



Donna Belcher Hunt

July 27, 1973 - May 11, 2022

Donna Renea Belcher Hunt, age 48, of Newport, passed away Wednesday, May 11, 2022 at Tennova Newport Medical Center.

She was a member of Memorial Baptist Church.

She was a smiley and giving kind soul, a very good, daughter and mother.

She was well loved by all that knew her.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents, Floyd and Bursell Belcher, and grandfather, John M. Francis.

She is survived by her sons, Austyn and Logan Hunt, of Newport, mother, Patty Francis, father Donnie Belcher and stepmother Vickie, sister, Torie (Rob) Winningham, grandmother, Bonnie Francis, special cousin Tammy Salyers, very special friend Chevy Ball, also other family and friends.

The family will receive friends from 11:00 am – 2:00 pm Saturday, May 14, 2022, with funeral services following at 2:00 pm in Manes Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. John Hill officiating.

Burial will follow in Dunn Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers the family request that donations be made to the American Diabetes Association or a charity of your choice.

Family and friends may sign the guest register online at: www.manesfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Receive Friends

MAY 14. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Chapel
363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821

Funeral service

MAY 14. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

MAY 14.

Dunn Cemetery
Newport, TN

Tribute Wall



“ *Donna Belcher Hunt*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. Donna was a wonderful, sweet person and will truly be missed.*

Melinda Willis McDaniel - May 19, 2022 at 07:47 AM



“ *Melinda Willis McDaniel lit a candle in memory of Donna Belcher Hunt*



Melinda Willis McDaniel - May 19, 2022 at 07:46 AM



“ *Missy Ellis lit a candle in memory of Donna Belcher Hunt*



missy ellis - May 18, 2022 at 11:35 AM

ME

“ Donna, my sweet friend, your kindness, smile and laugh was contagious, and you knew no stranger! you would help anyone who needed it, at any time! Thank you for always being a friend, not only to me, and my son, but other kids in the community as well. The impact you've had on those around you will forever be remembered! My heart aches for your boys and mom. I will treasure all the fun times, car rides and talks we had, until we meet again! Rest easy!!
Love Missy & Josh

missy ellis - May 18, 2022 at 11:35 AM

ER

“ So sorry for your loss keep you in my prayers



Evelyn Roberts - May 16, 2022 at 05:13 PM

PP

“ Donna you was a great cousin. But the best thing about you was your love for your two boys and the love for your Mom and for your Grandmother. You will be sadly be missed by everyone. Love you.



Pamela Paris - May 15, 2022 at 03:14 PM

CT

“ Donna was such a sweet, kind hearted person. We become good friends. Everyone who knew her loved her. She will be dearly missed. Our thoughts and prayers to her family. Maybe you rest in peace my friend.
Chastity Turner and Troy Lorentzen



Chastity Turner - May 15, 2022 at 12:06 PM

CL

“ Donna was always sweet & kind, lively & fun. She loved her family so dearly, & she spread joy around wherever she was.
We send our love & sympathy to all the family.
Bill & Charlotte Leibrock

Charlotte Leibrock - May 15, 2022 at 11:20 AM

RW

“ Donna you were a beautiful son with two amazing boys. I got to know you when you were a sub and the love you had for all the kids was amazing. You had so many strong relationships with the kids and the staff. You will be missed by so many, esp your sweet boys. Prayers Logan and Austyn in the days to come. Just know she loved you more than anything!

Rhonda Williams - May 15, 2022 at 09:13 AM

KS

“ I have been lost for words since hearing of Donna's passing. Donna was one that no matter how long it had been since we had spoke we could see each other and pick up where we had left off.

