



Laura Ethel Payne

May 24, 1941 - November 30, 2012

Port Orange, FL

Laura Ethel Bishop Payne, 71, went to her heavenly home on Friday, Nov. 30, 2012 in Edgewater, FL.

She was born on May 24, 1941 in Jasper, VA to the late Emit and Alice (Jones) Bishop. She was a very loving mother, sister and friend.

She was also preceded in death by two brothers, Girstle Bishop & Gaynes Bishop and two sisters, Hazel Edens & Elizabeth Smith.

She is survived by her husband of 52 years Edward Payne, of the home; two children, Edward Payne Jr. of Laurel MD, and Jeff Payne of Tampa FL; four grandchildren; four great grandchildren; three brothers, Billy Bishop of Highland, MD, Edward Bishop of Mt. Airy, MD, and Bobby Bishop of Big Stone Gap, VA; two sisters, Della Frazier of Middletown, OH, Patsy Hostler of South Daytona, FL; and also survived by several nieces and nephews and cousins.

The family will receive friends from 5 until 7 p.m. on Tuesday (Dec. 4, 2012) at Holding Funeral Home (17 E. 3rd St., N.) in Big Stone Gap, VA.

The funeral service will follow in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Wayne Thomas officiating.

Committal services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday at the Bishop Family Cemetery in Jasper, VA. The family and friends will meet at the cemetery by 10:45 a.m. on Wednesday.

An online guest registry is available for the Payne/Bishop family at www.holdingfuneralhome.com.

Holding Funeral Home is honored to serve the Payne/Bishop family.

Tribute Wall



“ *Laura Ethel Payne*

October 07, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ *To the Payne Family,
You are in my thoughts and my prayers.
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Tab Proudfoot - December 10, 2013 at 08:10 AM



“ *Ed, Eddie, and Jeff, I am so sorry to hear about Ethel, I would have came to the funeral but I just found the obituary on the internet, and realized the funeral was yesterday, I will never forget Ethel, she and Ed always made me welcome in their family and I moved from Md. To Tn. 17 yrs. Ago and kinda lost touch, but have a lot of memories.. God Bless You all !*

Rick Ward - December 10, 2013 at 08:10 AM



“ *To Ed:
Laura and I became close during her many visits and stays at Port Orange Rehab over the past yrs. I grew to love her and was in awe of her strength in fighting against her pain and many ailments.
She and I would do exercises to keep up her strength in her arms/hands to assist in her "sit to stand" and bed positioning. She always put all she had into it and it paid off because in no time she was returning home to be with you, the love of her life.
You will see her again and now she's free of all her pain and misery.Cyndi*

Cyndi Pitzer - December 10, 2013 at 08:10 AM



“ *Will miss you dear Laura ----always enjoyed our times together and seeing you improve and return home to Ed. May the angels' wings be wrapped around you to provide all the happiness and comfort you need.*

Cyndi Pitzer - December 10, 2013 at 08:10 AM



*“ I was very sorry to read of Laura's passing. She and my mother were roommates at Port Orange Nursing and Rehab recently.
My sincere condolences to Mr. Payne and your entire family.*

December 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM