



Carolyn Sue Wilfong

June 28, 1947 - September 30, 2024

Carolyn “Sue” Wilfong, age 77, of Buckhannon, WV, in the Bailey Ridge Community, entered her heavenly home on Monday, September 30, 2024. She was born on June 28, 1947, in Buckhannon, a daughter of the late O.A. and Tressie Mae Bennett Corathers. On November 25, 1967, she married Charles Burton Wilfong, who survives.

Sue is also survived by her children: Chad Wilfong and wife Raquel, Suzanne Bohman and husband John, Patty Johnson, Mark Wilfong, Ginny Wilfong, Shaton Sturms, and Samantha Harlin and husband Dave. She is lovingly remembered by her sixteen grandchildren: Kelsey and husband Josh, Cassidy, Jade, Jake and fiancée Elsa, Leanna, Bryant, Kendra, Markie, Clayton, Anna, Hayden, Mady, Hunter, Makenna, Edro, and Cathrine; as well as her two great-grandchildren: Harper and Caroline. She is also survived by several nieces, nephews, and many cherished friends who were too numerous to list.

In addition to her parents, Sue was preceded in death by her two brothers: James and George Corathers, and three sisters: Doris Beaver, Marie Withers, and Leverne Tenney.

Sue was a retired teacher’s aide for the Upshur County Board of Education, where she created many life-long friendships with her students and co-

workers. A devoted member of the Buckhannon Alliance Church, she faithfully attended services and actively participated in church events. Sue was also an avid genealogist and the “family historian,” capturing precious memories through photos and sharing them on social media. She was deeply loved by her family and community, and she reciprocated that love wholeheartedly, always supporting her family, especially her grandchildren, by attending their many activities and events.

Friends will be received at the Buckhannon Alliance Church on Friday, October 4, 2024, from 4:30 to 7:00 PM. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, October 5, 2024, at 11:00 AM at the Buckhannon Alliance Church with Rev. Trevor Morris officiating. Interment will follow in the Upshur County Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Operation Christmas Child, c/o Buckhannon Alliance Church, 438 Phillips Dairy Road, Buckhannon, WV 26201.

Cemetery Details

Upshur County Memorial Park

190 Memorial Park Road
Buckhannon, WV 26201

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 4. 4:30 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Buckhannon Alliance Church
Buckhannon, WV 26201

Funeral Service

OCT 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

Buckhannon Alliance Church
Buckhannon, WV 26201

Tribute Wall

MH

“ *Melissa H. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carolyn Sue Wilfong.*

Melissa H. - October 04, 2024 at 06:51 PM

BB

“ *Burton and Family,
So sorry to hear about Sue's passing. She was always a wealth of information regarding our family history. Always enjoyed talking to Sue.
Prayers
Bruce and Jackie Bennett*

Bruce and Jacqueline Bennett - October 04, 2024 at 02:50 PM

SS

“ *Burton and your family I am very sorry to hear that Sue had passed. She was a dear friend of mine. When she would come and get her hair done we would catch up with all of the kids. She would always say where do I start. I've known Sue for a very long time and she was a beautiful lady inside and out. Rest in Peace Sue. You will be missed by so many people. Love and prayers 🙏❤️*



Sherry Singleton - October 03, 2024 at 09:11 PM

NC

“ Sue was a blessing to all who knew and interacted with her. Deepest sympathies to Burton and her family.



nancy cain - October 02, 2024 at 05:54 PM

JO

“ Dear Burton and family, was so sorry to hear Sue passed but I know she is resting easy with our Lord and Savior. Sue was always smiling and had a heart of gold. Know that our prayers are with you all!

jim and donna ours - October 02, 2024 at 04:57 PM

VW

“ Vickie Walton lit a candle in memory of Carolyn Sue Wilfong



Vickie Walton - October 02, 2024 at 02:05 PM

TY

“ LOVE, LOVE, LOVE ALL those Wilfongs!! <3 Sue was such a DEAR SOUL. God Bless her and the entire family <3

Tim Young - October 02, 2024 at 10:44 AM

JH

“ John And Bertha Hewitt lit a candle in memory of Carolyn Sue Wilfong



John and Bertha Hewitt - October 02, 2024 at 10:40 AM

JH

Wonderful Lady

John and Bertha Hewitt - October 02, 2024 at 10:41 AM

RC

“ Roger @ Cindy Carpenter lit a candle in memory of Carolyn Sue Wilfong



Roger @ Cindy Carpenter - October 02, 2024 at 08:51 AM

DB

“ My sincere condolences on your loss. She was such a lovely person.

