



Shirlene Dempsey

January 1, 1924 - July 7, 2017

Shirlene Dempsey 93 of Lenore, WV went home to be with the Lord on July 7, 2017 while a patient at the Trinity Healthcare Center in Logan, WV. She was born Jan. 1, 1924 at her home on Newsome Ridge, the daughter of the late Albert and Rosa Marcum Dillon. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Edward Dempsey. All of her brothers and sisters preceded her in death including, Jerry "Leck", Willard "Wid", Claude, Donald, Howard, and Henry C. Dillon, Lula Sturgill, Estella Dillon, Elma Vance, Lorene Parsley and June Evans.

Mrs. Dempsey retired as a nutritionist for the WVU Extension Services where she helped a lot of needy people. She was a longtime member of the Parsley Bottom Freewill Baptist Church where she loved to sing gospel songs. She was baptized in 1950 and stayed faithful to God till her passing. She was giving to all and had a special place in her heart for her children, Roger (Barbara) Dempsey of Millersport, OH, Merle (Sherry) Dempsey of Huntington, WV and Sharon Sutters of Lenore, WV. She will always be remembered by her grandchildren, Glenn (Robin) Dempsey, Christina (Keith) Madden, Gary (Juanita) Dempsey, Greg (Denise) Dempsey, Jennifer (Eric) Brumfield, Jamie (Joshua) Butcher and Brandon Sutters. Her great-grand children were special to her and they include, Andrew, Anthony, Austin, Isaac, Mackenzie, Andrew Bush, Bryce, Laney, Griffin, Hayden, Madelyn, Kathryn, Lauren and Gavin and her great-great grandchildren, Eli, Esther, Gideon, Calob and one on the way.

The Lenore community will sadly miss her presence as she was truly a special lady.

Funeral services will be held at the Parsley Bottom Freewill Baptist Church on Tuesday July 11, 2017 at 11:00am with Rev. Mike Smith and Rev. Don Stroud officiating. Burial will follow in the Mt. View Memory Gardens at Maher, WV. Visitation will be at the Church Monday evening from 6:00pm until 9:00pm. Pallbearers will be grandsons and great-grandsons. Online condolences can be made at ChafinFuneralHome.Com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 10. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Parsley Bottom Freewill Baptist Church
Lenore, WV 25676

Service

JUL 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Parsley Bottom Freewill Baptist Church
Lenore, WV 25676

Burial

JUL 11 (ET)

Mt. View Memory Gardens
Maher, WV

Tribute Wall



“ *Shirlene Dempsey*

November 21, 2022 at 02:05 PM



“ *This is one special lady.i loved to hear her sing sorry for your loss praying for you sharon and family love mary ooten*



mary ooten - July 11, 2017 at 12:01 AM



“ *Sister Shirl I has always been an inspiration to those who knew her, I pray God will comfort the hearts of her family.*



Carol Varney - July 10, 2017 at 07:44 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirlene Dempsey.*



July 10, 2017 at 12:01 PM



“ *Such a kind, precious lady. We couldn't even begin to count the number of lives she has touched.*

Kim Lackey - July 10, 2017 at 10:37 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirlene Dempsey.*



July 10, 2017 at 01:31 AM



“ *Maralene Hundley lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey*

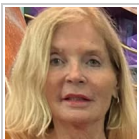


maralene Hundley - July 09, 2017 at 10:59 AM



Shirl was there for me and my family many times loved her dearly.

maralene Hundley - July 09, 2017 at 11:02 AM



“ *Pamela Chapman lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey*

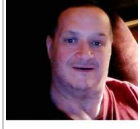


Pamela Chapman - July 09, 2017 at 10:40 AM



Prayers for ALL....

Pamela Chapman - July 09, 2017 at 10:40 AM



“ *Sister Shirl always said that she and Mother looked alike or rather other people often told them that. But they seemed to accept that as a compliment. Going to church with Sister Shirl & Brother Ed and the Family will always be one of my most valued life experiences. I know that she has seen those "Landing Lights" and that her "Vision of Heaven" is a reality. I can almost hear her shouts and the glory of her faith being turned into reality. "Thank you, Lord, for my dear and precious sister. Amen"*

Dow Ooten - July 08, 2017 at 11:53 PM

SH

Thanks keep us in your prayers.

