



Phyllis Buckles

April 2, 1942 - January 22, 2021

Phyllis Buckles, 78, of Mounds, passed away Friday, January 22, 2021 at 12:54pm at Southeast Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

She was born Apr. 2, 1942 in Ballard County, KY, the daughter of Paul and Louise (Winters) Dowdy. She and Larry Paul Buckles, Sr. were married on Dec. 21, 1962.

Phyllis was a proud member and first lady of the Villa Ridge Union Church.

Survivors are her loving husband of 58 years, Larry; daughter, Kim Buckles; son, Larry Paul Buckles, Jr.; special daughter, Autum (Keith) Simmons; 5 grandchildren; 4 great grandchildren; 1 great great grandchild; sister, Paula (Steve) Justen; sister-in-law, Beverly Dowdy; and nieces, nephews, other loved ones and friends to whom she was known as "Sissy".

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by 2 brothers, Edward Keith and John Ed Dowdy; and 2 sisters, Linda Carr and Anita (Jim) Stout.

A celebration of Phyllis' life will be held at a later date.

Memorials may be made to the Villa Ridge Union Church and can be sent to 4533 US Hwy 51, Mounds, IL 62964 or to Crain Funeral Home, P.O. Box 257,

Anna, IL 62906.

Crain Funeral Home in Anna-Jonesboro is entrusted with arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Phyllis Buckles*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Barbara Tribout lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Buckles*



Barbara tribout - February 02, 2021 at 04:18 PM



“ *I knew mrs phyllis very well went to their church for years me and my late husband gus such a wonderful woman who i loved very much she will be missed but never forgotten*

Barbara tribout - February 02, 2021 at 04:17 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to the Buckles family. I did not have the honor of knowing Phyllis, but my family grew up with Larry, Sr. I was able to get re-acquainted with Larry at two of my brothers' funerals. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this trying time.*

Karen Wilburn Smiddy - January 27, 2021 at 04:15 PM

MC

“ I have so many memories of this sweet lady! I spent many hours at her house growing up in Mound City, her sister Anita, and I were the best of friends and of course I remember Phyllis and Larry when they were dating. We thought it was so cool when they would come in holding hands. A love that lasted forever! Phyllis always kept me up to date on the family. A great family. One memory of coming in to their kitchen, there was always leftovers on the stove, best biscuits ever! RIP in peace sweet Phyllis, what a family reunion you are having!

Morrissa Clanahan - January 27, 2021 at 12:22 PM

KW

“ Karen Walls purchased the Garden Accent Stone - "If love could have saved you" for the family of Phyllis Buckles.



Karen Walls - January 25, 2021 at 03:27 PM

TC

“ To a wonderful cousin you'll be missed by many, I'll never forget you as long as I shall live, I have your birthday cousin and I'll remember you every year and say a prayer for you. When I told Tyler, after LP called me all Tyler done was hung his head you'll never be forgotten. Plz give mom a hug for me, I know you are having a ball in heaven with so the family that meet you there at the gates to welcome you home, until we meet again just know I'll Always Love You. Theresa

Theresa Dowdy Chandler - January 24, 2021 at 02:43 PM

MR

“ I have been told that she meant a lot to my Grandpa and Grandma Thelma. My condolences to you and your family Larry and will keep you all in our prayers.

Mellany (Farris) Raley - January 23, 2021 at 10:03 PM

AS

“ Together again! I'll always love you! 💕



Ashley - January 23, 2021 at 06:29 PM

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“ I'll love you forever Aunt Sissy! Tell papa, Aunt sue, and grandma hi for me. I love you all so much. R.I.P!

Ashley (bluebutt) - January 23, 2021 at 04:12 PM

DP

“ Larry, so sorry for your loss, keeping you and your family in my thoughts and prayers.



Dave Petermichel - January 23, 2021 at 03:47 PM

TM

“ *The love of Christ shown through you everyday of your life!!! God has gained a true angel when he called you home! I will forever have your words etched in my mind and will carry you forever in my heart! I love you dearly and miss you so much! You were more than an aunt, cousin, mother, grandmother, or wife. You were the example the voice the encouragement of how to be daily! Until we meet again take your rest in the Lord! I love you aunt sissie!*

Tamara Maxwell - January 23, 2021 at 11:16 AM

SR

“ *We are so very sorry for the loss of this beautiful, kind soul and her family. We thought a lot of Phyllis.*



sharon redcloud - January 23, 2021 at 10:59 AM

PP

“ *Some of our fondest memories with Phyllis and Larry occurred during our Christ Ambassador years when, as twenty something Christians, we grew together in Christ. It was during those times of worship that Phyllis revealed her gift as a soloist and we discovered how to make hot tamales as a fundraiser. We'll always be grateful for their unwavering support when we moved to Waxahachie, TX to attend Bible College. Thank God for Phyllis' Christian witness and her commitment to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, His Church, and to Larry, their family, and his ministry. "Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her." Prob. 31:28, NIV Phil & Lynn Parker*

Phil & Lynn Parker - January 23, 2021 at 10:29 AM

LP

“ *The greatest Woman I've ever known. I Love you Momma. I will see you again soon.* ”



Larry Paul - January 23, 2021 at 10:27 AM