



Wanda Lois Reynolds

July 30, 1922 - June 21, 2022

Wanda Lois Reynolds, formerly of Pilot Knob, MO, entered into rest on Tuesday, June 21, 2022 at the age of 99 Years, 10 Months, and 23 Days. She was born July 30, 1922 in Marion, Illinois to Coy E. Cox and Daisy H. (Tucker) Cox.

In July of 1942 Wanda was united in marriage to John Reynolds who preceded her in rest in February of 1995. Though they didn't have any children of their own, Wanda and John raised two of their nephews, Bruce Smith who preceded her in rest November of 2021, and Steve Smith who survives.

Survivors include her nephews Steve Smith and wife Sherri of Decatur, IL, Darrin Cox and wife Stephanie of Oskaloosa, KS, Helen Smith (Bruce's wife) of Jacksonville, IL, several great-nieces and great-nephews, and many more loving family members and friends.

Wanda is preceded in rest by her parents, her husband John, a nephew Bruce Smith, two brothers Edward Cox and Coy Cox, and three sisters, Pauline Smith, Eveleen Hassenfritz, and Joyce Ebert Riley.

Wanda was a 1940 graduate of DeSoto High School and went on to work many years as a bookkeeper for her and John's two gas stations. She was also a hairdresser and went on to become a minister and shared her vast knowledge of the Lord with others. When she wasn't working her other jobs, she was a talented and caring homemaker. In the last few years, she lived with her nephew Darrin and his family in Oskaloosa, KS and was very much

loved by their community; she was known by many there for their “Adventures with Aunt Wanda” Facebook posts.

Miss Wanda will be missed by all who were blessed to know and love her.

A Visitation will be held on Saturday, July 02, 2022 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM at Cole Family Chapel.

A Celebration of Life will be Saturday, July 02, 2022 at 12:00 PM at Cole Family Chapel.

Interment will follow the services in the DeSoto City Cemetery in DeSoto, MO.

Cemetery Details

De Soto City Cemetery

206 S 10th St
De Soto, MO 63020

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 2. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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

Celebration of Life

JUL 2. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wanda Lois Reynolds*

August 31, 2022 at 12:46 PM



“ *We moved next door to Wanda here in Pilot Knob in 2002. She was our delightful neighbor. She loved life and her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.*

Ronald Simmons - July 01, 2022 at 08:58 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Wanda Lois Reynolds.*



June 30, 2022 at 10:54 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Wanda Lois Reynolds.*



June 30, 2022 at 09:57 AM

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“ Aaron & Chey Dyer lit a candle in memory of Wanda Lois Reynolds



Aaron & Chey Dyer - June 29, 2022 at 10:44 PM

SH

“ Wanda was a very dear friend of mine. I helped take care of her when she needed medical attention, which was not often. She crochet a blanket for me which I still cherish. She crochet my first granddaughter a newborn outfit. I prayed for Wanda very often and knew that she was a true child of God. She loved her family and never said a cross word. Her prayers with me gave me comfort. She has given me books that her niece wrote and I will cherish those too. She respected and thought a lot of Tony Cole and often called out on him when in need. I am sorry I cannot make her services, but I am certain I will see her again. Every time I see a sparkle I think of her. Condolences to her family , and how wonderful they took her in for her last few years.

Stacey Huck - June 24, 2022 at 02:22 PM

BB

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Wanda was a spiritual mother to me. I miss her so much. She is a beautiful person and I know I will see her again in Heaven. She created a little of Heaven here on Earth with her kindness and hospitality. I would ask her to pray about something for me and she would always say "I pray for you every day". I miss her prayers already. May your family have peace and comfort.

Becky Botts, Orlando, Florida

Becky Botts - June 23, 2022 at 06:37 PM