



Jean Carol Varney

July 21, 1946 - June 21, 2024

Jean Carol Varney, 77, of Delbarton, WV, no longer bound by a sickly body, took ownership of her new home with Jesus on Friday, June 21, 2024, from Logan Regional Medical Center. She was born on July 21, 1946, at home in Wharnccliffe, WV, to the late Admiral Dewey and Tressie Morgan Browning. She was of the Church of God faith and was a member of her family's gospel singing group, The Varney Family, having dedicated many years to the service of the Lord and sharing the good news of God's grace and mercy through the acceptance of Jesus Christ. She was a retired teacher for the Mingo County Schools system and was married for 57 years to Larry Varney who passed away in January of this year. She lovingly enjoyed the blessings of having 2 children, 3 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren in whose lives she was ever present and ready to lend a helping hand. She was so proud of them all! She never met a stranger and could talk to anyone about how good God is. She loved flowers, hummingbirds, wind chimes, game shows, shopping, and just about any kind of puzzle. No one could beat her cooking, especially her chicken and dumplings, fried chicken, turkey dressing, and homemade biscuits with gravy. She also loved cats, which showed by the fact that she couldn't seem to turn a stray one away.

In addition to her parents and husband, she is preceded in death by her son, Alonzo Nick Varney, and ten siblings: Edward, James, Ted, Troy, Mary Lou, and Betty Joe Browning, Leola Hatfield, Myrtle Gillman, Helen Baisden, and Virginia Mullen. Those who remain to cherish her in memory are her daughter, Vicki and husband Randall Crum; grandchildren, Heather and husband Kenneth Hatfield, Israel Varney, Gabriel and wife Kelsey Varney; great-grandchildren Brittany, Annie, and Brooklyn Dot Waller; and sister Teresa Browning Garrett, along with many nieces, nephews, cousins, in-laws, and friends.

The visitation is Tuesday, June 25, from 6-9 pm at Chafin Funeral Home in Delbarton, WV, with services at 1:00 pm on Wednesday, June 26, 2024. The service will be officiated by Bro. Dallas Rife and pallbearers include Israel Varney, Gabriel Varney, Stephen Bragg, Kenneth Hatfield, Sawyer Dennison, and Garrett Forren. Honorary pallbearers are Randall Crum and Donnie Edwards. She will be buried beside her son and husband at the Varney Family Cemetery in Varney, WV.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **25.** 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Chafin Funeral Home
215 Riverside Drive
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Service

JUN **26.** 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

PC

“ Will always remember both Larry n Jean with a lot of respect. Love , hugs n prayers for all.



Pamela Chapman - June 27, 2024 at 10:47 PM

MR

“ Marissa Meadows Roberts purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Jean Carol Varney.



Marissa Meadows Roberts - June 26, 2024 at 10:04 AM

JA

“ Love her she was a great teacher rest in peace miss varney prayers for the family

Jason - June 25, 2024 at 09:42 PM



“ 215 files added to the album Life Tributes



Chafin Funeral Home - June 25, 2024 at 01:19 PM

PP

“ Peggy Patrick lit a candle in memory of Jean Carol Varney



peggy patrick - June 25, 2024 at 07:38 AM

SL

“ Sue Light lit a candle in memory of Jean Carol Varney



Sue Light - June 24, 2024 at 08:51 PM

CH

“ Connie Hatfield lit a candle in memory of Jean Carol Varney



Connie Hatfield - June 24, 2024 at 03:58 PM



“ Had many good times singing and going to church with them. She is also my cousin my grandmother and her dad were brother and sister. Loved her.



Jean Allen - June 24, 2024 at 12:21 PM

DM

“ There has never been a sweeter soul to bless this earth, or a better prankster!! loved her and can't wait to see her again.

Denise McCoy - June 24, 2024 at 10:22 AM

DM

“ Denise Mills McCoy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jean Carol Varney.

Denise Mills McCoy - June 24, 2024 at 10:17 AM

DM

“ Denise Mills McCoy purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Jean Carol Varney.



Denise Mills McCoy - June 24, 2024 at 10:17 AM