



Vonda Dee Allman

May 17, 1962 - January 17, 2025

Vonda Dee Allman age 62, of Buckhannon, died on Friday, January 17, 2025, at her home. She was born in Weston, WV on May 17, 1962, a daughter of the late Lytle Lee Batten and Olive Montgomery Batten who survives in Buckhannon. Vonda was united in marriage on February 28, 1981, to Michael Allman who survives. In addition to her mother and her husband, she is survived by one daughter, Adrienne McVey and husband Steve of Buckhannon and one son, Zachary Allman and wife Wendy of Buckhannon; three loving grandchildren: Adelaide McVey, Mia and Kathryn Allman; one brother, Lytle L. Batten, II of Clendenin, WV; two sisters: Fonda Holehouse of Detroit Lakes, Minnesota, Melissa Bolosan and husband Keone of Morgantown, WV; four sisters-in-law: Dawn Batten of Hanover, MD, Sue and husband Lew Petonick of Fairmont, Linda Browning of Lawrence, Kansas, and Judi and husband Les Lockhart of St. Augustine, Florida; many special nieces and nephews, cousins and a few aunts and uncles also survive. She was preceded in death by her father, one brother Andrew Clay Batten, her father and mother-in-law Eugene and Betty Allman, and a brother-in-law Mike Browning.

Vonda was a 1980 graduate of Buckhannon-Upshur High School and a 1982 graduate of Fairmont State. She was employed as a Lab Tech at St. Joseph's Hospital for twenty-five years. Her coworkers were lifelong friends. She also cherished her time as a youth leader and teacher as a member of South Buckhannon Mission Church. She loved to take pictures and was an avid

animal lover. Vonda was happiest when spending time with her family and was so proud of each of them. Her favorite role was becoming Nanny to her three precious granddaughters, whom she loved dearly.

Friends will be received at the Heavner and Cutright Funeral Chapel on Tuesday, January 21, 2025, from 4-6:00 PM, the funeral hour with Pastor Ed Lowther officiating. Following the services, the family has honored her wishes for cremation. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to WVU Children's Hospital at 1 Medical Center Drive, Morgantown, WV 26506.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 21. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral

JAN 21. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JM

“ Dear Olive, Lytle and all family, We just saw the obituary this afternoon (1-22) otherwise we would have made contact. We are so shocked & saddened with this post. Like all the Batten family she was very special to all who made her acquaintance. Thoughts, prayers & sincere condolences. Jim & Pat Marsh

Jim & Pat Marsh - January 22, 2025 at 02:13 PM

JH

“ Olive, Mike, Adrienne, Zack, and other family members, Penny and I are sending our most sincere condolences. Everyone is in our thoughts and prayers. John and Penny

John and Penny Haymond - January 22, 2025 at 12:23 PM

RW

“ To Olive, Adrienne Zach and family, Patty and I send our deepest condolences. Vonda was a lovely person who will be deeply missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Roy Wager - January 22, 2025 at 11:35 AM

DH

“ Vonda was a lovely person...as is the entire family.

Dauna Hawkins - January 21, 2025 at 04:35 PM

MH

“ Olive, Mike and Adrienne, Our memories of Vonda go back years. We are praying for God's love and comfort to uphold you during this time. I remember when I was in the hospital and she came to draw blood. She drew the 1st tube and had to wait awhile for the 2nd. We talked about our softball days to adulthood. She loved her family with her whole heart. **CHERISH THE MEMORIES!**



Mary and Buster Hyre - January 21, 2025 at 01:40 PM

JF

“ John and Tyler Burnette and Family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.



John and Tyler Burnette and Family - January 21, 2025 at 10:36 AM

DB

“ Olive, Rick and the family, I just wish to share my condolences to you and pray for your comfort in God's will.

Dolores Potts Boyles - January 21, 2025 at 10:13 AM

RE

“ Rick, Angela, and Jason Ellison purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.



Rick, Angela, and Jason Ellison - January 21, 2025 at 09:53 AM

RE

“ Rick, Angela, and Jason Ellison purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.



Rick, Angela, and Jason Ellison - January 21, 2025 at 09:53 AM

PM

“ My condolences to all of Vonda’s family. I have very fond memories of Vonda. She was great fun and so bright . I will always remember her feisty personality, strong character, and zest for life. One of my lasting memories of her was her climbing up the basketball hoop, shimmying back down at a track practice at BUJHS while constantly talking about Mike Allman. (Who knew her deep crush would be a lifetime bond.) it was so funny. She was great gal, she will be missed.

Pam Martin - January 21, 2025 at 09:32 AM

MM

“ Matt and Jenny McVey purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.



