



## Elizabeth Sawyer

November 18, 2010

Sawyer, Elizabeth Radiance, 74, of Lakeland, Fl. departed this life November 18, 2010 due to liver failure. She is survived by her husband, Philip; children, Dennis Yarbrough and fiancée Lindy Gillen, Yvette Cooper, Paul Sawyer and wife Cindy, Kyle Sawyer and wife Kitty, and Brian Sawyer and wife Laura; step-children, Mike Sawyer and Evelyn Taylor; siblings, Lloyd Gatlyn and wife Minnie Lee, Daniel Gatlyn and wife Claudine, and Annifaye Hall; ten grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Elizabeth was born November 9, 1936 in Lithia, Florida. She married her husband, Philip on Easter Sunday, April 22, 1962. She was a teacher in Polk County for sixteen years having taught at Haines City Jr. High School, Crystal Lake Jr. High School, and George Jenkins High School. Visitation will be Sunday, November 21 from 3-5:00 P.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 County Rd. 39 S., Plant City. A Celebration of Life will be held Monday, November 22 at 11:00 A.M. at Northside Assembly of God, 411 W. Robson St. in Lakeland. Interment in Pelote Cemetery, Lithia, Fl. Expressions of condolence [www.hopewellfuneral.com](http://www.hopewellfuneral.com)

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“ OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU CHILDREN ON THE LOSS OF YOUR WONDERFUL MOTHER, AND PHILLIP THIS LOSS IS VERY DIFFICULT FOR YOU LOSING YOUR SOUL MATE. GOD IS SO FAITHFUL TO HELP HEAL OUR LOSS. WE REMEMBER BETTY FROM FIRST ASSEMBLE OF GOD IN LAKELAND WITH PASTOR J. FOY JOHNSON. WHAT SPECIAL MEMORIES THERE ARE FOR US OF THOSE TIMES. SHE ALWAYS BLESSED US WITH HER TALENT ON THE ORGAN AND PIANO. TO KNOW THAT SHE IS IN THE ARMS OF THE LORD GIVES US SUCH COMFORT. WE WILL BE REMEMBERING YOU IN PRAYER. WE LOVED BETTY CHUCK & ANN##imported-begin##CHARLES & ANN KENT##imported-end##

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“ TO ALL OF THE FAMILY AND CHILDREN SHE IS A GREAT LOSS TO ME. SHE ALWAYS TOLD ME HAPPY DAY AND SHE ALWAYS MADE EVERYONE FEEL SO SPECIAL. WE LOVE YOU.##imported-begin##VERA FENDER##imported-end##

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