



**Roberta Jane Gross**

April 29, 1961 - April 27, 2011



Roberta Jane “Sissy” Gross, 49 of Hix died Wednesday April 27, 2011 in Summers County A.R.H. Hospital following a short illness.

Born April 29, 1961 in Cleveland, Ohio, she was the daughter of Robert Bennett & wife Juanita of Madams Creek and Mamie Richmond Adkins of Hix.

Sissy was a certified nursing assistant at Summers Nursing & Rehabilitation Center at Hildale as long as health permitted. She attended Mountain State University, majoring in social work. She enjoyed gardening and camping.

She was preceded in death by paternal grandfather, Abraham and Mary Goldie Breen Bennett. Maternal grandfather, Herbert Richmond. Sister, Tracy Sawyer. Half-sister, Cathy Plumley and brother-in-law, Charles Cook.

Those left to cherish her memory besides her mother, father and step-mother, she will be sadly missed by her four children; Shawn Richmond of Hix, Jamie Lee Jackson of Beech Run, and Hope Earhart & husband Benji and Shirley Gross, both of Hix. One brother, Robert Bennett of Ballard. Two sisters, Glenna Cook of Hix and Karen Richmond & husband Gary of Chestnut Mountain. Four grandchildren; Brooke Jackson and Bruce Jackson, Jr., both of Beech Run, and Jacob and Katlyn Richmond of Jumping Branch. Maternal grandmother, Hazel Richmond of Greenville. Half-brother, Wayne Bennett & wife Virginia of Madams Creek Two half-sisters, Vicky Adkins of Pennsylvania and Jennifer Bennett of Madams Creek. Several nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles also survive.

Funeral services will be held at 12:00 noon Saturday April 30, 2011 at Pivont Funeral Home Chapel in Hinton with Pastor Mike Ballard officiating. Burial will follow in the O’Bryan Cemetery at Hix. Friends may call from 10:00 a.m. until time of services on Saturday at the funeral home.

Pallbearers will be; Bruce Jackson, Kevin Wills, Shannonn Earhart, Matthew Stalnaker, Robert Dick and Robert Bennett, Jr.

Honorary pallbearers will be; Benjamin Earhart, Jr. and Rodney Hartwell.

Online condolences & guest register at [www.pivontfuneralhome.com](http://www.pivontfuneralhome.com)

Arrangements by Pivont Funeral Home, Hinton, WV