



## Nancy Howerton

November 16, 1953 - November 14, 2023

LAKE SHAWNEE – Nancy Diane Howerton, 69, of Lake Shawnee went to be with Jesus after a long-extended illness on Tuesday, November 14, 2023. Born November 16, 1953, she was the daughter of the late Louis Pugalee and Margie Ruth "Boots" O'Dell Pugalee.

Nancy was a homemaker and loved the Lord. For many years, she taught Sunday School at the former Clark's Gap Church of God. She had nightly devotions and prayer with her children when they were young. Her favorite past-times were spending time with her dog, Snookie, taking him on long walks, and especially spending time with her family.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 38 years, Ernest "Ernie" Howerton; four brothers, Jackie Pugalee, Ricky Pugalee, Chuckie Pugalee, and Jerry Pugalee; and infant sister, Connie Pugalee

Those left to cherish her memory are son, Randy "Boo-Boo" Howerton and wife Katrina of Matoaka; two daughters, Marie "Tweets" Shrewsbury and husband Eric of Lashmeet, and Shelly "Put-Put" Lowery and husband Teddy of Lashmeet; two sisters, Darlene Wilson of Tallahassee, FL, and Pat Harmon of NC; brother, David Pugalee of NC; sister-in-law, Cheral Pugalee of Lashmeet; grandchildren, Randy, Jr., Allison, David, Kayla, Jr., and Hannah; step grandchildren, Brooke and T.J.; 14 great-grandchildren; and special

friend, Carol Bailey of Athens.

Burial will take place at a later date at the Bailey Miller Cemetery at Clarks Gap.

Arrangements by Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton. Online condolences may be shared with the family at [www.bailey-kirk.com](http://www.bailey-kirk.com).

# Tribute Wall

SH

“ I love you mommy , give dad and my babies a hug Life will never be the same GOD HAS A PLAN I sure was hoping for a different one I'll take care of snooky



shelly - November 24, 2023 at 09:47 AM

ED

Precious girl, prayers 🙏

Earnest DeHart - December 02, 2023 at 06:07 PM

ED

Diane dehart, I kept this little girl one time years ago, I love her and Nancy. Prayers 🙏

Earnest DeHart - December 05, 2023 at 07:16 PM

LF

“ So sorry for your loss We have good memories of the time we spent with her

Laurel & Donna Farmer - November 20, 2023 at 06:17 PM

JG

“ So sorry to hear this news. Nancy came to J's Grocery for years. Loved seeing her come in and she was so sweet and nice. We send our deepest condolences to the family. Marie and JR... J's Grocery

J's Grocery - November 19, 2023 at 03:07 PM

PP

“ *I am so sorry for the family Nancy you will be missed by a lot of people you was a nice sweet lady to a lot of us we going to miss you love you my thoughts and prayers are with the family*

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**Peggy pendergrass** - November 18, 2023 at 04:53 PM

MD

“ Momma how do I go on without you? My days feel empty. There’s a hole in my heart . I don’t think my heart will ever stop hurting. I miss taking you dinner when I’d get off work, watching the news , gun smoke and listening to you talk about how good looking Matt Dillion was, or watching two and a half men and setting on your porch. We would set on your porch and listen to the frogs in the spring and watch the trees get their leaves, complain about how we hated the heat in the summer and in the fall we would listen to the fall bugs and watch the leaves slowly turn their beautiful colors. I’ll miss the times we would run to Princeton just to get a coke from McDonald’s because we both said they had the best coke ever. I’ll never know what’s going on in the world now because i never watch the news unless it was with you and you kept me updated. You always said I needed to watch it and I’d mumble and say I didn’t need to know what was going on in the world that we had enough bad things happening right around us. I just miss you mom. My life will never be the same with you gone. But I wouldn’t bring you back from the glorious place you now call home for nothing. I’m so thankful you have a new body and you are no longer suffering. That gives my soul a little peace. I just hope you knew how special you were to me and how much I loved you. I’m so very thankful for all the talks, laughs and even the tears God allowed us to have these last few months. All the times I got to hear you say you loved me and all the times you told me you didn’t know what you would have done without me. We’ll now, I don’t know what to do without you. Give dad a hug for me. I can only imagine what a joyous reunion that was. As long as I live, both of you will be remembered ❤️ Fly high my sweet momma - marie



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marie- daughy - November 18, 2023 at 09:10 AM

VO

“ *She was always kind and understanding. You couldn't help but love her.  
I'll miss you my dear friend.*

Veda Odle - November 16, 2023 at 05:31 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nancy Howerton.*



November 16, 2023 at 11:54 AM

MO

“ *Mike and Robin Odle planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nancy Howerton.*

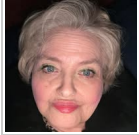
Mike and Robin Odle - November 16, 2023 at 11:54 AM

MM

“ *I loved Nancy she will be missed*



Margie mills - November 16, 2023 at 09:05 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. Nancy and I were best friends in high school. She was a sweet dear friend. RIP. Nancy



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**Bonnie Coleman** - November 16, 2023 at 07:35 AM



“ She was always friendly a very kind person, sorry for your loss she will be missed.



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**Shari Agnew** - November 16, 2023 at 06:58 AM



“ She was a very sweet lady that is going to be missed. I'll be praying for your family. Sending prayers and hugs 🙏🙏🙏 I'm sorry for your loss



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**Tresa Ball** - November 15, 2023 at 09:59 PM

PM

“ Oh my sweet Nancy it's hard to believe you're gone but I definitely know you have already met the Lord and hugging Ernie your mom,dad the rest of the family even though we miss you we know that you are happy where you are at but to say the least we miss you so much our hearts are broken and the tears want stop but we will say hold a place for us because we know it's not going to be much longer before we see you again ❤️ so for now enjoy Heaven until we get there

GO REST HIGH ON THAT MOUNTAIN NANCY BECAUSE YOU DEFINITELY EARNED THEM OH AND BY THE WAY IM SURE ONE OF THE KIDS WILL BE TAKING CARE OF SNOOKIE FOR YOU.

LOVE YOU NANCY WITH ALL MY HEART ❤️

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**Peggy Matthews** - November 15, 2023 at 09:32 PM

HB

“ Shelley and family our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family so sorry for the loss of your sweet mom. May God keep his loving arms around you,and may you all find comfort and strength in our Lord each day.

Love and prayers,

Heather Bates and family, Karen and Tommy Martin and Mildred Mack



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**Heather Bates** - November 15, 2023 at 08:55 PM

DG

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

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**Debbie Greer** - November 15, 2023 at 08:42 PM

TA

“ So sorry to hear about your loss she will be missed



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**tina akers** - November 15, 2023 at 08:29 PM

AM

“ RIP my friend . Going to miss you.



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**Arlene/Buddy Midkiff** - November 15, 2023 at 08:11 PM

DH

“ I'll miss you every single day, my precious sister. Our bond will never be broken, not even by death. I love you so very much.

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**Darlene Hillman** - November 15, 2023 at 07:21 PM

PC

I'm so sorry to hear of yalls mom's passing. She was such a sweet lady.  
Sending prayers for comfort .

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**Pamela Weese Crigger** - November 15, 2023 at 08:09 PM