



Sherry Lynne Bennett

June 25, 1955 - May 16, 2025

Sherry Lynne Bennett, of Ironton, MO, entered into rest on Friday, May 16, 2025, at the age of 69 years, 10 months, and 21 days. She was born June 25, 1955, in Fredericktown, MO, to the late Claude Lewis and Elsie Christine (Sims) Woods.

After graduating from Arcadia Valley High School in 1973, Sherry was united in marriage to Dennis Bennett on August 3, 1974. Dennis preceded Sherry in rest on September 1, 1977. To this union a daughter, Brandelyn Bennett, who survives, was born. Also surviving Sherry are three grandchildren, Sydni Boyd, Maiya Helms and husband Andrew, and Tyson Boyd; one great-grandson, Brooks Helms, three brothers, Woody Woods of Ironton, MO, Walter Woods and wife Lynn of Arcadia, MO, and Tony Lewis Woods and companion Angie Causey-Brooks of Arcadia, MO; two sisters, Judy Schumacher of Ironton, MO and Patty Johnson and husband Rich of Ironton, MO; her second husband who helped raise Brandi after her father's passing, Randy Head and wife Paula, and many more loving family members and friends.

Sherry is preceded in rest by her parents, her husband and father to Brandi, Dennis Bennett, a brother in infancy, Gary Lewis Woods, a brother-in-law, a sister, Claudia Cloin and husband Sonny, and a brother-in-law, Gary Schumacher.

Sherry worked many years for the Arcadia Valley School District as a Teacher's Aide for the Special Education Program and assisted Mr.

Trowbridge with many students. Sherry also received her associate's degree in general studies, was the owner and operator of The Hairport Hair Salon, a former member of Arcadia Valley Global Methodist Church, a Lifetime member of the Ironton VFW until it's closing and then transferred membership to the Bismarck VFW, and enjoyed following where the Lord led her to worship on Sunday mornings.

Sherry Lynne Bennett was a loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend. She will be missed by all who were blessed to know and love her.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Thursday, May 29, 2025, beginning at 7:00 pm from the Cole Family Chapel.

A visitation for friends and family to gather will be held on Thursday, May 29, 2025, beginning at 5:00 pm and lasting until 7:00 pm from the Cole Family Chapel.

Elder Mark Sutton will be officiating the services.

Online condolences may be made at www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Arcadia Valley Memorial Park

Russellville Road
Ironton, MO 63650

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 29. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Cole Family Funeral Home
210 E Reynolds St
Ironton, MO 63650
(573) 546-0742

Celebration of Life

MAY 29. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

BW

“ *Bill and Brenda Wilson lit a candle in memory of Sherry Bennett*



Bill and Brenda Wilson - May 28, 2025 at 08:28 PM

LI

“ *I was one of the lucky ones that got to call you Aunt Sherry. I will greatly miss our talks and you always made sure to tell me you were proud of the woman and mother I became. It was always an honor to hear I looked just like you. I know you have a line of people to greet you in heaven and the first will be Uncle Dennis. Love you to the moon 💔*

lorie inman - May 27, 2025 at 07:57 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Sherry Lynne Bennett.*



May 27, 2025 at 09:30 AM

CG

“ Where do I begin? I never met a person before Sherry who was so full of life and brought joy wherever she went. She was one of the first people I met when I moved to Ironton and she was so welcoming and always greeted me as if we were life-long friends. I count myself lucky to be an adjunct member of the Woods family. Sherry will be missed, but always remembered for the delight that she genuinely was.

Carla Gardner - May 25, 2025 at 02:20 PM

YR

“ So saddened to hear of Sherry passing! Some of the memories I have were about going to Black River and laying out for sun tanning! We floated on Black River many times! We had a lot of laughs and fun! Sherry was a good person and I shall miss her terribly!

Yvonne Rayfield - May 25, 2025 at 01:25 AM



“ I met Sherri while attending Arcadia Valley schools. When I met her, I fell in love; she is the sweetest, kind-hearted hippie I will ever meet. She became not just my teacher's aide but my best friend. She helped me through a lot of hard times, both in and out of school. I will always love her and miss her. We have kept in contact all this time. She will always have a special place in my heart. ❤️. My heart hurt but I also know she's not hurting anymore and she's happy again with dennis. He was her true love of a lifetime. When she spoke of him you could tell and feel the love she had for him. Hugs and love

Missa McCleary - May 24, 2025 at 11:36 AM

SU

“ Many years ago Charlie and I were transferred to the Branson area for his work. We didn't like it much. Then we learned his cousin Dennis and wife Sherry were living there while Dennis attended college. We contacted them, and became great friends. We spent a lot of time together and without Sherry, I don't think I would have survived those days. Sherry was always cheerful and so much fun to be around. When I saw her again a few years ago, she was still the same bubbly Sherry. What a loss to all who knew her. Our condolences to her sweet family whom she loved so much. Sue (and Charlie) Pratt

Sue - May 22, 2025 at 08:12 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Sherry Lynne Bennett.



May 20, 2025 at 02:42 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Sherry Lynne Bennett.

May 20, 2025 at 02:42 PM

BW

“ Condolences to all of Sherry's family ❤️



Bill and Brenda Wilson - May 19, 2025 at 10:23 PM

DF

“ Daniel R Butler and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Sherry Lynne Bennett.



Daniel R Butler and family - May 19, 2025 at 10:13 PM

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Daniel R Butler and family - May 19, 2025 at 10:13 PM

KW

“ So sorry to hear of Sherrys passing. I always enjoyed our old bowling days, she was a lot of fun. Our sincere sympathy to her entire family & friends.
Fondly;
Kenny & Sue Wooten



Kenny & Sue Wooten - May 19, 2025 at 08:51 PM