Sharon - July 10, 2017 at 01:03 AM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Shirlene Dempsey.*



July 08, 2017 at 11:34 PM

DS

“ *This dear sweet lady will forever be a part of my childhood memories. She and Ed would come to the Canterbury Free Will Baptist Church and sing during revivals. They were both so sweet and kind and I loved their voices.
My love, thoughts and prayers go to the family.
Dr. Arnold Shrewsbury
Carthage, Texas*

Dr. Arnold Shrewsbury - July 08, 2017 at 11:28 PM

JD

“ *John D. purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Shirlene Dempsey.*



John D. - July 08, 2017 at 10:41 PM

CB

“ *Carolyn Baize lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey*



carolyn baize - July 08, 2017 at 10:27 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Shirlene Dempsey.*



July 08, 2017 at 09:42 PM

DT

“ Donna Tomblin lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey



Donna Tomblin - July 08, 2017 at 09:04 PM

HS

She was the kindest person ever and she helped us many times.

Herbert and Roxie Smith - July 08, 2017 at 09:36 PM

HS

God has her now and forever.

Herbert and Roxie Smith - July 08, 2017 at 09:38 PM

TR

“ One of the sweetest lady's I ever meet ! You will forever be missed . Love Tracy



tracy - July 08, 2017 at 08:50 PM



“ Carol Riffle lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey



Carol Riffle - July 08, 2017 at 08:36 PM



“ I only shared a few days in the hospital one year around Christmas. She was such a great blessing to me during our time. Prayers for peace and comfort in the days to come

Carol Riffle - July 08, 2017 at 08:34 PM

DB

“ Debra And Elvis Baisden lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey

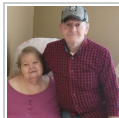


Debra and Elvis Baisden - July 08, 2017 at 07:45 PM

DB

A great woman will be missed

Debra and Elvis Baisden - July 08, 2017 at 07:46 PM



Shirl was my friend and if it went a long time that i didnt see her we always picked right up like we were together yesterday i know where she is and she has worked hard to get to go to heaven and i will see her soon

Imogene Newsome - July 08, 2017 at 09:32 PM

VK

“ This is one special lady.i loved to hear her sing.she always took me to church from a small child until I graduated.she will be missed but heaven has a beautiful angel.



vickie king - July 08, 2017 at 07:40 PM

SB

“ Sue Burgess lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey



Sue Burgess - July 08, 2017 at 07:34 PM

PN

“ GOD BLESS SORRY FOR YA LOSS A VERY SPECIAL LADY LOVED TO HEAR HER SING AND TESTIMONY LOVE AND PRAYERS

Patricia Newsome - July 08, 2017 at 07:24 PM



Stephanie Wills

“ Stephanie Wills lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey



Stephanie Wills - July 08, 2017 at 07:22 PM

AS

“ Anna Sartin lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey



Anna Sartin - July 08, 2017 at 07:20 PM

LM

“ *Linda Sue Sheppard Metzger lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey*



Linda sue Sheppard Metzger - July 08, 2017 at 06:26 PM

MS

“ *She was truly a special lady. Years ago when we lived in Lenore, I always loved being in church with her. Love and prayers to all the family.*
Herman and Mary Stacy



Mary Stacy - July 08, 2017 at 06:06 PM

JB

“ *Joyce Brewer lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey*



joyce brewer - July 08, 2017 at 05:55 PM

DM

“ *Dottie Maynard lit a candle in memory of Shirlene Dempsey*



dottie maynard - July 08, 2017 at 04:47 PM

DM

RIP in the arms of Jesus loved when you would get happy and shout loved you singing praises to God you was such a blessing to me I know you are with Jesus now save a place for me

dottie maynard - July 08, 2017 at 04:52 PM

GN

Prayers for all the family!

Glenda & wayne nolting - July 08, 2017 at 08:57 PM