



Myra W. Lewis

October 5, 1947 - April 5, 2023

Myra Lewis of Newport passed away at the University of Tennessee Medical Center on Wednesday April 5, 2023 after a lingering illness. She was born October 5, 1947. She was preceded in death by her parents Bill and Ruby Williamson.

She is survived by her husband of 57 years , Mike Lewis, son Rob and Deborah, son Will and Lea; grandsons Dylan, Jackson, Ty and Cameron; sister Kathy McCarter and brother Randall Smithpeters.

Myra was a devoted member of First Christian Church of Newport. She has spent her working career being a school teacher. She has taught from Cosby to Japan and back. She retired after teaching 30 years in third grade at Newport Grammar School. She was asked to return to teaching part time to teach children who had been affected by virtual classroom instruction due to the Covid isolation.

Her favorite pastime was activities with her family, especially her grandchildren. She is so missed by all who knew her.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to The First Christian Church Food Ministry.

Family will be receiving friends at Manes Funeral Home from 5-7 pm on Monday April 10 2023, followed by services at 7 pm on Monday. Entombment will be at 11 am on Tuesday April 11, 2023 in the Union Cemetery Mausoleum. Family and friends may sign the guest registry online at: www.manesfuneralhome.com

Arrangements with Manes Funeral Home, Newport, TN

Previous Events

Receiving Friends

APR 10. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Chapel
363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821

Funeral service

APR 10. 7:00 PM (ET)

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363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821

Entombment

APR 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Union Cemetery
Newport, TN

Tribute Wall



“ *Manes Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Myra W. Lewis*



Manes Funeral Home, Inc. - April 08, 2023 at 10:18 AM

JA

Mike I just saw this on manes' site. Wanted you to know how much I enjoyed working with Myra at NGS and hearing about your grandkids. I didn't know she was sick. I am sorry. Prayers for your family and comfort as you hold on to your memories of the good times. Sincerely Jane Allen and Creed

Jane Allen - April 16, 2023 at 10:19 PM

TD

“ *We were sorry to hear of Myra's passing. She was such a special lady. May you find comfort in your memories. Prayers for your family.*

Tommy & Terri Denton

Teresa Denton - April 12, 2023 at 09:15 AM

JF

“ *Mike and all the family, we are remembering you in our thoughts and prayers. Myra was a very special person and she will be missed. Love, James and Gail. Frisbee*

James and Gail Frisbee - April 11, 2023 at 06:07 PM

GA

“ Sorry family for your loss ☐



GailM - April 11, 2023 at 05:16 PM

RS

“ We are sorry for your loss. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers..It seems like it was just yesterday ,I saw her at family practice.



Rhonda Laws Sane

RHONDA L SANE - April 11, 2023 at 01:44 PM

RS

“ We are so sorry for your loss.I just saw her, the other day.Your family are in our thoughts and prayers..



RHONDA L SANE - April 11, 2023 at 12:38 PM

JY

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Sending lots of love and prayers during this difficult time.

Jared & Courtney Young - April 11, 2023 at 10:14 AM

PP

“ *May His love and His presence bring you peace and comfort.*

Pauline Proffitt - April 10, 2023 at 11:54 PM

DF

“ *My sincere condolences. Myra was loved by all who knew her. She was an amazing woman. May God bless you and your family with comfort and peace.*

Debbie Fullington - April 10, 2023 at 07:41 PM

CP

“ *So sorry we couldn't make it to the receiving of friends. We are so sorry for your loss. We love your family. Jack and Cheryl Presnell*

Cheryl Presnell - April 10, 2023 at 06:45 PM

KP

“ *Loved her so much! Sending tons of love and hugs!*

Katie Hurst Proffitt - April 10, 2023 at 05:31 PM

HM

“ *Myra was a former teacher of mine at NGS and I had the privilege of working with her the past few years. She was a very special lady to the NGS family and will be missed.*

Love & Prayers

Heather Mullins

Heather Mullins - April 10, 2023 at 04:18 PM

JL

“ Coach Mike, I am so sorry for your loss. Myra was an amazing person! I loved her and will miss her so much. Thank you for sharing her with me. You are forever in my prayers.

Jerrica Lane - April 10, 2023 at 02:18 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Myra W. Lewis.



April 10, 2023 at 01:24 PM

JS

“ Myra was a light to not only myself and family, but to the entire community. Mike, both you and she were such a comfort to me during my time of loss. Our hearts are with you and the family. Continued prayers from the Sutton family. We will be in touch soon. Grace and peace to you all.

