



Willie Jean Abernathy

July 22, 1922 - April 14, 2018

Willie Jean "Billie" Abernathy, age 95, of Glen Allen, Missouri, passed away on Saturday, April 14, 2018, at the Woodland Hills of Marble Hill, Missouri.

Billie was born on July 22, 1922 in Glen Allen, Missouri; daughter of the late Marvin L. and Clara (Lincoln) Burns. On June 28, 1941 she married the love of her life, Charles David Abernathy. He preceded her in death on April 23, 1998.

At the time of her passing, Billie was the oldest member of the Glen Allen United Methodist Church. She was also a member of the Glen Allen United Methodist Church Choir and the United Methodist Women. Billie was a homemaker and she was devoted to her late husband and her family. From her youth on up she was a Christian and throughout her adult life worked in the church alongside her husband, Charles. Billie was a beautiful lady, always so joyful and happy--- she was a blessing to all our lives.

Billie is survived by two daughters, Ruth Ann (Allen) Clark of Glen Allen, MO., and Barbara (Jennings) Wilkinson of Marble Hill, MO; two granddaughters, Regina Clark (Jonathan) Finch of Jackson, MO., and Rebecca Clark (Don) McFarland of Jackson, MO; great-grandchildren Connor Finch, Willie, John, and Jacob McFarland all from Jackson, MO; loving nieces and nephews.

Preceding her in death were her parents, husband, and three sisters Mary Hargiss, Ruth Nathaniel, and Mae Anderson.

Visitation will be Tuesday, April 17, 2018 from 4:00 to 8:00 PM at the Liley Funeral Home in Marble Hill, Missouri.

Funeral Services will be conducted Wednesday, April 18, 2018 at 11:00 AM at the Funeral Home with Rev. Kim Mitchell officiating. Interment will take place in the Glen Allen Cemetery in Glen Allen, Missouri.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are appreciated to the Glen Allen United Methodist Church.

Tribute Wall

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“ Barb,
I'll always remember the good times we had in high school, which often included being at your house with you and your mom and dad. Your mom never failed to make chocolate chip cookies when she knew I was coming home with you--she knew how much I loved them!
Being there was like a second home--loving and happy. Both of your folks were the best!
We have both lost our moms in the past week and that is probably the toughest thing I have done, so far. My cousin sent me a text right after Mom passed away and it said to take comfort in prayers and in knowing that nobody has loved you more than she has for your entire life. I hope that helps you, too.
We know our folks are in heaven, and I hope they're having a big happy reunion!
Love you--thinking of you, Donna

Donna Lorenz - April 16, 2018 at 09:22 PM

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“ When He reached out His arms to welcome Willie Abernathy home, we can be assured that she found everlasting peace with our Lord and Savior and an end to her suffering here on earth through His abiding grace from above.

Until we meet her again, may God bless and protect all of our families with His everlasting love.

Jackie (Abernathy) and Wayne Thiele - April 16, 2018 at 06:43 PM

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“ *My condolences on the loss of such a dear lady. I have very fond memories growing up living near her. May you find comfort with the precious memories of your dear loved one. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Phyllis Ragsdale - April 15, 2018 at 06:24 PM