



## Shirley L Stanton

July 31, 1952 - September 29, 2016

Shirley L. Stanton, age 64 of Quinton, passed away Thursday September 29, 2016 at Cordova Health and Rehab. She was a member of the Twilleytown Church of God of Prophecy and a member of the Sisseton/Wahpeton Dakota Sioux Tribe.

Funeral service will be Tuesday October 4, 2016 at 12:00 pm in the New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home chapel. Bishop L.V. Jones and Bishop Kenneth Humphries will officiate. Burial to follow at New Horizon Memorial Gardens.

Visitation will be Tuesday from 11:00 am until 12:00 pm.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Harry F. Stanton and Philomene M. Spider Stanton.

She is survived by her daughter Marie Stanton (Ricky), grandchildren, Nevaeh and Ariana, brothers, Don R. Stanton (Johnnie Ruth); Dennis F. Stanton (Cathy), sister, Debra K. Levan, and several nieces and nephews.

New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home directing, 205-648-2323.

# Cemetery Details

## New Horizon Memorial Gardens

5203 Hollis Goodwin Rd.  
Dora, AL 35062  
(205) 648-8749  
<http://www.newhorizonmemorial.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 4. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Shirley L Stanton

October 05, 2023 at 01:15 PM



“ Met Shirley when I was a teenager working in Aberdeen at IHS in the summers and she was a great person and we talked alot about everything, like a older sister I never knew. I remember she lived above a funeral home which creeped me out! Haha  
RIP dear friend!

Frances Opitz - October 07, 2016 at 06:40 AM



“ Shirley was a great friend of mine in Pierre South Dakota. After church i would go with her family back to Blunt and we would walk around Blunt. But when you walk in Blunt it takes about 10 minuets to see the town. But we had fun always laughing. I have been trying to find Shirley for years but now I have good memories. I'm so very sorry for yalls loss. She was a blessing and always always had a smile. She will be missed and never forgotten. We just have to remember her name. Love to the family from Jo Dell Smith. Loved you Shirley I'll meet you on the other side.

Jo Dell Smith - October 05, 2016 at 11:02 PM

“ I just learned that an old friend of mine passed away this week. Shirley and I go way back to days in South Dakota when we were young. We both attended church in a small church in Pierre SD where a foundation of faith was laid that has held us up through the years.

Shirley's family - the Stantons - were amazing people. They were warm, generous, fun, kind with a heart of love and a home open to anyone. Shirley and I would hang together often. I so remember her infectious laugh...and she loved to laugh. I loved to go to their little home in Blunt and just hang out, play games and learn about the the Dakota Sioux Tribe and it's culture.

Shirley and I shared a small trailer home for a short while. It was her way of "leaving home" and "growing up" although she spent almost every weekend (and some week nights) at home - I would often join her on the weekend.

I remember one trip to Blunt (about 18-20 miles from Pierre) when we came across a little piglet on the highway. We decided to "rescue" him and was quite sure her parents would let us keep him with their chickens. I am not convinced her dad was so keen on the idea but he let us house little "Hamlet" for a while. We would laugh about the the little guy - it seemed he was dwarfed and not destined to get any bigger. One day, with tears in her eyes she shared her dad had called and Hamlet had died. So we, of course cried and drove to Blunt to bury the little guy.

So many road trips to church camps, youth ralleys, and just going no where in particular. Just enjoyed being together on an "adventure" and laughing a lot.

Unfortunately, as life so often happens, we moved from the area. At one time we had a "plan" to move away together and take her little brother Donny with us and make a really special life just laughing and having a good time But we grew up and life took us in different directions - me to Nebraska and her to Alabama. Over the course of years we lost touch which I so regret, but I will never forget what our friendship meant to me in a place where I knew so few people. I remember indian tacos, rattlesnake steak, and who knows what else she and her sweet mama would make as a part of their Indian

*heritage.*

*I love this picture of her as it shows her true beauty and smile. I can almost hear her laughing in Heaven as she wanders around with her mom and dad, aunts, uncles, cousins and so many more. I miss that laugh. I will miss her.*

*My prayer is for her family that God will embrace them with His love, His hope and His grace.*

*Thanks for coming my way for even a short time. You now are blessed beyond all of us in your forever home.*

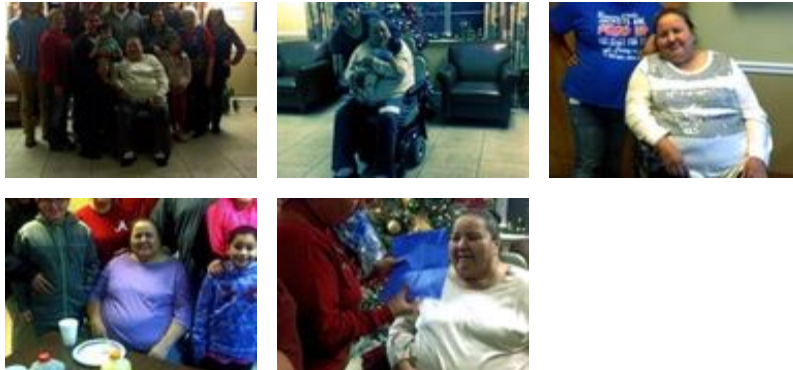
*Rest in peace Shirley L Stanton! You have loved and you have been loved. Now rest in the arms of the one who loved you best my friend.*

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**Connie M Disbrow** - October 05, 2016 at 07:16 PM



“ 22 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home** - October 04, 2016 at 10:20 AM

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“ *I met shriley thru my daughter Bridgette. She was a sweet person. Bridgette would go and see her on her breaks . I am so sorry for your loss. It is a loss for my daughter to, she lost a very good and dear friend. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her.*

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**charlotte horner** - October 04, 2016 at 10:06 AM



“ Shirley will always be the love of my life! She was a wonderful wife, Christian, and my best friend! I have and will always miss her! It doesn't matter to me what anyone else thinks of me, I know Shirley knew I loved her! The last time we talked on the phone I told her I loved her and she told me she loved me! I know she's at rest with our Lord! The place she always talked about going when she would leave this old world!

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**Douglas Veal** - October 03, 2016 at 03:16 PM



“ Sissy Jim and Sarge ( Karen ) purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Shirley L Stanton.



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**Sissy Jim and Sarge ( Karen )** - October 03, 2016 at 11:26 AM



“ Shirley's life was a wonderful testimony to our Lord. No matter the circumstance, hardships and trials, she was waiting and trusting that God would work it out. I loved her sweet soul , her wonderful laugh and her character, always made me love her more. I cherish the memories of our times together. Much love to all of you. She loved her family. Keeping you in prayer. Sissy Jim and Karen



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**Carole Peterson** - October 03, 2016 at 10:46 AM

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“ I remember Shirley always coming to our CHRISTmas get togethers. My prayers r with u Bro Don't & family and also Deb & your family. Love u all



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**Christie " Watson " Reed** - October 01, 2016 at 03:53 PM