Jared Sutton - April 10, 2023 at 12:31 PM

TF

“ May God hold you, help you, and see you through this difficult time. We cannot lose someone we love, for whoever touches our hearts deeply is a part of us forever. Myra touched many lives and will be missed greatly.

*With Heartfelt Deepest Sympathy,
Jabo & Tammy Francis
Smoky Mountain Home Health & Hospice
Jabo's Pharmacy*

Tammy Francis - April 10, 2023 at 11:11 AM

EA

“ My family was so sad to hear of Myra passing. She was so kind and thoughtful. I loved working with her at NGS and really enjoyed the days she volunteered when Cam and Ty were in 1st grade. Myra loved her grandchildren and spending time with them. Fishing or basketball games she was truly an amazing grandmother to them. She will be missed by so many. My son Addison loved her and enjoyed having her as his 3rd grade teacher. Prayers to your family during this time. - Emma & Shane Allen and children - Addison & Ellis

Emma & Shane Allen - April 10, 2023 at 10:50 AM

CC

“ Mike you and the family are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Carol Chason - April 10, 2023 at 09:30 AM

WW

“ Mike I am so sorry for your loss, Myra was a wonderful person, sending prayers.

Wilma Webb - April 09, 2023 at 10:15 PM

LC

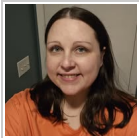
“ Mike,
You and your family are in our prayers.
Eric, LeAnn, & Davis Cooper

LeAnn Cooper - April 09, 2023 at 07:48 PM

LD

“ Mike and family, I'm was so very sorry to hear of Myra's passing. She was such a precious person, and her absence will be felt greatly by all who knew her. She was always went out of her way to be a thoughtful, and caring friend to me especially during the hard times. We shared so many happy times, and I will forever cherish the great memories we had teaching together. Will be praying for you all today, and in the days ahead. Sending thoughts and prayers.

Lynnette Denton - April 09, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Mike, I'm so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my prayers.

Carrie Williamson - April 09, 2023 at 02:16 AM

SM

“ Mike and family,
All of you are in our thoughts and prayers.
J and Susan Moser

Susan Laws Moser - April 08, 2023 at 10:48 PM

JM

“ Mike and family we are so sorry to hear of Myra passing. Your loss is great but may you find comfort in knowing that Myra is truly with Jesus now. We are sending prayers up for you all. Mike if you ever need someone to talk with who has been through what you are going through now or there is anything we can do, know that Jerry and I are here. In Christ Love, Jerry & Brenda McClanahan John 3:16

Jerry & Brenda McClanahan - April 08, 2023 at 09:35 PM

BS

“ Mike I just learned of your loss. Myra was a beautiful & sweet lady. I am so sorry. You & your family are in my prayers.
Brenda Shadden

Brenda Shadden - April 08, 2023 at 06:49 PM

MC

“ Very sorry for your loss!



Mitch Coakley - April 08, 2023 at 04:31 PM

JF

“ James. Gail Frisbee lit a candle in memory of Myra Lewis



James. and Gail Frisbee - April 08, 2023 at 03:18 PM

GK

“ Mike, we are so very sorry for your loss.
Prayers for the family,



Gary and Dot Kyker - April 08, 2023 at 02:19 PM

CB

“ Prayers for all

Connie, Marsha & Amy Ball - April 08, 2023 at 01:06 PM

CB

“ Our condolences & prayers for Mike, her children, grandchildren, Sister, brother & many many friends Myra had. She was indeed a wonderful beautiful lady. Praying for you all.

Connie, Marsha & Amy Ball - April 08, 2023 at 01:02 PM

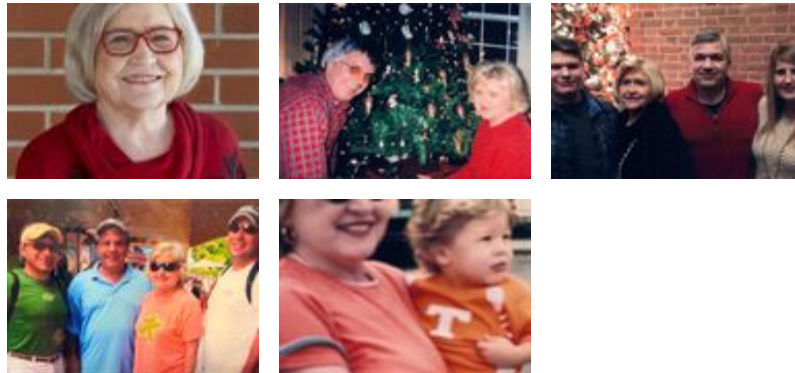
RR

“ Mike I'm so very sorry to see this. Myra was so precious. May God comfort your precious family during this very difficult time. Lots of prayers for all of you 🙏❤️🙏

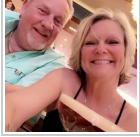
Rhonda Rice - April 08, 2023 at 10:49 AM



“ 89 files added to the album Life Tributes



Manes Funeral Home, Inc. - April 08, 2023 at 09:59 AM



“ Prayers for the family!



