



## Shirley Bailey

August 17, 1943 - July 5, 2021

PAWLEY'S ISLAND, SC – Shirley Bailey, 77, of Pawley's Island, SC, formerly of Princeton, died Monday, July 5, 2021. Born August 17, 1943 in Cabin Creek, she was the daughter of the late Henry Hodge and Sylvia Perry Hodge.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Bob L. Bailey; and siblings, Oliver Ray Hodge, Benjamin Hodge and Kermit Hodge.

As a teenager, Mrs. Bailey was a member of the singing group, "The Rappettes" and won a singing contest at the WV state capital. She later moved to Winfield and was valedictorian of her class.

Shirley and her husband, Bob, bowled in several leagues over the years making many friends. She enjoyed baseball, especially the Princeton Rays, and loved going to the beach, hanging out with family, playing Rook with her children and grandchildren, doing crossword puzzles, sitting for hours to complete a jigsaw puzzle, and watching the "old game shows." She loved serving at Landmark Church of God in Princeton where she sang in the choir.

It seems fitting that she passed on July 4th weekend. July 4th was always family reunion weekend. She loved seeing everyone, singing hymns, participating and watching the family talent shows, and taking baths in Spring

Creek.

Survivors include three sons, Bruce Bailey and wife Betsy, Steve Bailey and wife Celeste and Brandon Bailey and wife Colleen; sister, Freda Hudnall; brother, Larry Hodge; 10 grandchildren; and two great grandchildren.

A graveside service will be conducted at 1:00 p.m. Saturday, July 10, 2021 at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Princeton with Pastor Scott Hodge officiating. Friends attending the service are asked to meet at the cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association [www.alz.org](http://www.alz.org) or Tideland Community Hospice [www.tidelandshospice.org](http://www.tidelandshospice.org)

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).

# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Memorial Gardens

450 Courthouse Road  
Princeton, WV 24740

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUL 10. 1:00 PM (ET)

Roselawn Memorial Gardens  
450 Courthouse Road  
Princeton, WV 24740

# Tribute Wall



“ *Shirley Bailey*

December 27, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear about Shirley. Bob was my first cousin. My dad was Lake Jr. My prayers are with you and your families.*  
*Vickie Bailey Saddler.*

**Vickie Bailey Saddler** - July 11, 2021 at 09:42 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Shirley Bailey.*



July 09, 2021 at 12:34 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss, and pray for peace for each member of the family.*



**Joe Vazquez** - July 08, 2021 at 09:18 PM

MS

“ Bruce, Betsy and Family,  
Sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. Bailey. Know that you are in our  
prayers. Montani Semper Liberi.  
Matt and Cheryl Securro

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**Matt Securro** - July 08, 2021 at 07:41 PM



“ Heavenly Sentiments Spray was purchased for  
the family of Shirley Bailey.



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July 08, 2021 at 06:16 PM



“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of  
Shirley Bailey.



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July 08, 2021 at 05:31 PM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family  
of Shirley Bailey.



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July 08, 2021 at 05:28 PM

KM

“ Bruce, Steve, and Brandon your mom and Dad were always trying to do something positive with the youth in Spanishburg. Steve I will always appreciate your mom and Brenda Wiley for all of the times I called upon them to drive to the away day games that the Jr, High always played. Shirley was also instrumental in getting me to bring the Junior Civitan to the church for the Halloween party trying to keep the kids off the roads on that particular night. She was a very kind woman that always had time for a visit when we saw each other. Your dad wore many hats also and I am sure you and your family are very proud of them. I am so sorry for your loss but they both had a life that was well spent sharing with others. You are in prayers and may God bless you and your family!

*Ken Monk*

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**Kenneth Monk** - July 08, 2021 at 02:32 PM

PM

“ Bruce and Betsy, I am so sorry to hear of Bruce's mom's passing. Love and hugs to you during this difficult time.  
*Pat and Brad Hafey*

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**Pat Macc** - July 08, 2021 at 12:17 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Shirley Bailey.



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July 07, 2021 at 11:39 PM

RY

“ Bruce, I'm so sorry about your Moms passing. She was such a sweet lady and I have fond memories of her. I hope you are doing well. It's been a long time. Ruth Sheets Yoshida, Orlando, Fl.

Ruth Ann Yoshida - July 07, 2021 at 09:13 PM

JW

“ Brandon and family, I'm truly saddened to hear that your mom passed away. I have many great childhood memories spending the days riding dirt bikes down Mill Dam Rd and then coming back to hangout at your mom and dads house. Such wonderful people and I'm grateful for those memories. My deepest condolences.

Jason Watkins - July 07, 2021 at 04:08 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Shirley Bailey.



July 07, 2021 at 03:45 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Shirley Bailey.



July 07, 2021 at 01:53 PM