



Shirley Delp

February 27, 1937 - January 28, 2024

PRINCETON – Shirley Eloise Delp, 86, of Princeton, went home to eternal glory on Sunday, January 28, 2024 at her home surrounded by loved ones. Born February 27, 1937 in Blowing Rock, NC, she was the daughter of the late Sherley Blaine Calloway and Nettie Georgianna Byers Calloway.

Shirley was of the Baptist faith. She was a lifelong homemaker and a member of TOPS for many years. She was loved by everyone that knew her and her door was always open.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 38 years, James Earl Delp; an infant daughter, Pamela Elizabeth Delp; and one son-in-law, Harless Martin, Jr.

Survivors include her companion of 24 years, Noah Reed of Basin (and his family); one daughter, Kathy Martin of Rock; one son, Richard Delp and wife Pamela of Princeton, with whom she made her home; six grandchildren, Monica Martin, Shelly Fitzgerald and husband Franklin, James Martin, Candi Weatherly, Jody DeHart and wife Heather and Candace Thornhill and husband Chris; and 12 great grandchildren.

Special thanks to Dr. Todd Smith for all his years of care and to Hospice Amedysis.

Funeral services will be conducted at 12:00 p.m. Thursday, February 1, 2024 at the Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton with Pastor Gary Raulerson and Pastor Norman Mills officiating. Interment will follow at the Archer Cemetery in Lashmeet. Great grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or to Shriner's Hospital for Children.

The family will receive friends Wednesday, January 31, 2024 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

Archer Cemetery

Old Lashmeet Road
Lashmeet, WV 24733

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 31. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home
1612 Honaker Avenue
Princeton, WV 24740
(304) 425-8176
info@bailey-kirk.com
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Funeral Service

FEB 1. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Shirley Delp



Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home - February 01, 2024 at 11:09 AM

AN

“ Aunt Shirley, was a shining light of love and caring to all of us. Myself and Donna and Linda always found welcoming arms and her warm heart. Thanks to Kathy and Rick for sharing her with all the rest of us. We share in your grief and loss. God Bless.

Annette Nielsen - January 31, 2024 at 04:28 PM

WO

“ Wilma Odell lit a candle in memory of Shirley Delp



wilma odell - January 30, 2024 at 11:22 PM

WO

I loved her bunches..always sweet to me when I drove the school bus..I am blessed to have all this family as my great friends..love hugs and prayers for comfort..see you soon ..❤️❤️🙏🙏☐☐

wilma odell - January 30, 2024 at 11:26 PM

MR

“ Mary Ryan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley Delp.

Mary Ryan - January 30, 2024 at 11:14 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Shirley Delp.



January 30, 2024 at 11:14 AM

LG

“ Love, Crystal, John & Dalton Gray planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley Delp.

Love, Crystal, John & Dalton Gray - January 30, 2024 at 09:50 AM



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



January 30, 2024 at 09:50 AM

RH

“ Rick we are so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our prayers. Tim and Renee

Renee Harrington - January 30, 2024 at 02:06 AM

HR

Kathy,Rick I am so sorry to hear you lost your wonderful mom whom I loved ❤️🙏. Bonnie & Harold

Harold Ryan - January 31, 2024 at 10:50 AM

RJ

“ *Rheannon Mecimore(Lola Jackson) lit a candle in memory of Shirley Delp*



Rheannon Mecimore(Lola Jackson) - January 30, 2024 at 01:50 AM

JH

“ *I never knew you, but I do know your granddaughter Monica, and that is a great honor. She is a woman of faith, morals and virtue, and I can assume that she was influenced by you and by her parents. She talked of you often, and it was with love and compassion. Enjoy your rest and rewards.*

Jim Hocum - January 29, 2024 at 08:18 PM

HS

“ *Hannah Sheets lit a candle in memory of Shirley Delp*



Hannah Sheets - January 29, 2024 at 07:15 PM

PC

“ Rick and family we would like to send our deepest condolences to you and all your family. We are praying for your family, Shirley was as sweet as they come, we will truly miss talking to her.

Phillip Church - January 29, 2024 at 06:55 PM

HB

“ Monica our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family may the Lord keep his loving arms around you all, and may you all find peace strength and comfort in our Lord Jesus.
Love and prayers
Heather Bates and family
Uncle Tommy and Aunt Karen & Mildred Mack



Heather Bates - January 29, 2024 at 05:28 PM