



## Ruthie Ann Lovett Locklear

November 12, 1955 - November 2, 2007

WHITEVILLE, NC .....Mrs. Ruthie Ann Lovett Locklear, age 51, passed away Friday, November 2, 2007 at Columbus Regional Healthcare following an illness.

Mrs. Locklear was born November 12, 1955 in Columbus County, NC a daughter of Annie Bell Lovett and the late Franklin Lovett. She was a loving mother, daughter, sister, and friend. She had a heart of gold and was loved by all who knew her. Her boyfriend Steve loved her with all his heart and took good care of her. Mrs. Locklear was predeceased by her husband, Benjamin "Bimbo" Travis Locklear, a brother, Johnny Lovett, and two children.

Survivors include her mother, Annie Bell Lovett of Tabor City, NC, one daughter, Annetta Locklear Johnson and her fiancé Henry O. Stalvey III of Loris, SC, her boyfriend, Steve "Cowboy" Lovett of Whiteville, NC, one sister, Sue Worley and her husband Johnny of Tabor City, NC, one brother, Julius Franklin Lovett and his wife Janice of Tabor City, NC, and many nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends Sunday, November 4, 2007 from 6-8 PM at Ward Funeral Home in Loris.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00 PM Monday, November 5, 2007 from the Clarendon Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. Bobby Cartrette officiating.

Burial will follow in the Clarendon Cemetery.

Ward Funeral Home of Loris, 756-9273, is serving the family.