



Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite

December 15, 1951 - March 14, 2023

Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite, age 71, of Hodgesville, passed away on Tuesday, March 14, 2023, at her home with her loving husband beside her. She was born on December 15, 1951, to the late Robert W. and Naomi Wamsley, who survives.

During her childhood, Patsy lived in Valley Bend, WV, attending the Homestead School and graduated Tygart Valley High School in 1969. She graduated from the WV Beauty Academy in 1970. On December 16, 1971, Patsy married her high school sweetheart and the love of her life, Chris Hite. They welcomed two daughters, Anissa and Tracy to their loving family. As an active and caring mother, Patsy volunteered with her daughters' activities by being a Girl Scout leader, part of their sports booster programs, and being the biggest supporter of them. Patsy was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and the Upshur County Shrine Club Auxiliary. Patsy was a Methodist by faith. Patsy's creativity shown through her gardening, landscaping, and woodworking. Her spirit was reflected in her beautiful smile, her quick laugh, and her kind words. Patsy's strength was shown every day of her life. Before children, she was a beautician. After the girls were older, Patsy worked at Aladdin Foods at Wesleyan College for ten years and retired from WVU St. Joseph's Hospital after eleven years of service.

In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by her brothers: Bob and Carl Wamsley; her brothers-in-law: Luther Siler and Butch Nice; her nephew and niece Billy and Susanna Forinash; her father-in-law Shirley P. Hite; her

mother-in-law Mary F. Hite; and sister-in-law Linda F. Hite. Patsy will be missed by all that knew her. Those who will miss her the most are her loving family—her husband of 51 years Chris Hite; her mother Naomi Wamsley; her daughters: Anissa (John) Davis and Tracy (Billy) Hurst; her grandchildren: Cara (Jared) Carpenter, Cassie (Tim Wagoner) Davis, Jordan (Brent) Sines, Kyndal Davis, Abby Hurst and Baylee Hurst; great grandchildren: Bryson and Abbi Waugh, John Ryan and Josey Mae Carpenter; sisters: Diane Siler, Donna (Mark) Forinash, Joyce Nice, Connie Wamsley, and Beverly Wamsley; siblings by marriage: Steve Hite and Cindy (Bob Beverly) Hite; nieces and nephews she dearly loved: Jennifer (Christopher) Tapier, Kathy (Patrick) Rupinen, William and Morgan Wamsley, Brian Nice, Amanda (Lucas) Griffin, Justin Wamsley, Leigh Carder, Kayleen (Keith) Sears, Austin Carder, Tyler Jackson, Makenzie Jackson, Michael (Desi) Hite, and Courtney (Sandeep Vennam) Hite.

The family will receive friends at the Heavner & Cutright Funeral Chapel on Friday, March 17, 2023, from 11:00 AM-1:00 PM, the funeral hour. Interment will follow in the Buckhannon Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Upshur-Lewis Animal Control Facility, 318 Mud Lick Road, Buckhannon, WV 26201.

Cemetery Details

Buckhannon Memorial Park

505 Hall Road
Buckhannon, WV 26201
(304) 472-1651

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 17. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Heavner & Cutright Funeral Chapel
940 Route 20 South Road
Buckhannon, WV 26201

Funeral

MAR 17. 1:00 PM (ET)

Heavner & Cutright Funeral Chapel
940 Route 20 South Road
Buckhannon, WV 26201

Tribute Wall

TM

“ Troy And Bobbie McCauley sent a virtual gift in memory of Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite



Troy and Bobbie McCauley - March 17, 2023 at 11:45 AM

SD

“ My prayers are with the entire family. Patsy was a beautiful person, inside and out who had an infectious smile. May God be with you all. Susan Davis

Susan Davis - March 17, 2023 at 10:32 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite.



March 16, 2023 at 02:05 PM

SH

“ For Chris, your children, for Diana, and her mother and family .. My sympathy to each of you for the loss of Patsy. We shared some great times in the TVHS band. She guided us through many parades as head majorette. I'll remember her kindness and ever-present smile.

Sincerely,
Sheila Stalnaker Himes

Sheila Himes - March 16, 2023 at 01:53 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite.*



March 16, 2023 at 12:18 PM



“ *Our hearts go out to Chris and the friends and family of Patsy. Each of you are in our thoughts and prayers. We will always remember the kindness that Patsy shared with everyone she met.*



*Until we meet again,
Brie Hoffman & Corey Boyles*

Brie Hoffman - March 16, 2023 at 10:37 AM

RH

“ Our hearts are broken over the loss of Patsy. I told everyone that we have the best neighbors you could ever ask for. They were much more than neighbors to us. I could always count on Patsy to watch over things and intercept my dogs, Peanut and Case when they would come down for a visit. They loved visiting Patsy so this happened all too often. I would look out the window and catch her playing ball with Case or carrying Peanut up the driveway. Our kids also loved her and enjoyed taking the Christmas package over to them at Christmas time. After the older kids left, Janson would stand at the bus stop by himself, but I always knew that Patsy was watching out the window and looking out for him after I had already left for work. When the weather was nice, we would meet out in the driveway and catch up on what was happening in the neighborhood and with our families. Patsy was a beautiful person and I feel blessed to have known her in this life.



