



Wilma Mattingly

February 24, 1952 - June 7, 2025

To join the livestream of Wilma's service, please select the link below. The livestream will begin at 12:55 P.M. Wednesday, June 11, 2025. The service broadcast will be archived for 90 days from the date of the service for later viewing.

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Wilma Helen (McNeece) Mattingly, age 73 years, a resident of Metropolis, Illinois and a former resident of the Belknap community since February 1973, passed away Saturday morning, June 7, 2025, at 12:05 A.M. at the Ray and Kay Eckstein Hospice Care Center in Paducah, Kentucky.

Wilma was born February 24, 1952 in Jacksonville, Illinois. She was the daughter of William H. McNeece and Bertha Eunice (McGee) McNeece.

On March 1, 1970, she was united in marriage to Donald Stanley Mattingly in Winchester, Illinois. He preceded her in death on October 9, 2017.

Wilma is survived by: daughters – Terry Lynn Bullock of Simpson, Illinois, Rhonda Jean Johnson of Clarksville, Tennessee, Sheila (James) Hughey of Carbondale, Illinois, Elizabeth (Jason) Pritchett of Metropolis, Illinois, Dawn (Lee Brown) Smith of Carbondale, Illinois, and Amelia (Edward) Avilia of

Metropolis, Illinois; grandchildren – Brenda (David) Rushing of Stonefort, Illinois, Bill (Nora) Bullock of Golconda, Illinois, Brannon Bullock of Washington, Becky Johnson of Metropolis, Illinois, Amanda Johnson of Carbondale, Illinois, Eric (Lindsey) Johnson of Clarksville, Tennessee, Zachary Hughey of Carbondale, Illinois, Coty (Chrissy) Fowler of Metropolis, Illinois, Kortney Fowler of Metropolis, Illinois, Alysha (Brandon) Stoos of Eldorado, Illinois, Keesha (William) Lo of Carbondale, Illinois, Christopher (Ashley) Smith of East Prairie, Missouri, Debora Loveless of Carbondale, Illinois, Melissa Smith of Mayfield, Kentucky, Kimberley Brown of Metropolis, Illinois, and Jessie Stevens of North Carolina; great grandchildren – Tonyi (John) Patton, Diedre (Jesse) Breese, Marcy Collison, Michael Bullock, Emily Johnson, Natalie Johnson, Holly Bullock, Brannon Bullock, Garrett Dupong, Levi Dupong, Sienna Reeder, Gracie Jo Reeder, A.J. Delacruz, Kameron Fowler, Hunter Fowler, Nikki Tuntland, Blake Tuntland, Easton Fowler, Myra Nicole Kimmins, Aniyeah Brown, Samuel Loveless, Samora Loveless, Iris Rose Smith, and Elias William Johnson; great-great grandchildren – Haley, Brooklyn, Lexi, Landon, Brantley, Sophia, Isabella, Addison, Anastasia, Benjamin, and Tobias; 4 sisters – Irma (Richard) Craig of Washington, Illinois, Gladys Janic of Jacksonville, Illinois, Angela (Jim) Thompson of Olds, Iowa, and Shari (Irvin) Angelly of Jacksonville, Illinois; 4 brothers – William H. McNeese of Winchester, Illinois, Leland (Cyndi) McNeece of Port St. Lucie, Florida, Jess McNeece of Creve Coeur, Illinois, and John McNeece of Karnak, Illinois; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and many friends.

In addition to her parents and husband, Wilma was preceded in death by: a son – Stanley Eugene Mattingly; a sister – Beverly Dawn McNeece; her grandparents – John and Laura (Trent) McGee and George & Myrtle (Howitt) McNeese; a grandson – Stephen Todd Smith; a great granddaughter – Omunique Kimmins; 2 sons-in-law – William Joseph Johnson and Orval Wayne Bullock; sister-in-law – Bonnie Brown; as well as several aunts, uncles

and cousins.

Wilma was a 1970 graduate of Winchester (Illinois) High School. She was employed by Com-Pac, Inc in Carbondale, Illinois for 38 years, prior to her retirement. Wilma worked in the office performing clerical duties and was the purchase order agent.

Wilma enjoyed bowling, reading, and making handcrafted crochet items. She was also a devoted student of genealogy and family history.

Wilma was a parishioner of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church in Metropolis.

A service honoring the life of Wilma McNeece Mattingly will be conducted Wednesday afternoon, June 11, 2025, at 1 P.M. at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. Father Christian Iwuagwu will officiate.

Burial will be in the Kerley Cemetery in the Flatwoods community.

Visitation will be held Wednesday, June 11, 2025, from 10 A.M. until the service hour at 1 P.M. at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the Kerley Cemetery Fund c/o Donnie Morris, 146 Bull Pen Road, Simpson, IL 62985.

To share a memory of Wilma or to leave an online message of condolence for her family, please visit www.baileyfh.com

Arrangements have been entrusted to Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Cemetery Details

Kerley Cemetery

Kerley Lane
Simpson, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 11. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home
705 North First Street
PO Box 695
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Tribute Wall

JH

“ I am sorry to hear that Wilma is gone.
I grew up around her kids Sheila & I went to school together,my
grandma flossie Higgins & I woul d get invited for supper,her
spaghetti was great ,taste good,so many good memories around the
family.praying for the family." May God be with you now & always"
Miss you Wilma.

Joy Higgins - July 03, 2025 at 08:40 PM

KF

“ Kelly Mattingly Frederick purchased the Country
Basket Blooms for the family of Wilma Mattingly.



Kelly Mattingly Frederick - June 10, 2025 at 04:24 PM

KF

“ Kelly Mattingly Frederick planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilma Mattingly.

Kelly Mattingly Frederick - June 10, 2025 at 04:24 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the
family of Wilma Mattingly.



June 10, 2025 at 02:18 PM

EK

“ Elizabeth Kerley lit a candle in memory of Wilma Mattingly



Elizabeth Kerley - June 08, 2025 at 07:16 PM

TR

“ Teresa Richerson lit a candle in memory of Wilma Mattingly



Teresa Richerson - June 08, 2025 at 03:01 PM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Wilma Mattingly.



June 08, 2025 at 12:17 PM



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

June 08, 2025 at 12:17 PM

JS

“ John Slack sent a virtual gift in memory of Wilma Mattingly



John Slack - June 08, 2025 at 10:06 AM

LJ

“ I remember visiting with all my McNeece cousins as a child. They always seemed so enthusiastic and active. Wilma Helen as I knew her then was so beautiful and so kind to a little girl who thought she was so beautiful and grown up.

Laura McGee Jones - June 07, 2025 at 10:20 PM

PW

“ Prayer for the family



pat womack - June 07, 2025 at 09:08 PM

DF

“ David, Brenda, girls and their families purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Wilma Mattingly.



David, Brenda, girls and their families - June 07, 2025 at 07:58 PM

DF

“ *David, Brenda, girls and their families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilma Mattingly.*

David, Brenda, girls and their families - June 07, 2025 at 07:58 PM