



Sharon Norine Wilson

October 17, 1944 - October 18, 2020

Sharon Norine Wilson, age 76, of Albia, passed away on Sunday, October 18, 2020, at the Monroe County Hospital in Albia, Iowa, under the care of Care Initiatives Hospice.

Sharon was born on October 17, 1944, to Edward and Darlene (Huffman) Ellis in Centerville, Iowa. She grew up and attended school in Centerville, graduating with the Class of 1962, before earning her teacher's certificate from Indian Hills Community College. She married Mike Wilson in 1962 and to this union, 4 children were born, Cindie, Michelle, Geoffrey, and Tabatha.

Sharon taught at Head Start in Albia for 17 years before taking a job as the housekeeping supervisor at Mercy Hospital in Centerville.

Sharon was a former member of Eastern Star and Rainbow Mother Advisor. She loved to be outdoors, doing things such as flower gardening and watching the birds and squirrels at her feeders. She enjoyed crafts, especially making cards to give to others for all occasions. Sharon enjoyed cooking and entertaining and was known for her homemade bread, cookies, and candies at Christmas time. Her true joy in life was spending time with her family and friends, especially her children and grandchildren.

Sharon is survived by her children, Cindie (Kelly) Deputy of Alma, Arkansas,

Michelle (Eric) Hameister of Janesville, WI, Geoffrey (Brenda) Wilson of Ottumwa, IA, and Tabatha (Dan) Hood of Des Moines, IA; 10 grandchildren, Colton Weldon, Casey Weldon, Ryan Wilson, Andrew Wilson, Austin Johnson, Roger Griffiths, Eric Griffiths, Monica Harter, Ashlee Wilson and Erika Hood; and several great grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and good friends. Sharon is also survived by 4 siblings, Jim, Ken and Bill Ellis and Barbara Hull.

Sharon was preceded in death by her parents, Edward and Darlene Ellis and a great granddaughter, Danika.

Visitation will be held from 3:00 p.m-8:00 p.m, Thursday, October 22, 2020, at the Tharp Funeral Home in Albia, with Sharon's family present from 5:00-8:00 p.m. to greet family and friends. According to the rules put in place by the Iowa Department of Public Health, proper social distancing and reasonable personal protective equipment is advised for attending a religious public event.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m., Friday, October 23, 2020, at the Tharp Funeral Home in Albia, with Pastor Christy Ehrle officiating. Burial will follow services in Oakland Cemetery in Centerville, IA.

An open memorial has been established to the family to be determined at a later date.

Cemetery Details

Oakland Cemetery

Centerville, IA 52544

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **22**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Tharp Funeral Home
116 Benton Ave.
Albia, IA 52531
(641) 932-3129
<https://www.tharpfh.com/>

Funeral Service

OCT **23**. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Sharon Norine Wilson

January 30, 2023 at 05:06 AM



“ Sharon Norine Wilson

January 30, 2023 at 02:53 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. Sharon was a very hard working , caring person. Worked with her in Head Start but hadn't seen her in years. Peace to her and her family.

Mary Kay Murphy - October 24, 2020 at 10:48 PM



“ Renea Higgins lit a candle in memory of Sharon Norine Wilson



Renea Higgins - October 22, 2020 at 07:50 PM



“ Irene Z. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Sharon Norine Wilson.



Irene Z. - October 21, 2020 at 02:59 PM

PY

“ Pam Young lit a candle in memory of Sharon Norine Wilson



Pam Young - October 21, 2020 at 06:51 AM

SF

“ Sheryl Fuller lit a candle in memory of Sharon Norine Wilson



Sheryl Fuller - October 21, 2020 at 05:50 AM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Sharon Norine Wilson.



October 20, 2020 at 10:07 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Sharon Norine Wilson.



October 20, 2020 at 07:09 PM

IM

“ I've known Sharon since she and my sister, Helen, were two 4 year olds starting kindergarten and I was a 6 year old starting First grade at Lincoln School in Centerville, IA. We've remained close friends ever since. In recent years, when we were having trouble getting around, we would get together for a game of scrabble or Dominos and to laugh!

Irene Massa, Wyman, Main - October 20, 2020 at 03:33 PM

PT

“ Paul & Helen (Massa) Tharp purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Sharon Norine Wilson.



Paul & Helen (Massa) Tharp - October 20, 2020 at 01:56 PM

PT

“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Paul Tharp - October 20, 2020 at 01:39 PM

FS

“ Cindy and family. I did not know your Mother but I know she raise some great girls. I am sorry this happened to you so soon after losing your Dad. I pray for peace and strength in this sorrowful time Unfortunately life is about changing nothing ever stays the same. We know the changes are coming. We are never ready. God bless you all. I miss your music. Love to all.
Frances Smith

Frances Smith - October 20, 2020 at 12:09 AM

IM

Prayers and hugs to all of Sharon's family and friends. Sharon, I miss you already!

Irene Massa, Wyman, Main - October 20, 2020 at 03:40 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sharon Norine Wilson.*



October 19, 2020 at 10:00 PM

MM

“ *Blessings to a wonderful lady and a very special family. God be with all of you.*

Margaret Mordan

Margaret Mordan - October 19, 2020 at 09:39 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Sharon Norine Wilson.*



October 19, 2020 at 08:38 PM



“ *I am so sorry*

Dianne Riley - October 19, 2020 at 07:59 PM



I didn't finish my post before it went. I was so sorry to hear about Sharon's passing away yesterday. She and I worked together with Head Start all those many years. We were friends and supported each other and our families. We spent many hours at her kitchen table, talking things over and enjoying a cup of coffee. She was a wonderful teacher and a great mother. She loved her children more than life itself. She was so proud of her grandchildren as well. My prayers and sympathy go out to all of you. I wish I could be with you this week.

Dianne Riley - October 19, 2020 at 08:04 PM



“ *AJ Foster lit a candle in memory of Sharon Norine Wilson*



AJ Foster - October 19, 2020 at 07:17 PM

BR

“ *This candle lit memory for Sharon nornie wilson
And My thought prayer with your family and friends.* 🙏



Bridget - October 19, 2020 at 06:57 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sharon Norine Wilson.*



October 19, 2020 at 06:18 PM

DL

“ *Donna LeBlanc lit a candle in memory of Sharon Norine Wilson*



Donna LeBlanc - October 19, 2020 at 06:03 PM