



Patricia "Patsy" Ottinger

August 22, 1937 - October 12, 2020

Patricia (Patsy) Ann Barnes Ottinger, 83 beloved mother and grandmother died October 12, 2020 surrounded by those she loved most at Johnson City Medical Center after a period of progressive declining health. In death she was reunited with her beloved husband L.B. in the presence Jesus and free from illness and infirmity. She was the daughter of the late Bruce and Eula McGaha Barnes of Newport. She was retired from BASF and was a member of Luther Memorial Church. Her retirement years were spent caring for her beloved grandchildren in their youth, gardening, and cooking, often for those in need. She loved Christmas all it means, decorating, but most making fudge delivering to friends. Her proudest role was that of a mother only second to a grandmother. She resided at Wellington Manor the last year of her life where she was an eager bingo and penny auction participant. Ironically, her most sought after prize was chocolate or winning a gift to give to her daughter. She is survived by her daughter Melissa Ottinger Leake, Johnson City, TN, son in law Greg Leake, her beloved grandsons Grayson and Grant Leake, sister Vivian Shults, sister in law Evelyn Barnes, numerous other extended family members, her beloved CCHS Class of 1957, a host of friends and son in love Jason Ramsey, Newport, TN.

It is impossible to list all those who offered aid during her years of illness. We will be forever grateful to Belinda Turner, her caregiver who added so much to momma's final years. Belinda's son Cole who became special to her. The staff at Wellington Manor who provided her with care and love. We are thankful to

the Tennova ER staff, Holston Valley Hospital W2 staff, Watauga Orthopedics, Quillen Rehab Hospital, The Waters Johnson City, Johnson City Medical Center 2200, The Inpatient Palliative Care Team at JCMC, Ballard Hospice, Johnson City Internal Medicine, SOFHA Hospitalist Division, Wilson Sav-Mor Drugs, Amy Love, and all those who have made our journey easier. Please accept our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for all you each have done.

Pallbearers will be Greg, Grayson, and Grant Leake, Jason Ramsey, Dean Shults, nephew, Steve Barnes, nephew, Truitt Ottinger, nephew, Rick Riddle, nephew. Honorary pallbearers Don Ball, Ronnie Laws and Carl Garner.

Memorial contributions can be made to Wellington Manor Newport in her memory. Donate activity prizes, chocolate candy treats, snacks and tell them Miss Patsy sent you.

Due to the pandemic a graveside service will be at Union Cemetery Sunday, October 18, 2020 at 2pm. Viewing and signing of guest registry can take place during Manes Funeral Home operational hours.

Family and friends may sign the guest register on line: www.manesfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Graveside

OCT 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

Union Cemetery Inc
420 Mineral St
Newport, TN 37821-3900
(423) 623-6918

Tribute Wall



“ *Manes Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Patricia "Patsy" Ottinger*



Manes Funeral Home, Inc. - October 14, 2020 at 05:13 PM

LC

So sorry @ Your Momma Melissa ❤️ and 🙏

Lisa (Hicks) Cradic - October 15, 2020 at 11:40 AM

DB

Dear Melissa, my heart goes out to you and all your family for your Mom. The photo tribute is "so special" and yes, she made the best fudge ever!

*May the Lord comfort you,
for He surely strengthened you to be the best daughter ever, to a Mother who loved you so very much.*

*Blessings and love,
Danese Barnes 🕊️💖🕊️*

Danese Barnes - October 15, 2020 at 09:29 PM

CA

Melissa, sending prayers for peace and comfort during this time to you and your family.

Carole Colbaugh

Carole - October 15, 2020 at 10:14 PM

PW

Melissa, our family sends you and your family prayerful support during this time.

Earl and Inez Phillips, Patti Phillips Woodbury

Patti Woodbury - October 16, 2020 at 08:01 AM

BS

Dear Melissa my heart hurts for you and your family! The loss of your mother is so hard but I can tell you have so many wonderful memories of her and I could see the love you felt for each other! Remember we love you and you are our angel!

Brenda Shelton - October 17, 2020 at 02:22 PM

AM

So sorry for your loss, Missy. Prayers for you all.

Amy Allen MacDonald

Amy Allen MacDonald - October 18, 2020 at 09:55 AM

PL

Dear Melissa, I pray that God gives you His strength, comfort, and peace during this time of grief. I love seeing the pictures of all the wonderful memories that you and your family have made through the years with your mom and dad. Just know you and your family are in our prayers.

Penny Lowe

Penny Lowe - October 18, 2020 at 10:20 PM

SO

Dear Melissa, praying for you and your sweet family. So sorry for your loss. Martha Sams and Sandra Osterhaus

Sandra Osterhaus - October 19, 2020 at 10:57 AM



“ *Patricia "Patsy" Ottinger*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM

EM

“ Melissa , sorry about the loss of your mom . I always loved waiting on your mom & dad at the bank . She road the Enka bus with my dad & always had something to say about those trips . Prayers for you & the rest of the family. Liz McNabb

Elizabeth McNabb - October 27, 2020 at 05:31 PM

DL

“ Patsy was a very caring person. As we were at the Beauty Shop talking about fresh picked blackberries, I told her of Andy,s love of Blackberry Dumplins & Blackberry Jam. One day Amy came to our home-with several gallon of fresh picked Blackberries. Thank You Patsy so very much for helping me keep a smile on my little boy's face. Love You, Debbie Landers



Debbie Landers - October 20, 2020 at 09:23 PM



“ I will miss Pasty asking for chocolate pie when we would go out to lunch from Wellington Manor. Her friends Edna and Dub Vinson and Doris Waltz would like you to know they will miss dining and playing bingo with her.

