

Hollis, Sandra 1946-2023

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Funeral services for Sandra Hollis, 76, of Chico, are Saturday, Feb. 25, 2023 at Hudson & Torres Family Funeral Home in Bridgeport, with burial following at Chico Cemetery. She entered her eternal resting place Feb. 19, 2023, in Chico. Sandra was a godly woman who stood firm in her beliefs. She spent time each day reading her bible and passing on her Christian beliefs to her children, grandchildren and anyone that she could. She was a friend to everyone and never met a stranger. She was a wife, mom, Nana, daughter, sister and friend, just to name a few. She was a mentor and counselor to many. She could bring a smile to your face, even on your worst days. Her smile was contagious and her personality was unforgettable. What an impact she made on this world. She spent her life serving others. As a mother of three, she was a Sunday school teacher, PTO member, 4-H leader, Cub Scout leader, church camp sponsor and the kids' biggest supporter and fan in the stands. Later, she was a

substitute teacher, cafeteria manager and the best waitress you could ask for at K-Bob's restaurant in Decatur, as well as a few other restaurants.

Her role became even bigger as she had grandchildren and became everyone's "Nana." From every sporting event, band concert, award ceremony and graduation, Nana was there supporting her grandkids. They were the light of her life and will miss her deeply.

Those left to cherish her memory are son, Eddie Ward and wife, Lisa; daughters, Dianna Tiller and Missy Patterson; brother, Larry Milligan and wife, Sandra; grandchildren, Drew Ward and wife, Bailey, Lauren Newton and husband, Lee, Derek Ward and wife, Megan, Tamara Proctor and husband, Tyler, Dakota Williams, Hunter York and wife, Tanna, Alli York, Tanner York, and Paisley Patterson; great-grandchildren Chase, Gracie, Brayden, Chloe, Brantley, Rustin, Landon, Milly, Tucker and Reid; nephew, Brandon Milligan; niece, Kara Dungo; and a host of family and friends.

Sandra is preceded in death by her parents; stepfather, Tom Leggett of Chico; husband, Walter Hollis of Chico; stepson, Rodney Hollis of Rhome; granddaughter, Melissa Robinson of Chico; sons-in-law, Raymond Tiller of Chico and Chad Patterson of Paradise.

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