

## **Linda Gray, Hospitality Services**

### **How would you describe what you do?**

I am involved with the meal plans/COW card for the students, faculty, and staff, and much of the catering done here on campus. I help with many of the behind-the-scenes administrative tasks it takes to keep Hospitality Services running daily.

**Length of service at the College:** Just a few short years... going on 27 to be exact!

### **Where did you work before coming to the College?**

Smithville Western Care Center.

### **First Job:**

A & W Rootbeer Carhop in El Paso, Illinois.

### **Educational Background:**

High School.

### **Family members:**

My husband's name is David. Son Michael, his wife, Michelle, and their children Nicole, Lindsey, and Caleb. Son Josh his fiancé Alisha. Son Steven, his wife Amanda, their children, Joshua, Lexi, and Bradley. Dog Sassy and cat Lucy.

### **Favorite things outside of work:**

Spending time with the family. Especially the grandkids!

**Favorite movie:** "Tommy".

**Favorite music (e.g., band, genre):** The Who and Bread.

**Complete this sentence: "People are surprised to learn that I ... "** actively raise money as a co-chair for my Relay for Life team with my family. Last year, our first year as a team, we raised over \$5,000. This year our goal is \$10,000!

**What three words best describe you?** Dedicated, loyal, and motivated.