



## Constance Vardeman Revell

April 2, 1948 - December 25, 2016

Constance (Vardeman) Herring Revell, of Wauchula, Florida, passed away on Christmas Day, December 25, 2016 at the age of 68. Connie was born in Columbus, Georgia to parents Jack and Lois Vardeman Herring on April 2, 1948. She grew up in Waverly Hall, Georgia as the oldest of three Herring daughters. Connie attended Winter Haven High School after her family moved to Winter Haven, Florida. As a grandmother, Connie returned to complete her bachelor's degree in Social Work from the University of South Florida before working for the City of Wauchula.

Connie was predeceased by her parents, Jack and Lois Vardeman Herring, and her youngest sister, Patricia Herring Sikes, formerly of Winter Haven, Florida. Connie is survived by her sister, Carla Patterson of Smith Station, Alabama, her daughter and son-in-law, Jacqueline James Hughey and Jesse Howard of Atlanta, Georgia, her son and daughter-in-law, Brian Vardeman Revell and Sarah Bonaiuto Revell of Westborough, Massachusetts, her daughter/grand-daughter, Alicia Revell of Lakeland, Florida; and her grandchildren, Alexis Hughey of Charlotte, North Carolina, and Benjamin and Annabelle Revell of Westborough, Massachusetts.

She was also survived by her cousins with whom she grew up in Waverly Hall and was very eager to tell stories about, David Vardeman, Glenn Dhu Vardeman, Jennifer Vardeman Johnson, Jan Vardeman-Clark, Roderick Dhu

Vardeman, Mickey DiGiovanni, Jody Toth, and Mallie (Mark) Denmark, Jr. She was also proud to have as her nieces, Polly Bruno, Patti Addickson, Stephanie Sykes Odom and nephew, Zach Patterson.

Time and distance should not limit the connections of family, but inevitably it does. She was proud of her life and extremely proud of her entire family.

After careful coordination with family, there will be a Celebration of Life for Connie at Hardee Manor on January 4, 2017 from 1:30 PM until 3:00 PM. All who are available are invited to attend to share stories and good times with her as we honor mom. The family is grateful for the condolences and you can reach Connie's son, Brian via email at [revell.b@gmail.com](mailto:revell.b@gmail.com) for more information.

# Tribute Wall

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“ I personally want to thank all who came to my mom's Celebration of Life at Hardee Manor. I truly appreciated the stories and the love of my mother that was felt in the room. The staff at Hardee Manor and from VITAS hospice have been one of the best support groups I could ever imagine. I am so thankful GOD allowed my mother and I to heal our old battle wounds these past few years and Im thankful GOD had my mother in a place where she was not only took care of but also LOVED. Recently I had checked into relocating her to Georgia near me and was lining it all up but when I came down end of Sept. I talked to her real caregivers and realized physically and emotionally my mother really didnt need to be moved. We all know my mom was a fiesty one with a big heart and the staff at Hardee Manor knew it as well but they had compassion and cared for her til the end. As I was told Wed. Jan 4 she was the retired social worker who never retired and pretty much knew everything going on in the building and out and if someone needed help my mom would be in her scooter at the front office getting "things in order". I regret not having her closer BUT I dont know if she would have been in a closer place happy like she was at Hardee Manor. Before your loved ones get to the place in life where they need help check out Hardee Manor. As my mom told me when I was looking if a place smells like bleach they are trying to cover up something.... I am forever thankful for Hardee Manor and tthe staff and the Vitas staff. I also want to thank Robarts for taking care of my mothers arrangements.

*My brother, daughters , family and I will be placing Mom in Wauchula Cementary in a private ceremony and then will also be taking her back home to Columbus Ga where her parents are buried. Thanks again for the love shown in honor of her.*

*Jackie Hughey*

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**Jacqueline Hughey** - January 09, 2017 at 06:21 PM

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“ *Connie was a dear friend who would do anything for anyone. Her door was always open. My first and only true friend I made when I moved to Florida. I had the chance to go back and visit Connie after I moved home to NH. We had a blast together. I will always treasure that week we spent together. RIP my friend. Love you. Sheila*

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**sheila geisler** - December 30, 2016 at 01:10 PM

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*Thank you for sharing .*

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**Jacqueline Hughey** - January 09, 2017 at 06:22 PM