



Brenda Ellis

April 19, 1953 - July 12, 2008

Brenda L. Ellis, 55 of Little Elm passed away on Saturday July 12, 2008 at her residence. She was born to Milton and Barbara Williams Wood on April 19, 1953 in Houston, TX. She married Roger Ellis on October 25, 1968. Brenda and her husband were business owners in the Cross Roads area for many years, opening their latest business, Cross Roads Trailers, in 1998. She was active in the community, serving as Director on the Aubrey Area Chamber of Commerce 2001-2002, and participated in the Economic Development Committee for the town of Cross Roads. She was known for her sunshine-always bringing laughter and joy as a wife, mother, grandmother, community leader, and friend. She always saw the good in people, and was always willing to lend a hand to those in need. She had volunteered with both hospice services and United Way. Brenda had a big heart and a passion for life. She loved horses, and would ride with anyone, anywhere, anytime. In 1993 she and her husband were instrumental in forming the North Texas Team Penning Association, a family oriented program for horse enthusiasts young and old. She volunteered her time with the Spirit Horse program in Corinth, which offers therapeutic horseback riding to those with disabilities and special needs. She provided a home for many stray dogs that came her way. She loved the outdoors and camping, especially with her grandchildren. Brenda is survived by her husband Roger, son Shannon Ellis of Little Elm, grandchildren Macie, Morgan and Aaron Ellis all of Little Elm. She is also survived by her brothers Doug Wood of Houston, and Butch Wood of Mineola, her mother-in-

law Georgia Ellis of Arlington and sister-in-law Gale Hudson of Arlington.

Tribute Wall

DB

“ See you in Heaven beautiful lady. Wish I would have met you sooner. My thoughts & prayers are with your family & friends.

Diana Burke - July 15, 2008 at 07:31 PM

BE

“ We are glad to have had the privilege to know such a sweet person. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

*The Matthews Family
Aubrey, TX*

Brenda Ellis - July 15, 2008 at 11:03 AM

JW

“ Brenda was such a wonder lady and blessing to so many. Our heart and prayers are with the family and friends at the time of sorrow. Just remember she is in a better place with no more pain or suffering. Deepest sympathy Jerry & Janice Webb

Jerry & Janice Webb - July 15, 2008 at 06:11 AM

CH

“ As a member of the Dallas Thyca Support Group, I developed an instant friendship with Brenda. Our vocal issues drew us even closer. Her heart and spirit have always been in the right place. I am blessed for having her in my life. Roger is her true love.

Roger, thank you for sharing her with us.

*Carolyn & Alsie Hyden
Oklahoma City*

Carolyn Hyden - July 14, 2008 at 07:55 PM

DD

“ *Gale Hudson is my sister-in-law and through her I have had the privilege of meeting and visiting with Brenda a few times over the years. Gale has shared how kind and wonderful Brenda has always been, and the strength and fortitude she exhibited throughout her long illness. I know that Brenda will be greatly missed by those who knew her and loved her. You are in my prayers.*

Donna Hudson Dunn - July 14, 2008 at 06:51 PM

SM

“ *We will miss you.*

Staci Matthews - July 14, 2008 at 06:23 PM

BM

“ *Brenda was truly one of our Lords greatest creations! A dear friend I shall never forget.*

Bob Mumma - July 14, 2008 at 05:07 PM

VS

“ *She loved life with her family and friends and the animals. She shared her love with all she met.*

Virden & Elva Seybold - July 14, 2008 at 02:07 PM