



Gloria Smith

August 7, 1948 - May 6, 2025

Gloria Smith, 76, of Herrick, Illinois died Tuesday, May 6, 2025 at 4:45 PM at Prairie Rose Health Care Center, Pana, with family by her side. Funeral Services will be Monday, May 12, 2025 at 10:00 AM in Kennedy & Sons Funeral Home, Pana, Illinois with Reverend Ronald Brown officiating. Visitation will also be Monday, May 12, 2025 in Kennedy & Sons Funeral Home, Pana beginning at 9:00 AM until time of Service. Burial will be in Myers Cemetery, Herrick Township, Shelby County, Illinois.

Gloria Smith was born Saturday, August 7, 1948 in Herrick, Illinois the daughter of William Elijah and Ruby May (maiden name Burrus) Beck. She was raised in Oconee and Pana attending Pana schools, and later received a GED. Gloria Jean Beck married William Joseph Smith in 1973 in Herrick, Illinois, and he died February 15, 2018. Gloria was a homemaker and beloved wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother; and she was a member of Lighthouse Pentecostal Church, Lakewood.

Gloria Smith is survived by her Sons: Bobby Gene Beck of Cowden, Illinois and Steve Kilcrease of Herrick, Illinois; thirteen Grandchildren; and seventeen Great-Grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her Parents, Husband, and Son: Bobby Dale Beck who died in infancy.

Cemetery Details

Myers Cemetery

125 N County Road 850E
Herrick Township Shelby County, IL 62431

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 12. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Kennedy & Sons, Funeral Directors
401 S. Locust Street
Pana, IL 62557
(217) 562-3959
info@kennedypana.net
<https://www.kennedypana.net>

Funeral Service

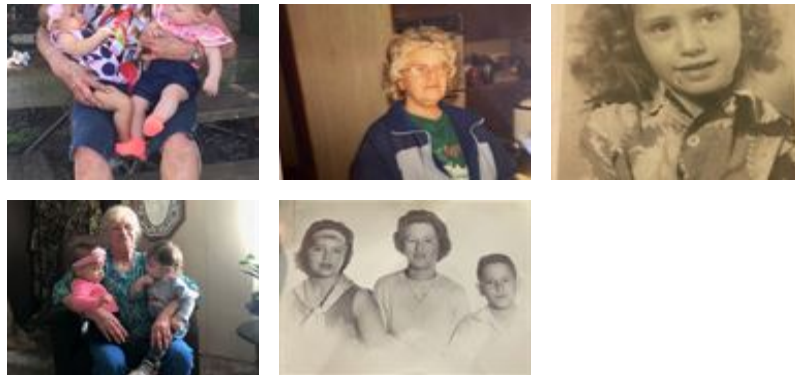
MAY 19. 10:00 AM (CT)

Kennedy & Sons, Funeral Directors
401 S. Locust Street
Pana, IL 62557
(217) 562-3959
info@kennedypana.net
<https://www.kennedypana.net>

Tribute Wall



“ 10 files added to the album Life Tributes



Kennedy & Sons Funeral Directors, P.C. - May 11, 2025 at 11:32 AM

CH

“ Gloria was a sweet lady and a mom I never had she had me go to the lighthouse church and I'm so thankful for it. I have a lot of memories with Gloria and she will always be in my heart and I will see her in heaven. I love ya. And I'm so sorry for all our family to hear this. My deepest condolences goes out to both sons and the rest of the family. Gloria you will be missed deeply. R I P MOM LOVE YOU!!!!



Cindy Helm - May 08, 2025 at 06:24 PM