



Dorothy Lawrence

April 22, 1926 - September 24, 2020

WEYANOKE – Dorothy Blanche (Hanky) Howerton Lawrence, 94, of Weyanoke, passed away Thursday, September 24, 2020 at her home surrounded by her loving family. Born April 22, 1926 at Lamar, she was the daughter of the late Alex Howerton and Helen Lucas Howerton. She was the last surviving member of her family.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by husband of 51 years, Joseph Lawrence; infant daughter, Wanda Gail; sons, Earl Lawrence and Dennis Lawrence; granddaughter, Vicky Lawrence Laxton; sisters, Myrtle Mullins and Hester Hancock; and brother, Ernie Howerton.

She was a member of Weyanoke Church of God for more than 50 years. “I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith.” II Timothy 4:7

Survivors include daughters, Sue Poff and husband Calvin of Weyanoke and Peggy Matthews and husband Lewis (Pete) of Lashmeet; sons, Ernie Lawrence and wife Connie of Weyanoke, Marvin Lawrence and wife Brenda of Blacksburg, SC; step sister, Elsie Croy of Princeton; nine grandchildren; nineteen great grandchildren; and eight great, great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 p.m. Monday, September 28, 2020

at the Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton with Pastor Margaret Holt officiating. Interment will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Princeton. Grandsons and great grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

The family will receive friends Sunday, September 27, 2020 from 6-8 p.m. at the Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton. Online condolences may be shared with the family at www.bailey-kirk.com.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

450 Courthouse Road
Princeton, WV 24740

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 27. 6:00 PM - 8:00 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 28. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothy Lawrence*

December 27, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Tresa Ball lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Lawrence*



Tresa Ball - October 01, 2020 at 09:11 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Dorothy Lawrence.*



September 28, 2020 at 08:14 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers to the family.*

Debbie Greer - September 28, 2020 at 01:13 AM



“ MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYER'S GOES OUT TO EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU, I LIVED NEAR HANKY FOR YEAR'S AND THOUGHT THE WORLD OF HER, SHE WILL BE GREATLY MISSED.....,

EDITH HOWERTON.

Edith Lester - September 26, 2020 at 07:38 PM

TB

“ *The Poff family, Gene, Mary, Debbie, Tony, Brenda purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Dorothy Lawrence.*



The Poff family, Gene, Mary, Debbie, Tony, Brenda -
September 26, 2020 at 02:39 PM

PB

“ *Surely, she will be missed. My heart breaks. My thoughts and prayers for the entire family. Love, Paul Bunch*

Paul Bunch - September 26, 2020 at 01:36 PM

BM

“ *Thoughts and prayers for the family Fond memories of such a sweet lady
Bonnie Mack and family*

Bonnie Mack - September 26, 2020 at 10:24 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dorothy Lawrence.*



September 25, 2020 at 09:02 PM



“ *I am sorry for your loss, Sue & Calvin Poff, Lee and Jimmy Poff, Debbie Hancock, and Angie Lawrence and your sister Sissy, and your mom Thersa.*

Donna Holley - September 25, 2020 at 06:53 PM



“ *Sorry for the family. Prayers*

Diane DeHart - September 25, 2020 at 06:45 PM



“ *My heart goes out to all of you today. Hanky was such a wonderful human being. I'll never forget how fun it was to grow up in Weyanoke with all these wonderful people. Weyanoke will never be the same.*

Melena - September 25, 2020 at 04:01 PM



“ *Peggy, I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers for comfort go out to you.*

Nancy Shrader - September 25, 2020 at 03:25 PM

SC

“ *Sister Cindy sent a virtual gift in memory of Dorothy Lawrence*



Sister Cindy - September 25, 2020 at 02:56 PM

SC

“ *Sister Lawrence was a dear, sweet, loving lady and most of all, a child of God. She was a pillar of Weyanoke. I will cherish my memories of her, as I would touch her soft hair when I walked into the Weyanoke Church of God. I will miss her deeply. Knowing she has made it "Home" to live forever with our Lord and Savior is a testament of her walk with God. Prayers for the family, that you will find comfort, solace and peace in God's loving arms.*

Sister Cindy - September 25, 2020 at 02:52 PM

TE

“ *I was so shocked to hear that Hanky had passed away. I can only imagine how Mom and the other group of ladies that has passed from "their group" felt when they seen Hanky. We all know that heaven was a joyous place when they all came together. To the family, I definitely know how you feel since losing Mom, but I would always be comforted knowing that was where Mom wanted to be.. we all loved Hanky and she will be missed terribly. Rest In Peace Sweet Lady.*

Teresa East - September 25, 2020 at 02:43 PM