She was an inspiration to many and had a heart the size of Texas. Donna not only loved and cared for her two boy's, but was also like a mom to a lot of the local teenager's. She definitely left her mark on our little town and her presence will be greatly missed. I am so glad to have the memories we made together as teenager's and as football moms. Rest easy my beautiful friend until we meet again.
Love ya! Katrina



Katrina Starnes - May 15, 2022 at 01:05 AM

RM

“ Donna was one of my students at Edgemont years ago. She was always a bright and happy child full of life and love for everyone. I was blessed to get to see har at Walmart a couple of months ago and talk to her for a bit. She was her same happy self, ready to help anyone she could. She also bragged on her boys and how thoughtful they were and how they took such good care of her. She will definitely be missed by a lot of people.

Rita McNabb - May 14, 2022 at 09:10 PM

EC

“ My condolences to the family.



ella mae crum - May 14, 2022 at 08:00 PM

TM

“ *My condolences for the family.*



theresa miller - May 14, 2022 at 07:58 PM

JB

“ *Patty I am so sorry for your loss. A child's love is special and forever. Y'all are in my thoughts and prayers.*



Jimmy and Charlotte Blazer - May 14, 2022 at 02:29 PM

SM

“ *Logan and Austin, we are so sorry about the loss of your momma. She was such an amazing person. You all have our prayers. Dustin, Sara, and Caroline Morrow*

Sara Morrow - May 14, 2022 at 12:57 PM

MI

“ *Donna was a wonderful person who always smiled and loved all the kids she knew. She was always at sporting events to support so many kids. She loved her boys deeply and they were her life. She will be missed greatly.*

Misty - May 14, 2022 at 12:24 PM

AG

“ *Our prayers are with you.
Gary and Angie Gentry*

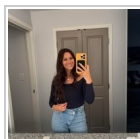
Angie Gentry - May 14, 2022 at 12:05 PM

CR

“ *We are definitely going to miss you! To so many that called you mom, thank you so much for being there for me when I needed you most! I know your definitely looking down on us.*



Christopher Raines - May 14, 2022 at 11:47 AM



“ *Donna was a very special person who was always there for all of us. She will be missed very much!*
Jayda and Tanya Harden

Jayda Harden - May 14, 2022 at 11:12 AM

JS

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy
Doug & Joyce Shoemaker*

Joyce Shoemaker - May 14, 2022 at 10:10 AM

CW

“ *Donna was an amazing mother and friend. She loved her boys beyond measure. She will be missed tremendously.*

Christen Woodson - May 14, 2022 at 09:17 AM

TL

“ I met Donna in high school home room many years ago, she has honestly been the same funny and loyal friend since then. Our children have gone to school together and are friends also. She was my Friday Night Lights pal for many years. It just seems unreal that she will not be here for all of us. She will most sorely be missed. My love goes out to Donna’s family that is left here to mourn this huge loss, especially Logan and Austyn. Praying for you all ☐



Tonia Bryant LaForce - May 14, 2022 at 08:39 AM

DB

“ We are so sorry for the loss of a special beautiful Donna. I've known Donna ever since she was born. Remembering Donna babysitting for us and we loved her. We have lost a beautiful precious girl. Praying for all the family.

Darlene Brooks - May 13, 2022 at 11:14 PM

CH

“ Donna will always be remembered by us for being such a sweet friend who always had such a great personality. She will be missed by so many people whose lives she touched.

Hector & Chrystal Artica
Jason & Brittany Artica



chrystal - May 13, 2022 at 01:43 PM

PM

“ So sorry about your loss.

Pat Moss - May 13, 2022 at 12:34 AM

BM

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss.*

Bryon Moss - May 13, 2022 at 12:29 AM

EF

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss.*

Ed and Leslie Fleming - May 13, 2022 at 12:26 AM

EF

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. She will be greatly missed.*

Ed and Leslie Fleming - May 13, 2022 at 12:24 AM

MF

“ *I am so sorry to hear about Donna, she was always such a sweet person. Thoughts and prayers to her family.*

Marcie Fox - May 12, 2022 at 11:36 PM

JJ

“ *J.E. Talbert Jr lit a candle in memory of Donna Belcher Hunt*



J.E. Talbert Jr - May 12, 2022 at 06:59 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donna Belcher Hunt.*



May 12, 2022 at 06:42 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss love and prayers RIP Donna*



