



## Cathy Marie Sparks

August 27, 1953 - November 5, 2014

Cathy Marie Sparks, age 61 of Squire, WV died Wednesday, November 5, 2014 at Wake Forest Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem, NC. She was born August 27, 1953 at Squire, WV and was a daughter of the late Frank C. and Vera Smith Fowler. She was a member of the 1971 graduating class of Big Creek High School. Cathy loved life and was very active in her community; she volunteered at the House of Hope Food Bank, was a Football Booster, was a member of the PTO, and she belonged to the Ellison Rebekah Lodge #90 in Squire, WV. Cathy had a passion for playing BINGO. She was of the Christian faith and attended the Salvation Praise Center in the Riverjack section of North Tazewell, VA.

Those left to cherish her memories include her husband of forty-three years, Robert L. Sparks; three daughters, Leslie Marie Cheatham and husband, Rodney of Appomattox, VA, Beverly Anne Sparks and husband, Anthony of Squire, WV and Angela Christine Sparks of the home; two sisters, Joyce Shumate and husband, Richard and Jenny Blankenship and husband, David both of Bluefield, VA; two brothers, Charles Fowler and wife, Betty of Squire, WV and Roger Fowler of Bluewell, WV; five grandchildren, Robin and Ashlee Evans, James Robert "Jim-Bob" Sparks, Eric Cheatham and Haleigh Sparks; several nieces, nephews, other family members and friends also survive.

Funeral services for Cathy Marie Sparks will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, November 8, 2014 at the Hurst – Scott Funeral Home Chapel in Tazewell, VA with the Rev. Wade Quesenberry and the Rev. George

Masterson officiating. The members of Rebekah Lodge District #29 will conduct the Rebekah service. Burial will follow at Grandview Memory Gardens in Bluefield, VA. Friends and family will serve as pallbearers. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 6 – 9 p.m. Friday, November 7, 2014.

In addition to floral expressions, the family request memorial donations be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital: 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Hurst – Scott Funeral Home in Tazewell, VA is serving the family of Mrs. Sparks and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Grandview Memory Gardens

38659 Gov . G.C. Peery Hwy  
Bluefield, VA 24605

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 7. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home of Tazewell  
870 Main Street  
Tazewell, VA 24651  
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

## Service

NOV 8. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Cathy Marie Sparks*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Cathy Marie Sparks*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Nana, I miss you so much. I miss you more and more as each day goes by. I miss you waking me up in the mornings and you cooking for me. I just appreciate every thing you done for me. You wanted me to do my very best and I exactly done that. I just wish that I could talk to you just one more time nana.*

**Jim Bob Sparks** - April 17, 2015 at 06:42 PM



“ *Jenny Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



**jenny blankenship** - November 12, 2014 at 11:08 AM

JB

“ Cathy,

*I miss you so much. I have picked up the phone so many times to call you. Nothing will ever be the same without you. Rest in peace. I love you. Jenny*

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**jenny blankenship** - November 12, 2014 at 11:06 AM

CA

“ *To all the family . We are so sorry for your loss . We love Cathy very much . She was a very generous and caring friend you all need anything let us know . May God Comfort You All Love and Prayers Cheryl and JoAnn and Cody Adair*

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**Cheryl Adair** - November 11, 2014 at 03:28 PM

CA

“ *Cheryl Adair lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Cheryl Adair** - November 11, 2014 at 03:15 PM

GJ

“ *Gene And Delores Jihkson lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Gene and Delores Jihkson** - November 10, 2014 at 06:51 PM

KM

“ *Karen Matney lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Karen Matney** - November 10, 2014 at 01:00 PM

SR

“ *Robert and family so sorry to hear about Cathy thoughts and prayers going your way Sandy Baker Ross and Family*



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**sandy baker ross** - November 10, 2014 at 11:09 AM

KT

“ *Kathy Taylor lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Kathy Taylor** - November 09, 2014 at 04:29 PM

JS

“ *Jeanetta & Jimmie Shelton lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Jeanetta & Jimmie Shelton** - November 09, 2014 at 11:46 AM

RS

“ Roger N Sheila lit a candle in memory of  
Cathy Marie Sparks



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**Roger n Sheila** - November 09, 2014 at 09:01 AM

Leslie  
Cheatham

“ Leslie Cheatham lit a candle in memory of  
Cathy Marie Sparks



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**Leslie Cheatham** - November 09, 2014 at 08:52 AM

MP

“ we were friends many yrs ago , I worked with her father at grace  
hospital in the lab in the 70 s, my prayers go out to the family , may  
God be with you all

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**margarette puckett** - November 08, 2014 at 07:14 PM

ML

“ May God wrap His arms around yall now and keep you. Sending  
hugs and prayers.

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**Martha Dillon Lewis** - November 08, 2014 at 10:12 AM

A(

“ Amy Ryan (Uhl) sent a virtual gift in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks



Amy Ryan (Uhl) - November 08, 2014 at 07:18 AM

A(

“ Amy Ryan (Uhl) lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks



Amy Ryan (Uhl) - November 08, 2014 at 07:16 AM

DM

“ Debbie Motley lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks



debbie motley - November 07, 2014 at 11:42 PM

WB

“ Bright blessings for this family. Kathy was one of my Lodge Sisters and beloved in our order. She will be greatly missed.



windy blevins-tolliver - November 07, 2014 at 10:24 PM

WP

“ *Windy Blevins-tolliver, Pddp lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**windy blevins-tolliver, pddp** - November 07, 2014 at 10:22 PM

DM

“ *Debra McReynolds lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Debra McReynolds** - November 07, 2014 at 10:13 PM

GH

“ *Glenda Herald lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Glenda Herald** - November 07, 2014 at 07:34 PM

