



Roberta L. Watts

September 3, 1966 - January 17, 2016

Roberta L. Watts, 49, a long time Connersville area resident, passed away suddenly January 17, 2016 at her home in Connersville. She was born September 3, 1966 in Connersville to Robert & Ida Fields. Roberta was a 1985 graduate of Laurel High School and obtained her paralegal degree after graduation. She married Ed Watts on June 21, 1986 and he survives. Ed & Roberta lived in Massachusetts for 10 years after they were married and then moved back to Connersville in 1995.

Roberta had worked for Indiana Grand Racing & Casino for the last several years. She was a transport driver for Tri-County prior to that. She had quite the adventurous spirit...she loved to zip line, ride her motorcycle and quad & play with her grandson, Luke.

She is survived by her parents, Robert & Ida Fields of Laurel, her husband, Ed, of Connersville, a daughter, Rachel & husband Ryan Reece of Connersville, brothers, Donnie (Lori) Hamilton of Connersville, Kelly (Lisa) Hokey and Mike Fields all of Laurel, a sister, Georgia (Mike) McKinney of Laurel and a grandson, Luke Reece.

A time of remembrance will take place from 6-8 PM Friday evening, January 22, 2016 at Moster Mortuary, Rushville. If anyone would like to share a memory of Roberta that evening there will be an opportunity to do so. Cremation will take place after service.

Tribute Wall



“ *Roberta L. Watts*

January 28, 2023 at 12:19 PM



“ *Joel Burns lit a candle in memory of Roberta L. Watts*



Joel Burns - January 22, 2016 at 11:03 PM



“ *I remember Missy very well as a very sweet and caring girl who was a great big sister to Georgie and Michael. She was always willing to help anyone who needed help with anything. Sally and I are greatly saddened by hearing of her passing. For sure God has a new Angle in heaven today. God bless your family. Joel Burns*

Joel Burns - January 22, 2016 at 11:01 PM



“ *She was super nice which u guys all know that. She was on my side for what happened to me at the cassino very good woman she will be missed a lot she would always tell me funny stuff my team members said lol miss you Roberta. Prayers to ALL the family*

Brenda - January 22, 2016 at 07:45 PM

SP

“ *Sherri Pierce lit a candle in memory of Roberta L. Watts*



Sherri Pierce - January 22, 2016 at 12:42 PM

AP

“ *Roberta was so very kind hearted. I taught her in training classes to reach out to others to make them feel good and even on the days I didn't practice what I preach she always offered that connection to warm my heart. Missed already & praying for your family. God has taken you home. -Adriel, HR at Indy Grand*

Adriel Pike - January 21, 2016 at 10:11 PM

LD

“ *Love, Mom and Dad purchased the Enchanted C ottage for the family of Roberta L. Watts.*



Love, Mom and Dad - January 21, 2016 at 01:49 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roberta L. Watts.*



January 21, 2016 at 10:32 AM

GK

“ With sadness yet fondness I remember this lady of strength and grace and zest for life. She worked tirelessly and effortlessly on our volleyball team, always kicking butt and making us laugh along the way. Her dedication and commitment to whatever she did, and her family of course, were inspirational. I'm proud to have known her and broken hearted that she's gone. All my love to her family, ❤️
Gena Knapp

Gena Knapp - January 21, 2016 at 10:13 AM

AJ

“ Roberts was a very nice and sweet lady she knew where everyone's car was Parked if you were a new hire she still knew where your car was Parked I will miss her dearly rest in peace
roberta

Alan Jones - January 21, 2016 at 08:50 AM

JC

“ One of my former young people that I taught in Sunday School at Chapel Southern Missionary Baptist ... last time I saw her was at Chapel's Homecoming. She sang her heart out. I was so happy to hear her because she was so shy and I never expected that voice to come out of her. She had the curliest, blondish reddish hair I think I have ever seen and was a sweet young lady. GOD has blessed me to know her. I'm sorry for the loss - her family surely is feeling - especially Eddie. He truly loved her. - Janice Cowan

Janice Cowan - January 21, 2016 at 08:19 AM

GC

“ George And Connie Cameron lit a candle in memory of Roberta L. Watts



George and Connie Cameron - January 20, 2016 at 04:56 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Roberta L. Watts.