Cookie Ramsey - May 12, 2022 at 05:57 PM



“ *We cannot lose someone we love, for whoever touches our hearts deeply as Donna did is a part of us forever. May God hold you, help you, and see you through this very difficult time.*
"Blessed are those who mourn for they will be comforted." Matt 5:4
With Heartfelt Deepest Sympathy,
Smoky Mountain Home Health & Hospice
Jabo's Pharmacy

Tammy Francis - May 12, 2022 at 03:44 PM



“ *Sorry to hear of Donna's passing*

Charlie & Lana Williamson - May 12, 2022 at 01:26 PM

LD

“ *Donnie, I am so very sorry to hear about your daughter. I will keep you & Vicki, and Patty, & everyone who loved Donna in my thoughts and prayers during this sad time, especially her children.*



Matthew 5:4

*Sincerely,
Linda & Bud Dawson*

Linda Dawson - May 12, 2022 at 01:22 PM

EA

“ *Many prayers for your entire family especially Austyn and Logan. Miss Donna loved her boys. We were so sad to hear of her passing and so sorry for your loss. - Emma & Shane Allen (Addison & Ellis)*

Emma & Shane Allen - May 12, 2022 at 12:29 PM

BF

Patti I am so sorry about Donna praying for you and your family.

B Faye Fish - May 12, 2022 at 05:12 PM

RR

“ *My heart is absolutely broke. Such an amazing person that always lit the room with her beautiful smile. May God comfort her precious family during this very difficult time especially her boys that was her complete life. Lots of prayers for all of you* 💔😭🙏❤️

Rhonda Rice - May 12, 2022 at 11:15 AM

BH

“ Prayers for the family.

Betty Harrison - May 12, 2022 at 10:20 AM

DC

“ Patty & Donnie

I am so sorry for your loss, keeping ALL of the family in our thoughts and prayers

*Perry & Debbie (Strange) Carlisle
Matthew 28:20*

debbie strange carlisle - May 12, 2022 at 09:58 AM

MC

“ *Patty, Donnie and family, our hearts are saddened for the loss of your daughter.
Our prayers are with all the family and friends..now and in the days to come. May God bless each of you.*

*Sarah Hartsell
James Williford
Mary Ann & Jay Chrisman*

Mary Chrisman - May 12, 2022 at 09:45 AM

LS

“ *Sorry to hear about your cousin Tammy. I'll keep your family in my prayers.*

Lisa Black Strange - May 12, 2022 at 07:28 AM

LH

“ Prayers!



Louise & Jimmy Hux - May 11, 2022 at 11:32 PM

SS

“ Donna was such a special friend! She always had time to stop and talk with me. She was always smiling and always talking about her boys. They were her whole heart. Praying for all the family! Rest In Peace my friend 💔🙏
Sissy Roach Sutton

Sissy Roach Sutton - May 11, 2022 at 09:46 PM

MS

“ Jackie and I are heartbroken for all of her family and friends! We've known her since she was 5 years old! Always smiling and sweet! God bless and comfort you!

Misa Shelton - May 11, 2022 at 09:45 PM

DO

“ Patti , Donnie, Vickie, and All:
I am heartbroken for all of you in the loss of Donna. She was such a wonderful student and hard worker. I also will remember her cheerful kindness to a pitiful technology challenged customer at the telephone store. God bless you all.

Duay O'Neil - May 11, 2022 at 07:00 PM

LG

“ I will miss talking with you at work, always kind to everyone. You will be miss so much 😭

Lillian Greer - May 11, 2022 at 06:21 PM

FS

“ Felicia Shelton sent a virtual gift in memory of Donna Belcher Hunt



Felicia Shelton - May 11, 2022 at 05:51 PM

LS

“ Donnie, I am so sorry, dear cousin. No words can ever ease the pain that comes with the loss of a child. Prayers for God to wrap you and your family in his love and give you comfort.
Linda Ford Sharp

Linda Ford Sharp - May 11, 2022 at 04:06 PM