Hugs and Prayers to Chris and the girls. I know there is a huge hole in your family now because Patsy was so much to so many. We are here for whatever you guys need. Much love, Renee Hoffman

Renee Hoffman - March 16, 2023 at 10:21 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray* was purchased for the family of Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite.



March 16, 2023 at 09:56 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite.*



March 16, 2023 at 05:25 AM



“ *Chris. So sorry for y o ur loss. Your in my thought and prayer for comfort and peace. Pasty was a wonderful lady. She always had a kind word and smile. God Bless You.*

Joan knight - March 15, 2023 at 10:38 PM



“ *Betsy Arbogast lit a candle in memory of Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite*



Betsy Arbogast - March 15, 2023 at 10:36 PM



“ *Philip And Amby Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite*



Philip and Amby Jenkins - March 15, 2023 at 09:43 PM

PJ

Chris and girls. We couldn't have any better neighbors and will miss Patsy's endless energy working in the yard and her infectious smile. She was always very kind to us. We truly respected and admired her. Our hearts are very sad for her passing and our thoughts and prayers are with you. Philip and Amby

Philip and Amby Jenkins - March 15, 2023 at 09:47 PM

SG

“ I remember Patsy very well. She was so kind and caring. She loved her family. I lived in Hodgesville beside her and her family for several years. When I was younger I would go to her house and play with the girls. They would come to my house as well. She will sadly be missed. My Condolences to Chris, the girls and the entire family during this time. RIP Patsy, until we meet again.

Susan Grasty - March 15, 2023 at 09:21 PM

GF

“ Chris and family, so sorry to hear of your loss. Will certainly miss her smile at the car shows. Prayers are with you.

Gary and Sarah Frush

Gary Frush - March 15, 2023 at 08:16 PM

GJ

“ We are so very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the whole family.

George and Janice Jenkins

George Jenkins - March 15, 2023 at 07:24 PM

AC

“ *Patsy will be remembered for her kind soul. She offered comfort to patients and staff every day. Love from Ann and Larry Chidester* ”

Ann Chidester - March 15, 2023 at 04:17 PM

SH

“ *So sorry to hear of Patsy's passing. I can't begin to tell how sad I feel. She was always so kind and friendly. She will be missed by all.* ”

Sherry Harris - March 15, 2023 at 08:39 PM



“ *Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite.* ”



March 15, 2023 at 03:30 PM

DS

“ *Donna Small lit a candle in memory of Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite* ”



Donna Small - March 15, 2023 at 03:20 PM

DS

“ *Chris and family, truly sorry for your loss. Our prayers and thoughts are with you all. Debbie and Paul Samargo* ”

debra samargo - March 15, 2023 at 03:12 PM

JF

“ Jenny & Chris Tapia & family. purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Patsy R. (Wamsley) Hite.



Jenny & Chris Tapia & family. - March 15, 2023 at 02:44 PM

KP

“ My heart is so saddened to hear of Patsy passing away. She was one in a million!!! Her shoes will never be completely filled at STJH; she was the sweetest and most caring concierge! My life is richer today because of Patsy and her friendship! Prayers and love to you Anissa and your family.

Karen Persinger - March 15, 2023 at 02:24 PM

RL

We are so very sorry to hear of Patty's death. Prayers for the family.

Rod & Pam Lloyd - March 15, 2023 at 06:46 PM

PC

I have so many childhood memories of first cousin Patsy and siblings - at Grandma Wamsley's in Huttonsville and at her home in Valley Bend. I envied their large family. She always had a special place in my heart although we didn't see each other much in later years. I am proud of the love so many had for sweet Patsy. Prayers for the family. Pam Craig, Waynesboro Va.

Pam Craig - March 15, 2023 at 07:50 PM

AW

“ I worked with Patsy at Aladdin Food Service WVWC. Patsy was always smiling and always helping others. When I took my daughter to St. Joseph's Hospital Emergency as a child I knew Patsy's kind face would be the first I saw. I am sending up prayers for strength for her family at this difficult time. She will be missed.



Ann Wilson - March 15, 2023 at 02:04 PM

MW

So sorry Chris and family at the passing of your lovely wife, mother, and grandmother. Patsy was an amazing high school class member and great friend. Can't imagine the pain of your loss. Praying for strength, comfort, and peace beyond understanding in this time of mourning. Love to all. Mike Ware

Mike Ware - March 15, 2023 at 07:30 PM

WS

Deepest Sympathy to the family. Wib and Sandy Smith

Wib Smith - March 15, 2023 at 08:22 PM

BW

Chris and girls , I'm so sorry to hear about Patsy..... You and Patsy were such good friends.....I always thought a lot of you both.....We had a lot of good times back in our earlier yrs....PRAYING FOR YOU ALL 🙏❤️

Barbara Mooney Wilson - March 15, 2023 at 11:36 PM

LC

Sorry to hear of the passing of my 1st cousin Patsy. Growing up, my family would visit the Wamsley home in West Virginia. I always enjoyed playing with all of my cousins in this large family Robert and Naomi Wamsley Household. Patsy will be missed me and my sister Janet and other cousins living Virginia.

Larry Collins - March 16, 2023 at 01:30 PM