

Tambrey "Tammy" A. Smith, 74, of Lecanto, FL passed away September 10, 2023. She was born on October 28, 1948 to Jesse and Almetta Smith in Oak Park, IL. She moved to the area about 41 years ago from Lake Villa, IL.

"Tammy was a free spirit as most who knew her are aware! She raised 3 kids alone! There was a fourth son, he is a year older than I, and after many years of searching we were brought together! She had lost my youngest brother 5 years ago and it was hard on her! She loved music and taught me how it can touch your soul! I'd have to say Dylan was a favorite of hers! Appreciation and love of animals and nature has also

been a big part of our lives! From cats, dogs, fish, snakes, horses, alpaca and parrots all of whom were her pets. Her love was deep! She is now free from the chains of this life! She would say never fear the reaper and now is with her parents, sister and my brother. May she finally be at peace! I love you mom! Thank you so much for being true. Your heart was full of soul! God bless!"

In addition to her parents, Tammy was preceded in death by her sister Gayla Smith, her son David Klinkbeil and granddaughter Jessica Bond. She is survived by her children Herbert Arthur Kemman, Kerry A. Smith and Jennifer L. Ocasio as well as 9 grand children and many great-grandchildren. Private cremation is under the direction of Brown Funeral Home & Crematory in Lecanto, FL.