January 20, 2016 at 04:43 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Roberta L. Watts.



January 20, 2016 at 03:03 PM

AF

“ I knew Roberta from Indiana Grand. She was one of the most caring and delightful people. She was always in a good mood and had lots to talk about. She talked about her grand baby and family. She will be missed.

Ann Ferguson - January 20, 2016 at 09:16 AM

KV

“ I recall countless times growing up when my sisters and I would beg for permission to stay at Georgie and Berta's "for just a little while longer, please!!" We were always having too much fun and didn't want to leave. Berta was the GREATEST everything!!!

I can hear a song even now and it will take me right back to their living room where we were dancing and singing!! Those memories will never fade!

*Love and prayers from the "Marcum Girls" Lora, Kristie, and Jana
Kristie (Marcum) Vail*

Kristie (Marcum) Vail - January 20, 2016 at 08:44 AM

CF

“ Roberta had a big 'Heart' , a beautiful laugh, always full of energy; she and I had many great talks. She was an awesome lady. So, glad that we crossed path in life:)

Charlene Franklin - January 20, 2016 at 07:44 AM

ST

“ I worked at Indiana Grand Casino for four years. Roberta was my favorite shuttle bus driver. She was the sweetest and nicest person. I always was happy after a long day of work that I got to ride her shuttle to my car.

She will be greatly missed!

Shannon Trimnell

Shannon Trimnell - January 20, 2016 at 02:50 AM

 Lisa
Minton

“ Berta,

I will never forget when I told you I was moving to Colorado...I was afraid to tell you because you had bought the Van Halen tickets for us to go...when I told you, you started softly crying...boy did I feel bad..when I said I am sorry to upset you by not being able to go to the concert...you said...no, I am sad you won't get to see my grandson...I got teary eyed too, still do when I think about it...Love ya Berta...you are missed my friend.


*Lisa Minton
forever shuttle 6*

Lisa Minton - January 19, 2016 at 10:46 PM

GC

“ *She has been a very special person here at the casino to me and so many others. She always knew what to say to me when things were not going my way, kinda like the bus driver bartender, someone that listen to you and would offer her words of wisdom. She did not know a stranger. Recently, she gave me an educational lesson on geese. I will miss that big smile.*

Gina in the cage - January 19, 2016 at 09:20 PM

 ReJeana
Ault

“ *ReJeana Ault lit a candle in memory of Roberta L. Watts*



ReJeana Ault - January 19, 2016 at 09:01 PM

SI

“ I will miss her dearly!! I will miss her asking me if I left anything on her bus!!!

Susan Isgrigg - January 19, 2016 at 08:29 PM

JA

“ I have nothing but the fondest memories of Berta. I had not seen her in years, but when I'd think of her, it would always bring a smile or a laugh. The world has lost a wonderful person, and Heaven has gained an angel.

Juli Allen-Cummings - January 19, 2016 at 06:41 PM

GD

“ Roberta will always be remembered for her smile, gracious nature and kindness. She was a valuable member of our team and we will certainly miss her, however; she will always maintain a place in our hearts.

*Greg Dhaene
Director of Security*

Greg Dhaene - January 19, 2016 at 03:55 PM

RT

“ Roberta has been in my life for 28 years first as a sister in law and then as my friend. She loved music and dancing and boy she could dance. We recently saw VanHalen in Indy which was one of her bucket list bands glad I could share that with her. Love and miss you my friend!

Rhonda Turner - January 19, 2016 at 03:53 PM

RT

“ *Rhonda Turner lit a candle in memory of
Roberta L. Watts* ”



Rhonda Turner - January 19, 2016 at 03:51 PM