



## Connie Gail Kubena

August 29, 1958 - April 2, 2025

Connie Gail Kubena, 66, of Caldwell, Texas went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, April 2, 2025. She was surrounded by her loving friends, family and partner Robert Garbs.

Connie was born on Monday, August 29, 1958, to the Late Bennie Kubena and Rosalie Kubena (Saenz), she was the second of five children. Connie graduated from Caldwell High School. She was active in band and baton twirling, receiving many awards in both categories. Connie's hobbies included sewing, gardening, singing, dancing to country music, motorcycles and of course Rock-n-Roll. She was dedicated to helping others in their time of need and was a generous loving friend to all. Connie loved animals, especially her beloved dog Mookie and enormous cat Shadow. Connie was baptized as a young adult at Caldwell Baptist Church and recently recommitted her life to God thru baptism again at MD Anderson Hospital in Houston.

Connie graduated from Charles & Sue's School of Hair Design. She worked for many years in this field, including fashion design as a consultant. Connie eventually opened her own design business and truly loved her career. With extensive experience in hair design, she decided to further her education by obtaining credentials as a correctional officer for the Texas Department of Corrections. She retired from this position after more than 10 years of service.

Connie was very proud of her Native American Heritage. She always wore her beloved turquoise jewelry and Indian feathers. She was described as “the life of the party” and was always a spirit filled with joy and laughter. Connie valued people and her beloved pets more than any material thing. Her larger-than-life personality and giving heart touched many lives.

Connie was preceded in death by her parents, Bennie and Rosalie as well as her sister Brooke Kubena.

She is survived by her beloved soulmate Robert “Robbie” Garbs; son Nathan Linden and his wife Betty; brother Bennie Kubena; sisters Sherry Schnapp and her husband Bill and Sandi Jeter and her husband Tommy. Connie is also survived by her bonus children Brian and Kristen Garbs as well as her beloved grandchildren.

Connie’s family would like to thank everyone who participated in their journey and loved her in her time of need. God’s loving blessing to each and every one of you.

Express condolences at [PhillipsandLuckey.com](http://PhillipsandLuckey.com).

# Previous Events

## Interment

APR 2. 1:30 PM (CT)

New Tabor Cemetery  
CR 166  
Caldwell, TX

## Public Visitation

APR 8. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

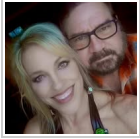
Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home  
404 W Buck St.  
Caldwell, TX 77836

## Celebration of Life

APR 8. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ I'm so sorry to hear this :( haven't seen Connie in years but I remember her from back in the day like it was yesterday. I love all the Kubena Family. They hold a special place in my heart. My prayers are with y'all at this most difficult time. Sandi, I'm thinking of you and cried when I saw she had passed. God Bless y'all❤️

Candy Finch-Vinson - April 12, 2025 at 07:19 PM

DL

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Connie's passing. She was the coolest hippie chic God ever made.

Debbie Luksa - April 07, 2025 at 01:45 PM

JN

“ Gonna miss her! She always could bring me a smile! Straight shooter tell it like it is....lover of Janis! Guess they are singing together now. My deepest condolences to her family and friends. A definite light has gone out and we will all feel it. Fly free Connie may your loved ones hold fast to the memories. God grant them peace.

Janet Weber Namken - April 07, 2025 at 12:22 AM

PN

“ Sweet hippie sister this heart breaking fly high with the angels. You were so kind and sweet such a beautiful soul. You made me feel like a soul sister. When I hear Janis Jolpin think of you. I'll forever carry you in my heart and soul. RIH. SWEET SOUL SISTER.



Peggy Nash - April 03, 2025 at 11:02 AM

DS

“ *She was a Great Person, she will be missed but not forgotten. To the family not let you Hearts be troubled believe in God and also Me. I'm Praying that God will Strengthen you all in your time of Sorrow.*



DavidWaters Sr - April 02, 2025 at 09:28 PM



“ *I am so very sorry! RIP my wild hippie sister! I love you so much, and my thoughts and prayers are with Robert who loved and took care of her! Thank you Robert!!!! And my thoughts prayers are with all of her family and friends 🙏*

Tami Cooper - April 02, 2025 at 04:45 PM

KS

*My condolences to Robert and the family. A beautiful straight up friend and sister. Awesome classmate of 1977! Rest in peace you lived a great life. Love you forever.*

*Kathy Sparks*

*Forever Friend ❤️*

Kathy Sparks - April 05, 2025 at 05:53 PM

TC

“ *Tamara Cooper lit a candle in memory of Connie Kubena*



Tamara Cooper - April 02, 2025 at 04:41 PM



“ 59 files added to the album Life Tributes



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - April 02, 2025 at 04:25 PM

ER

*Our Dearest FB friend, always bubbly and always posted awesome pictures and videos, sharing with all of her friends jokes and laughter. I can't believe your gone. The Good called and crowned you with a beautiful 🙌 Halo and wings . Connie you touched hearts with fun and laughter. You will be missed so great dearly. My heart goes out to your family and friends. We Love you more than you know. Your friend Elizabeth.*

Elizabeth Rodriguez - April 02, 2025 at 10:48 PM

MC

*My classmate from Caldwell schools, Connie was a unique and bold character. She was a wild child, a free spirit. I babysat for the Kubena family, the youngest 3. I will miss you and your Facebook posts. Love ya!*

Mary Ann Elliott Causey - April 04, 2025 at 10:00 PM