



Dora Elizabeth Wilhoit

May 20, 1929 - December 26, 2019

Dora Elizabeth Wilhoit, age 90 of Afton, passed away Thursday, December 26, 2019. She was preceded in death by her parents Walter and Mamie Mooneyhan; brothers James (Norma Jean) Mooneyhan and Edward "Ed" (Rhunette) Mooneyhan. She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law Chris and Michelle Mathes Wilhoit; grandchildren Luke Wilhoit, Daniel Wilhoit, Rebecca Wilhoit, and Rachael Wilhoit; brothers and sisters Jean Shepherd, Marcus (Shirley) Mooneyhan, Gwendolyn Gregg, Denver (Bobbie) Mooneyhan, and Sammie Cook; many nieces, nephews, other family members, and friends.

The family will receive friends from 12:30 – 2:00 pm, Sunday, December 29, 2019 at Salem Lutheran Church with funeral services to follow at 2:00 pm with Rev. Norman Deal Officiating. Burial will follow in the Salem Lutheran Church Cemetery. Family and friends may sign the guest register online at www.manesfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 29. 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Salem Lutheran Church
Parrottsville, TN 37843

Funeral service

DEC 29. 2:00 PM (ET)

Salem Lutheran Church
Parrottsville, TN 37843

Burial

DEC 29 (CT)

Salem Lutheran Church Cemetery

Tribute Wall



“ *Dora Elizabeth Wilhoit*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *I'm very sorry to hear about the passing of Elizabeth. I have mowed her yard for over 20 years. She was a great friend & a wonderful lady to work for. She will be missed.*

Shawn Jaynes - January 04, 2020 at 06:09 PM

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“ It was with great sadness that I learned from her brother, Marcus, of the passing of my friend, Mrs. Wilhoit. Although she had told me years ago that it was okay to call her Elizabeth, it was hard for me to do so because of my great respect for her. You see, she had been my fourth grade teacher in 1963-1964 school year at Chuckey Elementary School.

Many years later after a long stint in the teaching profession myself, our paths crossed again. I had opened a small business running a taxi. No longer driving herself, she called on me when she needed to go to town to pay bills, shop for groceries, or go to the doctor. Even after I had retired from running the taxi business we stayed in touch and I sometimes served as her "private driver". It was in this capacity I had the pleasure of meeting some of her family members in Newport. I had previously become reacquainted with Chris and had either met or had heard so much about his family that I almost felt that I knew them.

I have heard it said that it is important to tell people while they are living about our regards for them. I am glad that I was able to share with "Mrs. Wilhoit" a story that seemed to brighten her day. The year that I had been in her class I made "straight A's". That in itself seems quite an accomplishment, but during that year my life was changing drastically as my parents split up. I later told her that she must have been "one heckuva teacher" to have kept my mind off my problems to the extent that she did. For that I will always be grateful. I extend my deepest condolences to all of the family. May our Lord grant you peace and comfort during this time of sorrow with the hope of a great reunion in a better place.

Don French - December 28, 2019 at 07:11 PM

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I am sorry for your loss God bless

Chris uzzell - December 29, 2019 at 07:41 AM



I was so sorry to that Elizabeth had passed away. We were neighbors for many years, our back yards joined each others. I enjoyed talking to her over the years out by the fence. We both had Cocke County roots.

Michael Grigsby - December 29, 2019 at 07:55 PM