



Debbie Sparks

October 23, 1953 - September 5, 2015

PRINCETON – Debbie Sparks, 61, of Princeton, died Saturday, September 5, 2015. Born October 23, 1953 in Princeton, she was the daughter of the late Kyle Phillips and Virginia Chloe Clower Phillips.

Debbie enjoyed reading, sewing and crossword puzzles. She liked to take care of her flower garden. She dearly loved spending time with her family and grandchildren. Debbie worked for several local doctors and for the last 25 years she worked at BRMC in Medical Records.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two sisters, Shirley Higgins and Jo Williams; one brother, Dewey Phillips; and her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Elmer and Opal Sparks.

Survivors include her husband of 44 years, Johnnie Sparks; two sons, Brad Sparks and wife Valerie and Kevin Sparks and wife Melissa all of Princeton; one brother, Victor Phillips and wife Mary Lee of Princeton; two sisters, Agnes Deel of Spanishburg and Barbara Williams and husband Joe of Rock; five grandchildren, Caleb and Autumn Sparks, Michael Hager and Zachary and Abigail Sparks; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 8, 2015 at the Rowland H. Bailey Funeral Chapel of the Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in

Princeton with Pastor Wayne Sanders officiating. Interment will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Princeton. Nephews will serve as pallbearers.

The family will receive friends Tuesday, September 8, 2015 from 12:00 p.m. until service hour at the Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton. To view a video tribute to Mrs. Sparks, or share condolences with the family, please visit www.bailey-kirk.com.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

450 Courthouse Road
Princeton, WV 24740

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 8. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home
1612 Honaker Avenue
Princeton, WV 24740
(304) 425-8176
info@bailey-kirk.com
<https://www.bailey-kirk.com>

Funeral Service

SEP 8. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Debbie Sparks*



Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home - September 08, 2015 at 11:19 AM

TH

Great memories of Debbie! It's hard to believe she is gone. Thanks for sharing.

Teresa Hill - September 09, 2015 at 08:09 AM

BG

How beautiful, you'll have these memories forever, Peace & blessings to all the Sparks Family.

Betty Gillespie - September 09, 2015 at 09:00 AM

KT

This was beautiful! Women like Deb are rare. She was sweet and heartfelt towards anyone she met. Will miss her!

krystal truman - September 09, 2015 at 12:25 PM

AN

Debbie was always such a sweet person she surely will be missed a good friend from class of 1971 Princeton high school

Arlene Nelson - September 09, 2015 at 03:10 PM

DF

What a beautiful tribute to a beautiful woman! She will be sincerely missed. My prayers are with all the family! May God wrap you in his loving arms.

Deborah Froy - September 10, 2015 at 01:29 PM

JS

What a beautiful tribute to your wife. We are so sorry for the loss of your brother and wife. You and your family are in our prayers.

Our Condolences,

Mike and Juanita (Eller) Swatts

Juanita Swatts - September 11, 2015 at 10:44 AM



“ *Debbie Sparks*

December 27, 2022 at 03:07 PM

AN

“ *Arlene Nelson lit a candle in memory of Debbie Sparks*



Arlene Nelson - September 09, 2015 at 03:11 PM

CC

“ *I want to express my condolences to you and your family in the loss of your brother and wife. You are in my prayers.*

From someone who cares.

Carol Williams Cox

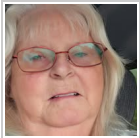
Carol Cox - September 09, 2015 at 12:44 PM

SB

“ Hector and I are so sorry for your loss , I know she will be greatly missed and the family will miss her so much especially her grandchildren I am sure she loved them all so very much , our prayers go out to you and the boys in this difficult time, if we can do anything , please let us know, we love you all.

Hector and Kay Brim

sharon kay brim - September 08, 2015 at 03:44 PM



“ Sweetheart you will be miss love and prayers for the family



Debbie Phillips - September 08, 2015 at 01:21 PM

PB

“ I've known Debbie for many years. She was a very special person. Always happy. She dearly loved her family and I know you all are going to miss her. You are in my prayers
Pa

Pam Bowling - September 08, 2015 at 07:24 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Debbie Sparks.



September 07, 2015 at 11:45 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Debbie Sparks.*



September 07, 2015 at 10:31 PM



“ *I was Debbie's nail tech for many years and I always looked forward to seeing here! She was such a wonderful lady and I will really miss her!!*
Love you friend RIP



BECKY RIFFE - September 07, 2015 at 09:34 PM



“ *I was so sorry to see that she has left us all! My heart goes out to all of her family. When I think of her I always see a smile on her face. I pray GOD GIVES EACH Of you peace and comfort during your sorrow.*
Love Rose Anderson Hamilton

Rose Anderson Hamilton - September 07, 2015 at 07:56 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Debbie Sparks.*



September 07, 2015 at 05:08 PM

GF

“ *Our condolences to the whole family.*

George Fisher III, RRT and family - September 07, 2015 at 02:23 PM

LC

“ *You will be greatly missed.*



Lori Crum - September 07, 2015 at 12:37 PM

SD

“ *I cannot begin to express how sad I am. My heart is broken. Debbie and I hit if off 20+ years ago and our friendship grew like one I have never had before. She was and always will be special. She helped me through so much and always told me things would get better and they did. We laughed together and cried together. Our "girls night out" were always special and our trip to Atlanta is one I will never forget. Debbie was always fun and made me dread not going to work though she had that look and stomping of her foot to let us know to settle down. Deb and I had a way of knowing what we needed without finishing our words and even 2 weeks ago, we laughed at me doing something before she asked. I was truly blessed to have known her and my life was changed because of her. I know she was loved by many and will be missed by all. There is nothing I can say to help ease your pain, but at least I can share in your sadness. My love is with you.*

Sharon Dolinger - September 07, 2015 at 12:30 PM

BW

“ *Betty Walker lit a candle in memory of Debbie Sparks*



betty walker - September 07, 2015 at 10:59 AM

BW

So sad, Debbie left us way to soon, Johnny and family, I can't say how sorry I am. May God give you comfort and love. Aunt Betty

betty walker - September 07, 2015 at 11:06 AM

RN

Debbie, I loved you so much. We always teased each other about me being in love with her husband and I was going to steal him away from her. She was a Hoot and a very precious person to be around. She was my cousin and I loved her so much. Rest in peace now sweet Debbie. Never to be forgotten!! Rosie and Gray Holder.

Rosie & Gray Holder, in Wertfield NC. - September 07, 2015 at 09:39 PM

BG

“ *BETTY GILLESPIE lit a candle in memory of Debbie Sparks*



BETTY GILLESPIE - September 07, 2015 at 10:43 AM

BG

Prayers @ thoughts are with the Sparks family, pray GOD will give you peace.

BETTY GILLESPIE - September 07, 2015 at 10:47 AM

TH

“ I was so sorry and shocked to hear of Debbie passing. I`ve know Debbie since grade school. Debbie was always so sweet. We reconnected through sears. I use to talk to her when she shopped there. She looked fine the last I seen her. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. I won`t be able to attend the funneral as I`m working. A good friend-Teresa Lane Hill.

Teresa Hill - September 07, 2015 at 09:38 AM