



Bernice Sanders

January 7, 1934 - April 28, 2018

Bernice Sanders, 84, went to be with the Lord, Saturday, April 28, 2018. She was born January 7, 1934 to Lunsford and Alice Herron and grew up in Carbon Hill, Al., where she married her high school sweetheart, William "Billy" Cox. They moved to Michigan where their three children were born. Bernice was instrumental in establishing sports programs including the Gibraltar Recreation Commission and the Huron River Yellow Jackets and worked many years in the Gibraltar School District. Billy died in 1968. She later married William "Bill" Sanders and relocated to Tennessee. She and Bill founded High Peak Kennels where they raised Walker foxhound show dogs. They were very active in the fox hunting community. Bill died in 1992. Bernice worked as a door greeter at Walmart and spent her later years taking care of friends and family. She attended Bybee Methodist Church.

Bernice is preceded in death by her parents, her husbands and seven older brothers and sisters and their spouses. She is survived by a son, Kent (Cheryl) Cox and daughters; Kathy Burke and Lynn (Craig) Ramsey and grandchildren; Jason (Kim) Cox, Laura Cox, Chelsea (Max) Salyer and Brad Ramsey and great-grandchildren; Lukas and Kyle Cox. She was eagerly awaiting the birth of a great granddaughter, Reese Salyer, this summer. Bernice is also survived by a host of other family and friends including her Wellington Manor Family. She will forever be lovingly remembered.

Funeral services will be held at 7:00 pm Monday April 30, 2018 in Manes Funeral Home Chapel, with pastor Roy Dalton officiating.

Burial will be held 11:00 am Tuesday, May 1, 2018 in Union Cemetery.
The family will receive friends from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm Monday at Manes
Funeral Home prior to the funeral service.
Family and friends may sign the guest register online at www.manesfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Bernice Sanders*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



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Margie - May 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM



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Margie - May 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Lynn, I just learned of the loss of your mother. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Brenda - May 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Lynn I am so sorry for your loss. I just now saw it in the paper. Prayers for your family*

Cindy Luttrell White - May 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ Chelsea and Lynn, I'm so sorry for your loss. I have fond memories of Granny Sanders. I remember her making us a picnic to take to the tree house. She was a kind and very funny lady. She was always so good to me. I hope you find comfort in this time of ne

Rachel Worley - May 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KI

“ I just now learned of your Mom's death. áSuch a sweet, sweet Lady !!! áSending prayers, hugs and love to all of the family. á

Karen Inman - May 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ Prayers for the familyá

Cookie Ramsey - May 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ So sorry for your loss . Will remember you in or prayers

Elva Cameron - April 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ I am so sorry.

Angie Hux Gentry - April 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ So sorry to hear about Ms Bernice passing...She was a great lady..I worked with her in the 80's at the Park Vista Hotel (Sheraton) in Gatlinburg...We rode the van together everyday to work..Great memories with her in those days..Such a sweet smile..She wi

Patricia L Stephenson - April 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Sorryá

Mary Alice Rhodes Gorman - April 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Lynn, My deepest sympathy to you and all your family during this time of heartache! Will keep you and all your family in prayer!

Bettye S Carver - April 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ So sorry for your loss.. Bernice was one of a kind,she will be missed..love & prayers.

Robin Coakley - April 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ So sorry to hear about Bernice (aunt Sally). Sending prayers to all the family ?????

Charlene H Sylvester - April 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ I am sorry for your loss.

Ray Fancher - April 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ Lynn we are so sorry for loss of your mother. You will be in our thoughts and prayers! Ricky and Tammy Reed

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WL

“ Lynn so sorry to hear about your mother . áOur thoughts and prayers are with you

Woody and Tura Lawson - April 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ I'm so sorry Lynn. I will be in Asheville on Monday and Tuesday but will keep you in my thoughts and prayers. You were such a good daughter to your mom and she appreciated that you were always there for her. Peace be with you in the coming days.

Charlene Cureton - April 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DO

“ Lynn and Family: Our deepest sympathy to you in the loss of your lovely mother. She was always so pleasant and smiling when I arrived with my camera. Will be thinking of you in the coming days.

Duay and Kay O'Neil - April 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Growing up with Kent and his sisters I had many great in counters with Mrs Cox. She was always so wonderful to us kids. KentÆs father was quite the baseball player and coach to us. I miss those innocent days of summer. May God bless this family with his g

Bill & Cindy Harrison - April 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Prayers for the family during this time of grief Bernice will be greatly missed !!!

Jessie Woods Lpn Wellington manor - April 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

AO

“ Lynn I am so sorry to hear about your mother, sending hugs & Prayers

audrey owenby - April 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

VW

“ May the Lord bless and comfort your family!! Mark and Velma Wills of the Bybee UMC

Velma Wills - April 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ Lynn, I was very sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. Prayers to you and your family. God bless.

Patti Briggs - April 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ Peace be with you Lynn in the coming days.

Charlene Cureton - April 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ So sorry Kent

Sam may - April 29, 2018 at 12:00 AM