



Schambach, Lee

April 5, 2009

Schambach, Lee Ann, age 54 of Woodridge Court, Glen Dale, died Sunday, April 5, 2009 at home.

Lee Ann was born March 6, 1955 in Wetzel County and was a retired teacher from Wetzel County School System, with 30 years of service. She taught first grade at the New Martinsville grade school where she was one of the most requested teachers.

Lee Ann graduated from Magnolia High School in 1973 where she was voted the friendliest student, a trait she carried throughout her life. She was also a WVU graduate and an avid Mountaineer fan. Her love and kindness for people led her to compile many friends throughout the state. She also had a great love for animals including her pets Bentley and Bogey. She traveled to many golf tournaments every summer, following her sons insuring they would never be penalized for losing a ball.

She was preceded in death by her father: Harry "Lee" Watkins in December 2008.

Survivors include her husband, of 24 years, Brian Schambach; two sons: Trent and Carson Schambach both at home; her mother: Carol Watkins of New Martinsville; three nieces and nephews: Tori Helmbright, Austin Schambach and Kelly Shambach; her special friend: "Zoe Girl".

The family deeply appreciates the kindness and support of their family and friends and the warm care given by Dr. Monga and his wonderful staff during her courageous battle with breast cancer.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday from 1-4 & 6-9pm at the Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Ave., Moundsville and Wednesday from 10:00am until time of service at 11:00am at the Glen Dale United Methodist Church, 700 Wheeling Ave., Glen Dale with Rev. Billy Ray Carpenter officiating.

Interment in Greenlawn Memorial Park, New Martinsville.

Memorial Contributions may be made to the Lee Ann Foundation, for victims of breast cancer, c/o Community Foundation, P.O. Box 670, Wheeling, WV 26003