



Joyce Faye Willis

May 31, 1941 - April 9, 2023

Joyce Faye Willis, 81, of Ewing, VA passed away on Sunday, April 9, 2023 at her home.

She was born in Middlesboro, KY on May 31, 1941, to the late Steely and Ina Sowders. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Frank Willis Sr., one son Frank Willis Jr., one brother Dewey Sowders, two sisters, Violet Hatfield, and Betty Marsee, and her sister-in-law, Inge Sowders.

Joyce loved her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. She loved spending time with her family, they were her life. She was a member of the Gibson Station Missionary Baptist Church.

Joyce is survived by three daughters, Starlet Smith (Lonnie), , Clara Scott (Mark), and Dewi Blair (Jay), One son, Steely Barnett (Becky), eight grandchildren, Loni Trull, Tatum Barnett, Chelsey Blair, Jessica Scott, Trevor Scott, Miranda Scott, Dustin Blair, Lynsey Blair, 4 great-grandchildren, and one brother Johnny Sowders (Debbie).

A graveside service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 13, in the Yearly Cemetery in Middlesboro, KY with Preston Smith officiating. Everyone is asked to meet at the cemetery for services.

Online condolences may be viewed or sent by visiting our website, www.RobinetteFuneralHome.com. Robinette Funeral Home of Rose Hill is serving the Willis family.

Cemetery Details

Yeary Cemetery

Middlesboro, KY 40965

Previous Events

Graveside service

APR 13. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Joyce Faye Willis*

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“ *So sorry for your Loss..*

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