



Vaunene Hale Greene

August 21, 1950 - April 9, 2024

Vaunene Hale Greene, age 73, of London, Kentucky passed away on Tuesday, April 9, 2024.

She leaves behind three siblings, Marilyn Hale Roy of Russell Springs, KY, Mary Ella Holt & husband Stephen of Simpsonville, KY, Mark Hale & wife Tina of Bowling Green, KY; two nieces, Beth Roy Rhea & husband Jim, Brandi Holt; five great nephews, Cameron & Isaac Rhea, Jackson, Mason & Walker Jeffries; plus, a host of other family and friends to mourn her passing.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Graham Vaughan & Sara Bates Hale; one nephew, Lucas Graham Holt; one brother-in-law, Roger Roy.

Vaunene Hale Greene, a woman deeply devoted to her Catholic faith, has left this world, leaving behind a legacy of love, warmth, and cherished memories. Vaunene lived her life exactly as she wished, with authenticity and without pretense, leaving an indelible mark on all who knew her.

Known for her culinary skill, Vaunene's passion for cooking and canning was unmatched. She delighted in creating homemade delicacies, from her signature mustard and ketchup to other culinary treasures not commonly found elsewhere. Her kitchen was a place of creativity and love, where she poured her heart into every dish she prepared.

Beyond her culinary talents, Vaunene was a woman of sentimentality and a collector of antiques. Her home was adorned with treasures from times gone by, each with its own story to tell. She found joy in preserving the past and cherished the memories associated with each piece in her collection.

Vaunene had a wide circle of friends who were more like family to her. Their unwavering support and close bonds meant the world to her, and she cherished every moment spent with them. She was known for her selflessness, often quietly doing things for others without seeking recognition or praise.

One of Vaunene's many gifts was her beautiful singing voice, which captivated all who heard it. Whether singing hymns in church or sharing songs with loved ones, her voice brought comfort and joy to those around her.

A devoted fan of University of Kentucky basketball and football, Vaunene's passion for her teams was unwavering. She cheered them on with fervor, finding excitement and camaraderie in the shared love of the game.

Vaunene lived a life filled with purpose, passion, and authenticity. She leaves behind a legacy of love and cherished memories that will forever live on in the hearts of those who were fortunate enough to know her.

Funeral services honoring Vaunene Hale Greene will be held on Friday, April 12, 2024 at 1:00 p.m. at St. William Catholic Church in London, Kentucky with Father Charles Howell officiating. Burial will follow at the St. Sylvester Cemetery in East Bernstadt, Kentucky. The family will receive friends on Friday, April 12, 2024 beginning at 10:00 a.m. also at the church. The family has entrusted House-Rawlings Funeral Home with the arrangements.

Previous Events

Receive Friends

APR 12. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. William Catholic Church
521 W 5th St, London, KY 40741
London, KY 40741

Funeral Service

APR 12. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ 55 files added to the album Life Tributes



House-Rawlings Funeral Home - April 11, 2024 at 11:29 AM

RC

“ Through Brownies, Girl Scouts, dance classes, chorus, 4~H, slumber parties, MYF, High School, our friendship began many years ago. I’m so sorry to hear that she’s gone.

Rita Anderson Curry - April 11, 2024 at 10:18 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Vaunene Hale Greene.



April 10, 2024 at 11:46 PM

SG

“ Susan Buchanan Graves planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Vaunene Hale Greene.

Susan Buchanan Graves - April 10, 2024 at 11:46 PM

GB

“ I was Vaunene’s supervisor at Marymount Hospital and the new Saint Joseph London. She was a dependable and dedicated employee. I am so sorry to learn of her passing. I will be thinking of her family as they lay her to rest on Friday. I would like to pay my respects in person but I am out of town at this time.

Gale Boggs - April 10, 2024 at 12:33 PM

JF

“ SHE WAS MY NEIGHBOR, VERY NICE PERSON.. GOOD NEIGHBOR

JOHN FLYNN - April 10, 2024 at 11:17 AM

DL

“ I met her when I worked as a dietitian at Marymount, but really got to know her at St. Williams. I was inspired to learn to make pickles with her encouragement. No matter what happened good or not, her faith stayed strong. I believe I will see her again, with God

Debbie Lane - April 10, 2024 at 05:19 AM

VL

“ *Very kind lady. Worked with her at the hospital in early 70's. Prayers for her family and friends*



vivian Lambert - April 09, 2024 at 07:35 PM

JA

“ *We will remember yyou my friend.*

JAYNA ALEXANDER - April 09, 2024 at 01:01 PM