



WILMA LEE BRYANT WELLS

February 18, 1944 - January 3, 2023

WELLS, Wilma Lee Bryant, age 78, of Middletown, Ohio went to be with her Lord on Tuesday, January 3, 2023 at Arlington Point where she had been a patient for 15 months. She was born February 18, 1944 in Premium, Kentucky and graduated from Whitesburg High School in Kentucky. She moved to Ohio in 1963. She was a faithful long-time member of the Monroe First Church of God, and was dearly loved by all the church members. She was a special friend with the late Tulsa Collins, and is a special friend of Doris Woodson, and many of the other church members. She and her husband, Harvey owned a small business, Wells Auto Body Shop, and they dealt with and were friends with a lot of the local businesses. The family extends their special thanks to the Ristaneo family with whom they did a lot a business, and many other businesses here in town. Wilma was known for keeping her home clean and pretty, in spite of her big family. Her family was the most important thing in her life, and she loved being with her children and grandchildren. Preceding her in death were her parents, Earl F. and Alma (Caudill) Bryant; her husband, Harvey Lee Wells, Sr. in 2013; her son, Harvey Dean Wells, Jr. in 2020; great granddaughter, Keilee Jones; two brothers, Douglas Dean and Paul Franklin; and three sisters, Florabelle Hampton, Corrine Caudill and Earlene Milligan. She is survived by seven children, Timmy, Keith, Greg, Denny, Dale, Connie and Cannie; 27 grandchildren, 48 great grandchildren; five sisters, Pat (Roger) Miles, LaVenna (Ray) Banks, Linda Troutt, Betty Kelly and Lil Maddox; her sister-in-law, Jean Puckett; and many nieces, nephews,

extended family and friends. Visitation will be Monday, January 9, 2023, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Monroe First Church of God, 100 Easton Manor Drive, Monroe, Ohio 45050, followed by services at 1:00 p.m. with Pastor Terry Ball officiating. Interment will be at Woodside Cemetery, Middletown, Ohio. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.herr-riggs.com

Tribute Wall

SS

“ I am so sorry to hear the sad news. My mother Tulsa loved her friend Wilma dearly. When I would visit, I saw my mother pick up Wilma and they would volunteer to clean the church together. I am so thankful for Wilma and I looked forward to visiting her every time I was in Ohio. Thank you for including my mother Tulsa in the obituary and for remembering their special friendship. Remembering Wilma’s family in prayer.

Sontha Strinko - January 11, 2023 at 12:34 AM

TG

“ I’m so sorry to hear about Wilma’s passing. I remember when she was at Heritage Spring when I worked there in the Activities department. She would always come to our programs. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Tanner Gregory - January 10, 2023 at 01:09 PM

KW

“ I love you mamaw 💔



kasie wells - January 08, 2023 at 09:14 PM

CB

“ To the Wells family, so sorry for your loss. You all had a wonderful Mom and Dad also, cherish the memories you have until you all meet again. If you need anything let me know, Curt Brown

Curt Brown - January 08, 2023 at 06:56 AM

SL

“ I remember us visiting Wilma Lee and family from Ky. As a kid, I thought her basement set up was the coolest thing ever. It wasn't creepy and dusty, it was her teen son's room/hang out spot! Fly high, and tell Mamaw and everyone hello!

Stacey Hampton Lyles - January 06, 2023 at 04:05 PM

RK

“ Theres been many many days Wilma put up with lot of us and she just so full of life and she never stopped. I used to come over sit and just chat with her. she was a mother to me and i love her so much. i will always remember the good times with her and those things she did just made us all laff.. She's with jesus now and Harvey and looking down smiling from heaven.

Randy Kincaid - January 05, 2023 at 11:29 PM

HG

“ So sorry for your family's great loss. You ALL are in my thoughts & prayers. Wilma will be greatly missed & loved by all who knew her, she was such an AMAZING woman.
Love Always,
Holly Green



Holly Green - January 05, 2023 at 01:40 PM

KC

“ So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all 💔



Kenya Collins - January 04, 2023 at 09:45 PM

TP

“ So sorry for your loss. Rest in peace Aunt Wilma. Love Terry Puckett and Terry Lynn



Terry Puckett - January 04, 2023 at 05:47 PM