



Genita Schorling Poole

October 6, 1943 - January 29, 2012

Genita Schorling Poole, owner/manager of Poole Lumber Company passed away on Sunday, January 29, 2012. She was 68, a native of New Orleans, reared in Metairie and a resident of Covington for the past 44 years. Genita was educated at East Jefferson High School and Southeastern Louisiana College. In 2004, she assumed the role of Owner-Manager of Poole Lumber Company upon the passing of her husband, and earned the respect and admiration of her employees and business associates. She was a longtime friend and supporter of St. Tammany Hospital Foundation, St. Joseph Abbey, Fairhaven Children's Home and the Humane Society. She had a lifelong love of horses and was an accomplished equestrian. Genita was a member of the Southeastern Dressage Association. Genita was a gracious lady, who cared deeply for her family & friends, loved life and lived each day to the fullest. Her energy, kindness and humor were contagious and touched many lives. Beloved wife of the late Weldon Wallace Poole, Jr. Mother of Ashley Poole Fuselier and the late Weldon Wallace Poole, III. Stepmother of Enid S. Poole Gorringer (husband, Shane), and Erin M. Poole. Daughter of the late Juanita B. Bowman Schorling and Alfred Bernard Schorling, Jr. Sister of John Henry Schorling. Grandmother of Arden G. Fuselier. Step-grandmother of Thomas G., Zoe S., and Benjamin P. Gorringer, Bailey G. and Brennan M. Blossman. Aunt of Jenry Schorling Brewer and Jamie J. Schorling. Also survived by her companion, James L. Boudreau. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. Joseph Abbey, 75376 River Road, Covington, LA on Wednesday, February 8, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations to St. Joseph Abbey or to the St. Tammany Humane Society, 20384 Harrison Ave., Covington, LA 70433, preferred. Arrangements by L. A. Muhleisen and Son Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

FEB 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph Abbey
75376 River Road
Covington, LA 70435

Tribute Wall



“ *Genita Schorling Poole*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *To all of Genita's family,*

The funeral mass was so fitting. The tributes, scriptures, music and setting were absolutely beautiful. Gary, several years ago, had gone to the lumber company to see about some lumber to be used in a very large cross to be hung in Faith Presbyterian Church in Covington, where we attend. Genita very graciously and generously donated some very beautiful lumber which Weldon had bought from a warehouse built in the first decade of the 1900's. She donated this in memory of her husband, Wallace. We want you as a family to know of this legacy which she left, as well as many others.

Blessings,

Gary and Jean Schoen

Gary & Jean Schoen - February 20, 2012 at 12:16 PM



“ *Scott Swenson lit a candle in memory of Genita Schorling Poole*



Scott Swenson - February 10, 2012 at 09:52 AM



I am proud to have known Genita Poole. She was a remarkable woman and will always have my greatest respect. I pray for her God speed. - Scott Swenson

Scott Swenson - February 10, 2012 at 09:55 AM

JS

“ *My aunt Nita was one of the greatest role models of my life, and she helped me become the person that I am today. I will always cherish the love of horses that she shared with me. She was a gracious woman, and I will always admire her amazing qualities of strength, tolerance, honesty, and generosity. Though she will be missed greatly, I hope that she is at peace with Uncle Wallace and Wally.*

With Love - Jamie

Jamie Schorling - February 09, 2012 at 01:39 AM

JS

“ *3 files added to the album Photos from Jamie Schorling*



Jamie Schorling - February 09, 2012 at 01:06 AM



“ *Our prayers are with the family of Genita Poole. What a loss to the Covington area as Poole Lumber has been such a special business to this community. She will be sadly missed.*

The Bob Clemons Family

Bobbie Nancy Clemons - February 08, 2012 at 10:57 AM

TS

“ *Tony Street lit a candle in memory of Genita Schorling Poole*



Tony Street - February 08, 2012 at 10:28 AM

TS

Our deepest sympathy. Tony Sr. Tony Jr. Travis and Sharon

Tony Street - February 08, 2012 at 10:31 AM

KA

“ *Kaye Alexander lit a candle in memory of Genita Schorling Poole*



Kaye Alexander - February 08, 2012 at 08:09 AM

NF

“ *Genita was a very special lady. She had no airs about her and she treated everyone as a friend. I enjoyed her visits to my store and was amazed at how she walked through her greif with Wally. When I lost my grandson to suicide Genita was one I wanted to see and get a hug from. So when she came in that is exactly what she did, it ment so much to me. I shall miss seeing her smiling face until I meet her again in the new heaven and new earth. Till then Genita we love you and miss you. Nancy Fitzmorris*

Nancy Fitzmorris - February 07, 2012 at 05:34 PM

ST

“ *"We had the pleasure of meeting Miss Genita on just a few occassions with her friend, Jim Boudreau, during some of her visits to Texas. Such a wonderful personality and pleasant attitude about life. Our prayers go out to her family and loved ones."*

Marsha Langley and Steve Turner, Weatherford, TX

Steve Turner - February 07, 2012 at 11:31 AM

JM

“ *James Otis And Carolyn McElroy lit a candle in memory of Genita Schorling Poole*



James Otis and Carolyn McElroy - February 07, 2012 at 10:05 AM

LT

“ Wonderful memories of Genita and Ashley return today. Can still see mother and daughter hosting Tammany Trotters Pony Club at the Poole's farm. Always smiling and gracious, Genita is remembered after thirty years. She believed , as we did, in the Pony Club motto: "A happy child on a happy horse". Our thoughts are with you, Ashley. God bless you.

Dr and Mrs (Lyn Hill) Steve Taylor and Jane Hill Foster

Lyn Hill Taylor - February 06, 2012 at 01:52 PM

BM

“ Brandy M Manguno lit a candle in memory of Genita Schorling Poole



Brandy M Manguno - February 06, 2012 at 11:28 AM

BM

Mrs. Genita was a wonderful loving woman. Timeless Class with compassion to match. May she rest in peace with those who went before her-Brandy

Brandy M Manguno - February 06, 2012 at 11:29 AM

MS

“ Melinda R. Steinhauer lit a candle in memory of Genita Schorling Poole



Melinda R. Steinhauer - February 06, 2012 at 10:33 AM

MG

“ Our deepest sympathy. Malcolm, Jeanine Guidry and family

Malcolm Guidry - February 06, 2012 at 10:17 AM

CB

“ Charlene Bartholomae lit a candle in memory of Genita Schorling Poole



Charlene Bartholomae - February 06, 2012 at 09:03 AM

DW

“ To Ashley and all of Genita's friends and family: You have my deepest sympathy in your loss.
We will miss Genita's smiling face and incredible generosity towards both her fellow man and helpless creatures. She had a big heart and that will never disappear. David Ware

David Ware - February 05, 2012 at 11:33 AM

ML

“ I shared a friendship and a love of horses with Genita for over 30 years and I will miss her more than words can express. She brought a new meaning to "a fun loving and loyal friend" whose nuturing nature encompassed all who came into her life. I've given you your roses in life, dear friend, but I can't let you go without a few more. God bless you and keep you....Marcie

Marcia A. Landry - February 04, 2012 at 05:22 PM

TP

“ Ted & Michelle Pender lit a candle in memory of Genita Schorling Poole



Ted & Michelle Pender - February 04, 2012 at 03:33 PM