Hollie Withey - October 18, 2020 at 07:56 PM

RO

“ Prayers for this living family who is dear to me. God please place your arms around each and help them make it through this most difficult time

Rhonda Cates Ottinger - October 18, 2020 at 10:14 AM

MC

“ Sending heartfelt sympathy to all the family and loved ones. We are sorry for your loss. Prayers for family and friends.

Jay & Mary Ann Chrisman

Mary Chrisman - October 17, 2020 at 08:45 PM

MG

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for your family.

Mark Grigsby - October 16, 2020 at 11:07 PM

PB

“ Prayers and comfort for the family in the days to come. My thoughts are with you during this difficult time. Rest in peace Patsy.

Paula Bearden - October 16, 2020 at 01:37 PM

LG

“ We are so very sorry to hear about Patsy. She was such a nice lady. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Please let us know if we can help in any way.

Wilson s Sav Mor family

LISA GILES - October 16, 2020 at 09:46 AM

DB

“ Dear Melissa..so sorry about Patsy,but the time comes to all of us.I'm sure she and Mama are talking now and having a great time along with all the others that have gone on! I remember her so well at the family reunion how much we all enjoyed our time together and her good cooking..We love you Melissa and your family...we're family and always will be..❤️

Donn &Annette Berney - October 16, 2020 at 12:23 AM

LD

“ *Sincere Condolences*

Matthew 5:4

Bud & Linda Dawson



Linda Dawson - October 15, 2020 at 11:55 AM

CE

“ *Melissa,
Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Patsy's smile and
laughter will never be forgotten by anyone that had the pleasure of
meeting her. There could never be any doubt how much she loved
you and those grandsons. May those precious memories give you
comfort in the days ahead.*

*Much love your cousin,
Camilla Ball Elderkin*

Camilla Elderkin - October 15, 2020 at 09:39 AM

SG

“ *I had the pleasure of taking care of Ms. Patsy several times over the
years during her stays at The Waters. I always enjoyed talking and
joking with Patsy. She was a joy to be with. Melissa she was so so
proud of you and your boys. You are in my prayers.*

Selena Gouge

Selena Gouge - October 15, 2020 at 03:12 AM

TB

“ *Love you Patsy, You now can tell everyone you changed my diaper
in heaven, I'll never forget you. Terry Brockwell*

Terry Brockwell - October 14, 2020 at 09:00 PM

SW

“ Patsy you were such a blessing to take care of. You were so greatly loved and you always will be. Fly high beautiful.



Savana Weekley - October 14, 2020 at 08:09 PM

CR

“ Prayers for family and friends



Cookie Ramsey - October 14, 2020 at 07:57 PM

PA

“ Melissa and I have been good friends for many years. I first met her when we both lived in Montrose Court in Johnson City. I would go to Newport with her on some weekends. Patsy and L.B. (and Melissa's grandmother) always made me feel welcome as they opened their home to me. I looked forward to going there. I always enjoyed being with Patsy on different occasions, mainly family. I have such good memories of her.

I enjoyed looking at the photos. They brought back a lot of memories.

Thinking of you, Greg, Grayson and Grant.

Pat

Pat - October 14, 2020 at 06:11 PM

AB

“ *Much love to Missy and family*❤️

Abby Balch - October 14, 2020 at 05:55 PM

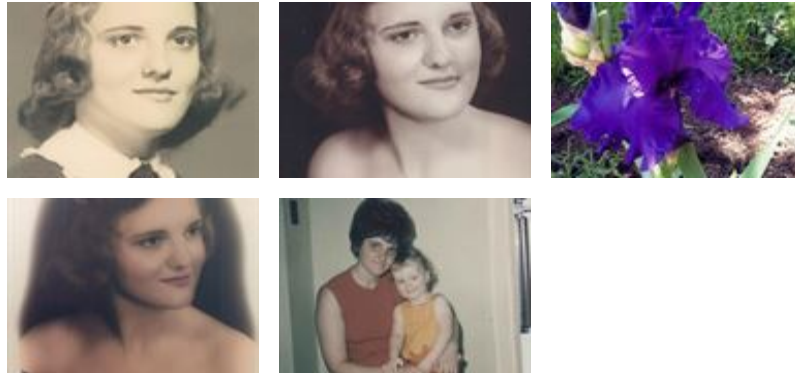
DO

“ *Always enjoyed seeing Patsy at her class reunion. The Class of 57 is so special. She will be missed.*

Duay O'Neil - October 14, 2020 at 05:28 PM



“ *58 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Manes Funeral Home, Inc. - October 14, 2020 at 05:11 PM


Heather
Holland

“ *Melissa and Family- you all showed your love to your precious Mama throughout her wonderful and difficult times. She loved and raised you all so well. I know your hearts are broken and relieved she is finally at rest. Bless her and bless all of you. Heather and Jack Holland*

Heather Holland - October 14, 2020 at 04:17 PM