful mother and when she met roger he was the love of her life and of course skeeze i felt the first time i met her it was like i had known her all my life of course i came from souther n parents and there is always that attraction to people who have the same upbringing and customs. my husband and i express our deepest sympahthy for the loss of a great woman but i know that portia has left this world but heaven has another angel*

nadine and jim craig

nadine craig - January 02, 2025 at 05:28 PM

JY

“ *Poke was a very special person. She will be missed by a lot of people.*

Joyce Yates - December 10, 2023 at 08:42 PM

DF

“ *Portia was a great lady and friend we went to high school together and graduated together may the Lord bless the family is my prayer*

Dexter Franklin - December 09, 2023 at 12:24 PM

SF

“ *Stiles family lit a candle in memory of Portia Moore*



Stiles family - December 09, 2023 at 03:38 AM

JW

“ *"Poke" was a very special cousin to me. I didn't get to see her as often as I wanted to (due to distance), but when I did, it was always a good time. She was so welcoming and kind, and fun to be with. I will miss her very much.*

*Jan Wigal
Cuyahoga Falls, OH*

Jan Wigal - December 08, 2023 at 09:55 PM

JY

Poke was a special person with a great personality. She will definitely be missed.

Joyce Yates - December 10, 2023 at 12:03 AM

MB

“ *Michael BATES sent a virtual gift in memory of Portia Moore*



Michael BATES - December 08, 2023 at 06:29 PM

RG

“ *Ronald Gammons lit a candle in memory of Portia Moore*



Ronald Gammons - December 08, 2023 at 06:23 PM