



## Mrs. Linda Renee Gilliam/Franklin

November 28, 1967 - February 18, 2014

Big Stone Gap VA

Linda Reneé Gilliam-Franklin, 46, of Big Stone Gap passed away on( February 18, 2014)

Linda was born on November 28, 1967, in Orlando, FL to Judy and Bruce Gilliam. She attended Powell Valley High school in Big Stone Gap. She continued her education at Mountain Empire Community College where she obtained an associate's degree in "Medical office specialist" and was certified in medical office coding, and procedure. Although she loved reading and writing, her greatest joy in life was her family, especially her two children.

She was preceded in death by her brother; Jeff Gilliam.

She is survived by brother; Bruce Gilliam Jr, wife Lisa Gilliam, her two nephews; Brennan Lawson and Nicholas Gilliam, her parents; Bruce, and Judy Gilliam, her fiancé; T.J. Neely, and her two children; Rachel Person and Dustin Franklin.

The family will receive friends at Holding Funeral Home in Big Stone Gap (17. East. 3rd St. N.) on Friday (Feb. 21, 2014) from 5:30 p.m until 8:00 p.m for the visitation.

The funeral service will be conducted on Saturday (Feb. 22, 2014) in the Holding Funeral Home chapel at 2:00 p.m. with the Pastor Tony Nunley officiating.

The graveside service will be conducted following the funeral in the American Legion Cemetery.

Family and Friends will serve as pallbearers

Holding Funeral Home is honored to serve the Gilliam/Franklin families.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Linda Renee Gilliam/Franklin*

October 07, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ *With Deepest Sympathy -- Thinking about you TJ -- let me know if you need anything.*

**DONNA THACKSTON** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM



“ *It's with deepest sadness and condolence I send along this message. I have known Linda since the 5th grade and considered her a very close friend. I was numbed by the news of her death. Please accept my deepest sympathies for TJ and her family, you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Chris*

**Chris Slemp** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

**Barbara Coker** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM



“ *TJ,  
So sorry to hear of your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.  
Kary*

**KaryReynolds** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM

BB

“ TJ,  
SO sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.  
Barbara

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**Barbara Burke** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM

JG

“ TJ,  
I pray that God will give you strength to bear this. You will be in my  
thoughts and prayers.  
Your friend, Janie

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**janie g greene** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM

TN

“ May you rest in peace still praying for your family

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**Theresa Barker Najdowski** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM

CH

“ TJ, I am sorry for your loss. You and Linda's family are in my  
thoughts and prayers. Cindy

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**Cindy Harding** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM

BP

“ I was so saddened to hear of Linda's passing. We became friends  
in the third grade. She was always a joy to be around... always full  
of fun and laughter. I'm sure she will not be forgotten.

*I pray the Lord will comfort and strengthen you during this difficult  
time.*

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**Barry Poff** - May 02, 2014 at 11:16 AM



“*"Sincere and heart felt sympathy" My prayers and thoughts are with you TJ and family.*

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February 20, 2014 at 12:00 AM