Matt and Jenny McVey - January 21, 2025 at 08:34 AM

TT

“ *The Deep Well Services Team purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.*



The Deep Well Services Team - January 20, 2025 at 10:56 PM

CJ

“ *Chuck & Cheryl Johnson purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.*



Chuck & Cheryl Johnson - January 20, 2025 at 09:31 PM

NB

“ *Holding you and your family in my prayers. God has His loving arms around you for strength and comfort.*

Nancy Bradshaw - January 20, 2025 at 08:14 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.*



January 20, 2025 at 12:32 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Vonda Dee Allman.*

January 20, 2025 at 12:32 PM

FJ

“ I am so very sorry to hear of Vonda’s passing. Keeping you in prayer.

Felicia Burger (Westfall) Johnston - January 20, 2025 at 10:06 AM

JM

“ Joshua Morgan purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.



Joshua Morgan - January 20, 2025 at 09:29 AM

HE

“ Hickory Energy purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.



Hickory Energy - January 20, 2025 at 08:13 AM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.



January 20, 2025 at 07:51 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Vonda Dee Allman.

January 20, 2025 at 07:51 AM



“ Vonda always had a winning smile and a pleasant word, whether at work or in the community. I enjoyed working with her through the 4-H program.

Joseph Reed MD - January 19, 2025 at 08:52 PM



“ Cathy & Jim Vance lit a candle in memory of Vonda Dee Allman



Cathy & Jim Vance - January 19, 2025 at 02:51 PM



Sending our condolences to your family.

Cathy - January 19, 2025 at 02:53 PM



“ To all those who knew and loved Vonda, my most sincere sympathies. Knew Vonda from our time working at SJH. Loved her laughter and smile. She will be missed by so many.

Janet Stump - January 19, 2025 at 02:18 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.*



January 19, 2025 at 01:47 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Vonda Dee Allman.

January 19, 2025 at 01:47 PM



“ *Please accept my sincere condolences in the passing of Vonda. May Our Heavenly Father Bring You Peace and Hold You Close during these difficult days. Olive, you are in my thoughts and prayers, I especially send my love and sympathy to you, my friend.*

Millie McGee Beer

Beer Mildred M. - January 19, 2025 at 01:28 PM



My Love, thoughts and prayers are with all those all of the family. Phyllis Sadler

Phyllis Kesling Sadler - January 19, 2025 at 03:25 PM



Thoughts and prayers for you and family.

Carol Biser - January 20, 2025 at 09:21 AM

YF

“ Your Arsenal family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.



Your Arsenal family - January 19, 2025 at 11:37 AM

YF

“ Your Arsenal family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Vonda Dee Allman.

Your Arsenal family - January 19, 2025 at 11:37 AM

RP

“ Mike, I'm so sorry to hear of this. My deepest condolences to you and your family.

Rob Posey

Rob Posey - January 19, 2025 at 11:21 AM

MF

“ Matilda (Tillie) Fowler lit a candle in memory of Vonda Dee Allman



Matilda (Tillie) Fowler - January 19, 2025 at 10:27 AM

MF

Adrienne McVay & Family: Such a beautiful soul gone too soon. When I worked at St. Joe's, she always greeted everyone with a wonderful, genuine smile, and I don't remember her ever having a bad word to say about anyone.

Matilda (Tillie) Fowler - January 19, 2025 at 10:31 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.*



January 19, 2025 at 09:43 AM

CB

“ *Cathy Bonner lit a candle in memory of Vonda Dee Allman*



Cathy Bonner - January 19, 2025 at 09:31 AM

SF

“ *Mike and family,
I am so sorry for your loss. May she rest in peace. I dont really have any memories of Vonda. I just seen her once in awhile. The Lord has her now wrapping his arms around her. Remember the good times. Sharon McQuain Fawley*



Sharon McQuain Fawley - January 19, 2025 at 08:26 AM

JL

“ So sorry for your loss

john layman - January 19, 2025 at 05:19 AM

LB

“ Prayers going up .. May God be with Mike and the family ...



Lynda braden - January 19, 2025 at 01:25 AM

KE

“ Karen Elbon lit a candle in memory of Vonda Dee Allman



Karen Elbon - January 18, 2025 at 11:20 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Vonda Dee Allman.



January 18, 2025 at 10:01 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Vonda Dee Allman.

January 18, 2025 at 10:01 PM

CP

“ Mike, Adrienne, Zach and family, you are all in our thoughts and prayers. We are so very sorry for your loss. Vonda had a contagious laugh that would light up a room and a zest for life; such amazing gifts to pass on to each of you. May God hold you close during this time and know we love you all.

Clay and Karen Persinger - January 18, 2025 at 09:38 PM

PT

“ Very sorry to see she's gone. My son and her daughter were in school together. Even Wee Care Daycare I think. Sympathy to her Mom. Patricia Tolliver

Patricia Tolliver - January 18, 2025 at 09:34 PM

PL

“ So very sorry to hear of Vonda passing. Many prayers for her family!

pamela lemons - January 18, 2025 at 09:23 PM

DG

“ Mike , Zach and Adrienne , We are so sorry for your loss.

Dewain and Janet Gregory - January 18, 2025 at 08:05 PM