



Matilda Whitlow

October 9, 1939 - May 9, 2023

PRINCETON – Matilda Ann “Tillie” Whitlow, 83, of Princeton, went to be with her Lord and Savior peacefully Tuesday morning, May 9, 2023 at her residence. Born October 9, 1939 in Princeton, she was the daughter of the late Roy L. Saunders, Sr. and Hazel M. Testerman Saunders.

Tillie was a graduate of Princeton High School class of 1957. She was a very devoted Christian who loved and cherished her husband, children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. She loved music and used her talent to play the piano and organ for her church for many years. She also worked at Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home where she played the organ and greeted families for 40 years.

Survivors include her beloved husband of 61 years, Wayne Whitlow; two daughters, Cynthia Whitlow of Princeton and fiancé Scott Trainum of Hinton and Lisa Sexton and husband David of Princeton; five grandchildren, Aaron Thompson and wife Cara of Brentwood, TN, Amy Thomas and husband Danny of Princeton, Matthew Thompson and wife Kerri of Oakridge, TN, Jackie Alvis and husband Travis of Princeton and Logan Moore of Tazewell, VA; three great grandchildren, Nico Thompson of Brentwood, TN, Aubree Thomas of Princeton and Luke Thompson of Oakridge, TN; one sister, Sonja White of Princeton; one brother, Butch Saunders and wife Jeanie of Princeton; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins who she loved dearly.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 p.m. Friday, May 12, 2023 at the Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton with Rev. Larry Dyer and Rev. Blake Bivens officiating. Interment will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Princeton.

Serving as pallbearers will be Travis B. Alvis, Joshua Bishop, David Sexton, Danny Thomas, Scott Trainum and Kenneth Whitlow.

The family will receive friends Friday, May 12, 2023 from noon until service hour 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

MAY 12. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Roselawn Memorial Gardens
450 Courthouse Road
Princeton, WV 24740

Funeral Service

MAY 12. 1:00 PM (ET)

Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ *Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Matilda Whitlow*



Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home - May 17, 2023 at 03:41 PM

MB

“ *Tillie was so friendly and kind. I knew her from Bailey-Kirk. So sorry for your loss.*

Marietta Akers Buckner - May 12, 2023 at 04:06 PM

MM

“ *Wayne and family.... Tilley was a neighbor when I was growing up. We always talked wherever I saw her but I've not seen her in many years. Always sweet and kind and soft spoken. My prayers for the family.*

Mary Rorrer Mann - May 12, 2023 at 12:03 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Matilda Whitlow.*



May 11, 2023 at 03:04 PM

PJ

“ *Eternal rest grant unto Matilda, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.
May the soul of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen.*

Paul Whitlow Jr - May 11, 2023 at 04:43 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Matilda Whitlow.*



May 10, 2023 at 08:14 PM

SC

“ *I have so many fond memories of Tillie. She was always so kind and considerate of everyone. I loved visiting her home she was very hospitable. All around good Godly person. She will surely be missed by many. I know she is resting in peace with our Lord and Savior*

Sharon Johnson Chaaban - May 10, 2023 at 06:48 PM

AD

“ *Albert Davis lit a candle in memory of Matilda Whitlow*



Albert Davis - May 10, 2023 at 05:03 PM

CW

So sorry for your lose. Tillie worked with my husband Mason and was such a kind and loving person. I know she will be missed.

Connie Wiley - May 12, 2023 at 10:24 AM