



Mary Donnella (Lane) Wright

February 26, 1929 - August 18, 2020

AYER- Mary Donnella Lane Wright was born February 26, 1929, in Hobson City, Calhoun County Anniston Alabama. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Calvin Lane, and was raised by her grandmother.

Mary grew up in Hobson City, Alabama the younger of two children. She was married to Sergeant First Class (SFC) Bennie Henry Wright, Jr., from this union came nine children.

Mary worked as a short order cook and a cashier at Fort Devens, MA. She also worked at Dupont Plastics, Foster Grants, and finally Digital Equipment Corporation where she retired after 15 years of service.

Mary was a charter member and faithful servant of the Patriots Congregation-Independence Chapel, Fort Devens, MA. The church relocated to Fitchburg, MA as New Patriots Christian Congregation where she served as an ordained Deaconess, a member of the choir, and led the Fellowship Committee.

Mary is predeceased by her husband, (Ret.) SFC Bennie H. Wright, Jr., a brother, Luther C. Lane of Youngstown, OH; Kenneth E. Wright; son, Lavohnia N. Wright; granddaughter, Jadon K. Etheart; great grandson, all from Leominster, MA.

Mary is survived by 8 children: Melva Morin of Leominster, MA, Linda (Charles) Fuller of Odenton, MD, Carlotta Wright of Leominster, MA, Bennie (Marilyn) Wright of Chesapeake, VA, Marsha Murdaugh of Nashua, NH, Michael Wright of Richmond, VA, Queida (Raymond) Davis, of Ayer, MA, Carol Wright of Lunenburg, MA, and John Wright of Ayer, MA. She was also the legal guardian of one granddaughter, Rayshelle Wright of Burbank, CA. She is also survived by 20 grandchildren, 42 great grandchildren, and 8 great-great grandchildren, along with a host of Nieces, Nephews and Cousins.

Her funeral service will be held on Monday, August 24, 2020, at 11AM. To uphold social distancing practices the service will take place outside on the property of the New Hope Community Church, 139 Sandy Pond Rd, Ayer, MA 01432.

Her family will receive family and friends there prior to the service from 10 to 11AM.

Burial will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery in Ayer.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the New Patriots Christian Congregation (NPCC) , P.O. Box 2056, Fitchburg, MA 01420. Please include contact information with each donation.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Cemetery

Harvard Road
Ayer, MA 01432
info@andersonfuneral.com

Previous Events

Calling Hours

AUG **24**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

New Hope Community Church
139 Sandy Pond Rd.
Ayer, MA 01432

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

JB

“ Extending my deepest sympathy on the loss of your mother and praying that your faith will give you strength in this sad time. May you find peace and comfort in knowing that your grief is shared by so many. No one can replace your mom, but God can comfort your heart. He knows what you need during this time much better than anyone else. Rest, Mrs. Wright, rest.

Janice Brown - August 28, 2020 at 10:37 PM

MH

“ You are all in my heart and prayers. Your mom was awesome, she will be missed by all that knew her. My sincere condolences for your loss. Love to all.



Monica Hayes - August 24, 2020 at 09:58 AM

DS

“ Linda & all of the Wright family, I remember some of you from back in the Fort Devens days. My deepest condolences to all of you. You certainly will have many memories to keep her with you. God Bless your Mother.

Denise Stepleton - August 22, 2020 at 11:13 AM

RA

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. May you find comfort and strength in the example she set as a strong vibrant matriarch. Love, Roxanne and family

Roxanne Alexander - August 22, 2020 at 09:42 AM

JH

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to the Wright family. It is always hard to lose your mother. I miss mind every day. Stay strong and don't let your mother passing break family ties. 🙏 The Ernst family

Joan Howard - August 21, 2020 at 01:33 PM

YF

“ Your HomeGoods HR Famly purchased the Healing Tears - Blue and White for the family of Mary Donnella (Lane) Wright.



Your HomeGoods HR Famly - August 21, 2020 at 10:25 AM

TC

“ To the Wright Family: Please accept my condolences. What a remarkable history Mrs. Wright had and contributed to the world! I have fond memories of many of the Wright children and grandchildren growing up in Ayer and going and attending Ayer High School. May love and light help you carry you through this time. May Mrs. Wright have a restful peace.

Tobe Conway - August 21, 2020 at 08:42 AM

TE

Well said Tobe. Mrs. Wright left an amazing legacy for her children and grandchildren to continue. My condolences to Marsha, Queida, granddaughter Leticia Winters and the rest of the family.

Tim Elmer - August 22, 2020 at 10:31 AM

LK

“ To the Wright family were loved your mother and have so many wonderful memories.
Sending you hugs and prayers and love.
The Kilpatrick family ❤️❤️🙏

Lucille Kilpatrick-DaCosta - August 20, 2020 at 06:47 PM

TF

“ Thinking of you and the family during this time of loss. ❤️



The Clark Family - August 20, 2020 at 02:49 PM

TF

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Wright Family at this time. Mother Wright was a legacy in this area. Family know that God will take care of you. Trust him.

The Gailliard Family - August 24, 2020 at 06:06 PM