



Rhonda A LaClair

February 5, 1960 - December 19, 2016

Rhonda A. LaClair

Plant City – Rhonda A. LaClair, 56, passed away on Monday, December 19, 2016. She was born in Lakeland, FL and has been a lifetime resident of the area. Rhonda formerly worked in medical records at South Florida Baptist Hospital in Plant City for 20 years. She also worked as a Pro Shop Associate at Huntington Hills Golf and Country Club.

Rhonda was preceded in death by her mother, Alice Faye Pilgrim. She is survived by her husband, David E. LaClair; father, Lamar Pilgrim; son, Rawleigh D. Smith; daughter, Faith N. Bennett; sisters, Margaret A. Serralles, Ramona A. Walden; 14 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

Visitation with the family will be Friday from 10:00am to 11:00am at Northside Assembly of God, 411 Robson St. Services will begin at 11:00am and interment will follow at Serenity Gardens. Arrangements by Gentry-Morrison Funeral Home at Serenity Gardens. Condolences to the family may be offered at www.gentry-morrison.com.

Cemetery Details

Serenity Gardens - Cemetery

3350 Mall Hill Drive
Lakeland, FL 33810
(863) 853-5959
t.hall@gentry-morrison.com
<https://serenitygardensoflakeland.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Northside Assembly of God
411 W. Robson Street
Lakeland, FL 33805

Funeral Service

DEC **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Rhonda A LaClair*



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - December 22, 2016 at 04:33 PM

LS

That was so beautiful, a walk through memory lane. I did not know Rhonda well but that video very touching. Carol Smith

Lindsey and Carol Smith - December 22, 2016 at 04:49 PM



“ *Rhonda A LaClair*

November 17, 2022 at 10:14 AM

MS

“ *Marsha Smith lit a candle in memory of Rhonda A LaClair*



Marsha Smith - December 23, 2016 at 09:56 PM

Joycel Knowell

“ RHONDA , I ENJOYED EVERY VISIT WE HAD , SOME LAUGHS, JOKES & JUST THE TIME STEVE , ELIZABETH & I SPENT WITH YOU & DAVE . RIP RHONDA

Joycel Knowell - December 23, 2016 at 08:09 AM

AB

“ How sad and shocked to hear of Rhonda's passing. Rhonda was truly a unique and very lively lady who always had a good story, filled with humor, to tell. We at the water aerobics will always feel a void in our lives without Rhonda. Deepest sympathy to Rhonda's family.

Ann Boyd

Ann Boyd - December 23, 2016 at 06:32 AM

LC

“ Lisa Cummings lit a candle in memory of Rhonda A LaClair



Lisa Cummings - December 22, 2016 at 05:52 PM

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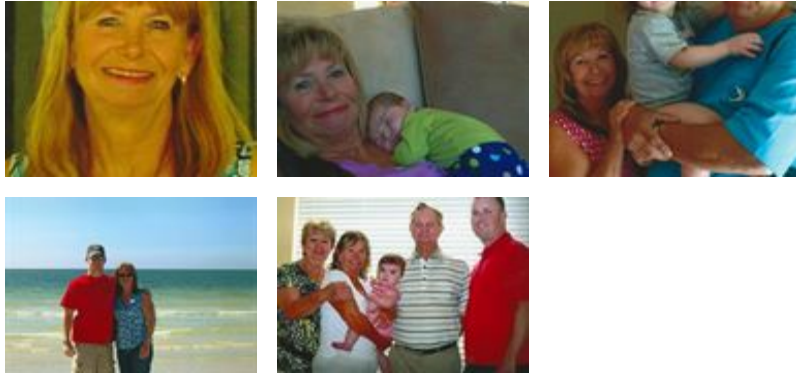
“ Lisa Cummings lit a candle in memory of Rhonda A LaClair



Lisa Cummings - December 22, 2016 at 05:50 PM



“ 58 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - December 22, 2016 at 03:15 PM

TL

“ *Tanner & Jeanie Lytle sent a virtual gift in memory of Rhonda A LaClair*



Tanner & Jeanie Lytle - December 22, 2016 at 03:08 PM

LS

“ *Lindsey And Carol Smith lit a candle in memory of Rhonda A LaClair*



Lindsey and Carol Smith - December 22, 2016 at 02:40 PM

CS

“ *Sending our condolences to Rhonda's family.* ”



Carl and Margie Smith - December 22, 2016 at 12:50 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Rhonda A LaClair.* ”



December 22, 2016 at 11:56 AM



“ *Ramona Pilgrim Walden lit a candle in memory of Rhonda A LaClair* ”



Ramona Pilgrim Walden - December 22, 2016 at 11:13 AM

SB

“ *thank you rhonda for giving my brother so much joy and love-your laughter and just your presence brought blessings to us all-i will miss you very much-walk tall in heaven girl and ring our bells when you get your wings--sandy* ”

sandra barbiers - December 22, 2016 at 06:46 AM

KD

“ Rhonda has always been great to me over the past 36 years- like a mom would! She had a great sense of humor and loved her family dearly. Rhonda was at most kickball games cheering the team on, or telling the ref he made a bad call! I loved her team spirit! I will do my best to watch out for Nicky, as she would do for me! We will miss Rhonda dearly!

Kristin Dodge - December 21, 2016 at 08:05 PM

SC

“ Rhonda was truly like a mom To me. Nicky and I would always seem to get into some trouble now and then as teens often did, but Rhonda always let us be us. She showed me love during a time in my life when I needed guidance and caring. I loved her as if she were my family. They say you can't pick family, but she was my family and I am forever grateful for her love and care! She will be missed greatly.

stephanie colon - December 21, 2016 at 07:18 PM



“ Dear sis I miss you deeply tell mom hello and please keep watch over us. you will never be out of my heart, it may hurt now because I miss and love you so much, but I know every day you will make it get a little easier and not hurt so much. Love Ramona

Ramona Pilgrim Walden - December 21, 2016 at 06:37 PM

CF

“ Rhonda and I shared a lot of fun memories when our daughters were in cheerleading at Duff field together. Our team won the championship that year. She always made me laugh over the years, always fun and funny. We used to go to Brandon to a place that we could all dance and have some fun and that is where she met Dave. I remember that he sent her a note of interest and you could tell she was interested in him, even though she was on a date with someone else. LOL. I think they were together from then on. I am so sorry for your loss family. She's watching over you from above but we sure will miss her here.

Cathy Follis - December 21, 2016 at 05:51 PM

GK

“ Gregg, Sandy, Courtney & Brittany Kaiser lit a candle in memory of Rhonda A LaClair



Gregg, Sandy, Courtney & Brittany Kaiser - December 21, 2016 at 05:12 PM

GB

Sandy Kaiser

Gregg, Sandy, Courtney Brittany - December 21, 2016 at 05:14 PM

RF

“ Rawleigh And Jean Smith & Family lit a candle in memory of Rhonda A LaClair



Rawleigh and Jean Smith & Family - December 21, 2016 at 02:11 PM