



Shirley May Wilson

November 27, 1936 - November 20, 2024

Shirley May Rain Wilson, 87, of Greenville, widow of the late Melvin Lee Wilson, Sr., passed away Wednesday, November 20, 2024.

Born in Cornwall, NY, she was a daughter of the late Andrew James Rain, Jr. and Mary Nelson Rain. Mrs. Wilson was a homemaker and was of the Baptist Faith.

Surviving are 3 sons: Melvin Lee Wilson, Jr. (Donna), James Wilson (Suzanne), and Eugene Wilson; one daughter: Ruth Wilson; one sister: Audrey Perera; brother-in-law: Robert Hunter; three grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren, and eleven great-great-grandchildren.

Along with her parents and husband of sixty years, she was predeceased by one sister: Ruth Hunter; two brothers: Andrew James Rain, III and Kenneth Edward Rain; and two sisters-in-law: Barbara Rain and Vicky Rain.

The family will receive friends Saturday morning from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. at The Howze Mortuary.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday in The Howze Mortuary Chapel. Burial will follow in Mountain View Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Shriner's Hospital, 950 West Faris Rd., Greenville, SC 29605.

Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.thehowzemortuary.com

The Howze Mortuary, Travelers Rest, is in charge of the arrangements. (864) 834-8051.

Cemetery Details

Mountain View Memorial Park formerly Grand View Memorial Gardens

7 Duncan Rd.
Travelers Rest, SC

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369
Travelers Rest, SC

Funeral Service

NOV **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary Chapel
6714 State Park Rd.
Travelers Rest
Travelers Rest, SC 29690
thehowzemortuary@yahoo.com

Tribute Wall

JC

“ Janet Chandler lit a candle in memory of Shirley Wilson



Janet Chandler - November 26, 2024 at 11:11 AM

TE

“ Shirley and her family was a big part of my childhood. good friends and I am sorry to hear she has passed. I am praying for all of you Franklin Edwards

Thomas F Edwards - November 25, 2024 at 09:23 AM

TE

“ She was always gracious to me

Terry - November 24, 2024 at 04:04 PM

CW

“ Connie and Charlie loved Shirley. She was always smiling and had a compassionate heart ! We will miss her,

Charlie Ward - November 22, 2024 at 03:05 PM

MH

“ Martha Holt lit a candle in memory of Shirley Wilson



Martha Holt - November 22, 2024 at 02:04 PM

PH

“ Pam Holt Hamilton lit a candle in memory of Shirley Wilson



Pam Holt Hamilton - November 22, 2024 at 02:03 PM

PL

“ So very saddened to hear of the passing of your Mom, Mother in law, sister. Sending my deepest sympathy and prayers. May God put his hand on you'll to help you through this difficult time. 🙏

Pat Lindley - November 22, 2024 at 11:26 AM

LP

“ So sorry for the lost of your MOM. May god be with the family will keep you in my prays .



Larry&Joretta Pena - November 21, 2024 at 06:31 PM

RC

“ I am so sorry to hear of your mom's passing, one thing you could be sure of if Shirley had a thought then you knew what it was good or bad any time any place. So many people don't know how to express themselves. She could have taught them alot, I know it's been hard keeping up with her needs but she's in a place where she has no needs . You are all in my prayers now and the days to follow, she was lucky to have children who loved her. God Bless You All.

Rebecca Coggins - November 21, 2024 at 06:20 PM

MM

“ *Moneen and Marie purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Shirley May Wilson.*



Moneen and Marie - November 21, 2024 at 05:29 PM

MH

“ *Moneen Hornbuckle lit a candle in memory of Shirley Wilson*



Moneen Hornbuckle - November 21, 2024 at 05:07 PM