CW

“ *Chris White lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Chris White** - November 07, 2014 at 06:55 PM

AC

“ *Ann Charles lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



ann charles - November 07, 2014 at 06:54 PM

Cathy Akers

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I found out too late to be come to the funeral home. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Love, Linda Boone*

Cathy Akers - November 07, 2014 at 06:34 PM

LA

“ *Lori Atwell lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



Lori Atwell - November 07, 2014 at 02:02 PM

Wray Justice Lay

“ *Joy Gambino Wray lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



Joy Gambino Wray - November 07, 2014 at 12:27 PM

AP

“ *Audrea Price lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Audrea Price** - November 07, 2014 at 09:41 AM

FW

“ *Fonda Walker lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Fonda Walker** - November 07, 2014 at 09:12 AM

BW

“ *Prayers for Robert and family, Cathy was a great woman and friend. I know she will be greatly miss by all that knew her.*



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**Bonnie Brewer West** - November 07, 2014 at 08:39 AM

DW

“ *Drema Wright lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Drema Wright** - November 07, 2014 at 06:52 AM

DW

“ *Darlene Shepherd Wright lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



**Darlene Shepherd Wright** - November 07, 2014 at 04:09 AM

 Teresa Lynn

“ *Teresa Lynn lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



**Teresa Lynn** - November 07, 2014 at 12:09 AM

DE

“ *Deb lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



**deb** - November 06, 2014 at 11:11 PM

DE

“ *Dear rob and family, we are so sorry for your loss. I wish their was something I could do to ease your pain. May god comfort all of you. Love & prayers, roy Lee, deb, Jane and family*

**deb** - November 06, 2014 at 11:09 PM

DJ

“ *Diana Johnson lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



**Diana Johnson** - November 06, 2014 at 10:29 PM



“ *Kayla Miller lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



**Kayla Miller** - November 06, 2014 at 10:05 PM

SQ

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to Robert and the family during this most difficult time. Have played many a game of bingo with Cathy and went to BCHS with Cathy and Robert. She will truly be missed by everyone and the community.*

**Shirley Bowman Query** - November 06, 2014 at 10:04 PM

SQ

“ *Shirley Bowman Query lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



**Shirley Bowman Query** - November 06, 2014 at 10:01 PM

ML

“ To all of the family, I am sorry to hear about Cathy, prayers for all.

Mamie Love - November 06, 2014 at 09:31 PM

PM

“ Pat Moore lit a candle in memory of Cathy  
Marie Sparks



Pat Moore - November 06, 2014 at 09:19 PM

AM

“ Amanda lit a candle in memory of Cathy  
Marie Sparks



amanda - November 06, 2014 at 09:11 PM

SK

“ Sandra Koger lit a candle in memory of Cathy  
Marie Sparks




Sandra Koger - November 06, 2014 at 09:02 PM

AB

“ Anna Lambert Brewster lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks



Anna Lambert Brewster - November 06, 2014 at 07:42 PM

 Savannah Bolen

“ Savannah Bolen lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks



Savannah Bolen - November 06, 2014 at 07:42 PM

CF

“ Cheryl Atwell @ Family lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks



Cheryl Atwell @ Family - November 06, 2014 at 07:40 PM

RM

“ I am so sorry for the loss of this precious Mother. I am praying for everyone..God Bless.



Ruthie Matney - November 06, 2014 at 07:31 PM

JC

“ *Jr. Mickey, Hunter And Hannah Crigger lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



**Jr. Mickey, Hunter and Hannah Crigger** - November 06, 2014 at 07:19 PM



“ *Krissa Charles lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



**Krissa Charles** - November 06, 2014 at 07:10 PM

TA

“ *I am so very sorry for the loss of Cathy she was loved so much by many including me... My heart goes out to Robert an their girls an grandbabies.... you are all in my prayers still love an prayers Tammy Altizer*

**Tammy Altizer** - November 06, 2014 at 07:02 PM

SB

“ *Sharron Boothe lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



**Sharron Boothe** - November 06, 2014 at 07:02 PM

WH

“ *Wilma Hurley lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Wilma Hurley** - November 06, 2014 at 06:59 PM

JA

“ *Janice Alalusi lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Janice Alalusi** - November 06, 2014 at 06:57 PM

TA

“ *Tammy Altizer lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Tammy Altizer** - November 06, 2014 at 06:57 PM

RB

“ *RANDY DEBBIE BREWSTER lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**RANDY DEBBIE BREWSTER** - November 06, 2014 at 06:51 PM

JR

“ JASON AND SALLY ROSE lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks



JASON AND SALLY ROSE - November 06, 2014 at 06:50 PM

JC

“ Jr. Mickey, Hunter And Hannah Crigger lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks



Jr. Mickey, Hunter and Hannah Crigger - November 06, 2014 at 06:47 PM

M(

“ Cathy was such a great person inside and out! She has always been great to me! She would always give me a something little extra in my Avon order! Prayers for the family!



Megan Bolen (Whitt) - November 06, 2014 at 06:45 PM

KA

“ Kimberly Tucker Asbury lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks



Kimberly Tucker Asbury - November 06, 2014 at 06:43 PM

CA

“ *Cathy Almon lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**cathy Almon** - November 06, 2014 at 06:24 PM

VW

“ *Vivian Ward lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Vivian Ward** - November 06, 2014 at 05:21 PM

PD

“ *Patricia Delp lit a candle in memory of Cathy Marie Sparks*



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**Patricia Delp** - November 06, 2014 at 04:26 PM

HR

“ *So very sorry to hear about Cathy, she was such a caring and wonderful person. Keeping your family in our thoughts and prayers.  
Harold and Cindy Rose*

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**Harold & Cindy Rose** - November 06, 2014 at 04:07 PM