Jeff Kyker - April 08, 2023 at 08:56 AM

MC

“ Marty Coakley lit a candle in memory of Myra Lewis



Marty Coakley - April 08, 2023 at 05:08 AM

GC

“ So hated to hear about Myra. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time.
Gail Carver



Gail Carver - April 07, 2023 at 10:18 PM

M(

“ Myra was so special. To know her was to love her. She will be missed. Sending up prayers for Mike, Will, Rob, and her grandsons.

Morgan Askew (Payne) - April 07, 2023 at 09:35 PM

SO

“ Mike, Rob, Will, Kathy and all the family; I am sooo sorry to hear about Myra passing away. What a wonderful gift she had with children. As I think of all the lives Myra has touched along the way it is just beyond words. She will be missed so very much. I am so so sorry, and I am praying for God to give you comfort and strength in the coming days. Rest In Peace sweet Myra. 💔



Susie O'Dell - April 07, 2023 at 07:39 PM

NO

“ Nancy Owens sent a virtual gift in memory of Myra Lewis



Nancy Matthews Owens - April 07, 2023 at 06:15 PM

BS

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Myra's passing. My thoughts and sympathies are with the family.

Bernice Strickler - April 07, 2023 at 05:50 PM

SH

“ Our Deepest Sympathy
Doug & Joyce Shoemaker

Shoemaker - April 07, 2023 at 01:04 PM

JB

“ My prayers are with the family! Myra was a wonderful person and teacher. We are thankful for her years of service to so many in Newport.” *She Fought The Good Fight.*” She has a wonderful family! *Jeanne*

Jeanne Birdwell - April 07, 2023 at 01:00 PM

CW

“ So very sorry to hear of Myra's passing. She was my closest cousin growing up although I lived in Georgia. Such a great Christian and person. Her students and friends will carry her memory always.

Charles Williamson - April 07, 2023 at 12:52 PM

BD

“ Mike, Robbie, Will and grandsons so sorry for the loss of your love one , Myra. Just lean on God and he will give you strength and comfort for the grief you are facing now and the days to come.
Barbara Davis

Barbara Davis - April 07, 2023 at 12:37 PM

AD

“ So sorry for your loss. Myra was a sweet lady.

Amy Dorsey

Amy Dorsey - April 07, 2023 at 09:52 AM

BS

“ Mike , Rob, Will and all the family, we're so sorry for your loss. We're praying for you. With love and sympathy, *Bryce & Sherry*

Bryce & Sherry Strange - April 07, 2023 at 09:34 AM

BE

“ I'm sorry to hear of your loss. Myra was a beautiful dedicated person.

Betsy - April 07, 2023 at 08:49 AM

BE

“ Will, sorry to read about the passing of your mom. I know what you're going through. May God bring peace and comfort in your time of need. Love you, man.

Benjamin Evans - April 07, 2023 at 07:40 AM

BS

“ Mike, I am so sorry for your loss of Myra. She was such a lovely lady and so caring and kind. I loved her visits and to see the glow on her face when she spoke of her children and grand children. I know she was welcomed to her heavenly home, with many stars in her crown from the lives she had touched. Prayers for you and the family.

Betty Strange - April 07, 2023 at 06:59 AM

MS

“ Mike and family so sorry for your loss. My prayers and thoughts are with you all at this time. Another classmate gone to soon.



Maxine Clark Staton - April 06, 2023 at 09:42 PM

DO

“ Mike & family , so sorry to hear this news.
Praying that your precious memories bring
peace & comfort to each one as Gods arms
encircle you giving that peace and comfort
that only He can give. Many prayers



DotBarnes - April 06, 2023 at 09:30 PM

DW

“ prayers for the family

delmar williamson - April 06, 2023 at 08:44 PM

LH

“ Prayers!



Louise & Jimmy Hux - April 06, 2023 at 05:48 PM

SW

So sorry to hear about Myra, she was such a sweet, kind lady. Sandy
Webb

Sandra Webb - April 10, 2023 at 01:56 PM

WO

Prayers for you and the family.. Bill Oody

William Oody - April 13, 2023 at 11:24 AM