Dolores Boyles - October 02, 2024 at 08:25 AM

FJ

“ I am so very sorry about Sue's passing. May God bless you with peace during this difficult time.

Felicia Burger (Westfall) Johnston - October 01, 2024 at 11:22 PM

JJ

“ Sue was such a wonderful lady and I enjoyed our many interactions through Garden Club or a dance recital. My condolences to her family and friends.

Jason Jett - October 01, 2024 at 08:32 PM

SM

“ She was a wonderful loving and compassionate lady. I enjoyed working with her and seeing her smiling face. Her students and coworkers loved her.

Shana Morgan - October 01, 2024 at 07:27 PM

ML

“ I am so sorry to hear of Sue's passing. I enjoyed her post and the few times we texted. Sending prayers and love.

Marlene Lane-Histed - October 01, 2024 at 06:19 PM

JB

“ So sorry that we will be out of state during the services. I know Sue saw my pictures, she always liked and commented!

I am so sad, and I will miss my dear friend. She surely feels at home in heaven, as she was an angel among us here.

Julia Brady - October 01, 2024 at 05:26 PM

CP

“ Sue was such an amazing and virtuous woman who always made herself available to everyone. She was my MYF leader for many year's teaching me about Jesus, took me to several revivals, one of which I dedicated my life to Him. I remember many times going to her and Burton's home for a meal and fellowship. The last time we texted she ask for pictures of our precious granddaughter to which I sent her and she always responded “beautiful” and “can't wait to see her and hold her”. She was so proud of her family and so excited that Chad is coaching BUMS girls basketball this year. (She will always be your biggest supporter Chad) My life is 100% better because of this amazing lady and her family. I know the Lord welcomed her with open arms and said “Well done my good and faithful servant.” I miss you already Sue but I know I will see you again. All our love and prayers to Burton and family.

Clay and Karen Persinger - October 01, 2024 at 04:46 PM

BJ

I will really miss our late night chats through texting. Sue and I often found ourselves up into the wee hours and texted back and forth to share our lives and thoughts. Although Sue was my Aunt we were very close in age. Many of my best memories go back to our childhood of taking long hikes and stopping to eat a lunch made for us by Tressir Mae (her mother, my grandmother) and riding the horse to the small country store to up the road to get an ice cream cone. She shared much of her genealogy with me and I was planning a trip to see her soon to make copies of some things she found about our family. Now that trip will be a sad one but give me an opportunity to visit with Burton. I remember when she and Burton married and I attended the wedding. Every day is will be thankful for the memories we shared. Sue was a loving and much loved family member. We joked that our golden years lost their shine almost before they began!!! Rest in peace and in the arms of our Heavenly Father, Sue. Thank you for the memories and joy you brought to those left behind. Bobbie Jones (niece)

Bobbie Jones - October 01, 2024 at 05:19 PM

KB

So sorry to learn of Sue's passing. Always enjoyed catching up when I would see her. Prayers for all.

Kathy Black - October 01, 2024 at 05:38 PM

WS

*Mrs. Bohman and family,
I am so sorry to hear about your loss. Mrs. Wilfong was a very nice person and was very helpful. I hope that you can find comfort in your many good memories. You are in my prayers.*

*Love and Prayers,
Wilma Small*

Wima Small - October 01, 2024 at 05:52 PM

EA

*Burton and family,
We were sorry to learn of Sue's passing. She was such a sweet lady. May God give you peace and comfort in the coming days. Roger and Libby Abel*

Elizabeth Abel - October 02, 2024 at 11:34 AM

MC

I am grateful that I was blessed whenever I changed to see her . First met her when she was a young teacher at Vacation Bible School, my girls were greatly influenced by her. May memories of her bring joy .

Margaret Csmpbell - October 02, 2024 at 11:42 AM

GM

Burton sorry to hear of sue passing in our prays

gary & pat mccord - October 03, 2024 at 08:28 PM