



Pam Simmons

October 19, 1955 - January 16, 2012

Mrs. Pam Tedrow Simmons, age 56 of Carthage passed away Monday, January 16, 2012 at St. Thomas Hospital in Nashville, TN. Mrs. Simmons was born October 19, 1955 in Woodland, CA the daughter of Valeda Joyce Thomas and the late William Douglas (Billy) James. She was also preceded in death by her First Husband; Johnnie Robert Tedrow on February 13, 1999. Pam was a 1974 graduate of Gordonsville High School. She received her Licensed Practical Nursing Degree from Tennessee Technology Center in Hartsville, TN. She worked as a LPN at Smith County and Carthage General Hospital as well as the Wilson County Jail. Pam spent most of her career working as an OB Nurse. She was a member of the Church of Christ. Pam married Donald Ray Simmons on April 7, 2001. Mrs. Simmons is survived by her Husband; Donald Simmons of Carthage, TN. Three Children; Michelle Madell of Brush Creek, TN., Robert (Cindy) Tedrow of Carthage, TN and Joyce Tedrow of Carthage, TN. Mother; Joyce Thomas (Hayden) Evans of Clinton, TN. Three Step Daughters; Misty (Cory) Wood of Hickman, TN., Amber (Brandon) Boyd of Slidale, LA., and Trisha (Duey) Pounders of Horn Lake, MS. Two Brothers; Randy (JoAnn) James of Riddleton, TN., Michael James of Knoxville, TN. Sister; Ruth Wheeler of College Grove, TN. Six Grandchildren; John Madell, Kendra Madell, Kodey Madell, Destiny Tedrow, Johnnie Tedrow, and Madison Tedrow. Eight Step Grandchildren and an unborn grandchild due on July 22, 2012. Funeral services for Mrs. Simmons will be conducted 1 PM Friday, January 20, 2012 at the Gordonsville Chapel

of Bass Funeral Homes with Edward L. Anderson officiating. Interment will follow in Smith County Memorial Gardens. Visitation with the Simmons Family will be at the Gordonsville Chapel of Bass Funeral Homes on Wednesday from 4 PM until 8 PM, Thursday from 4PM until 8PM, and again on Friday after 10 AM. The Simmons Family request that donations be made to the American Cancer Society.