



Retta J. Wayne

January 10, 1924 - January 26, 2023

Retta J. Wayne, age 99 of Marietta, OH, formerly of Moundsville, WV died Thursday, January 26, 2023 in Harmer Place, Marietta, OH.

She was born January 10, 1924 in Moundsville, WV the daughter of the late Clarence Lakin and Hazel Jane Maxwell Woods.

She was a member of Oak Grove United Methodist Church; a secretary at the former Fostoria Glass; a former Librarian at Moundsville High School; and former Attendance Secretary at Moundsville Jr. High School; a member of CEO's (Homemaker's), a former 4-H member and Torchbearer through 4-H. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Wilson E. Wayne; two brothers, Raymond and J.W. Woods; and three sisters, Eileen Hupp, Ruth Brown, and Lois Dowler.

Survivors include a son, Eugene (Ruth) Wayne of Newton, MA; a daughter, Mary Ellen (Bob) VanCamp of Marietta; three grandchildren, Hannah Wayne, Bethany (Ben) Richetti, and Will (Karee Anderson) VanCamp; three great-grandchildren, Simon, Hazel, and Elora Richetti; and several nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends on Tuesday from 4-7pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Avenue, Moundsville.

Visitation and Funeral Services will be held on Wednesday at Oak Grove United Methodist Church, Moundsville from 10am until time of Service at 11am with Rev. Don Rush officiating.

Interment in Oak Grove United Methodist Church Cemetery, Moundsville.

Memorial contribution may be made to Oak Grove United Methodist Church,
c/o Patty Schwing, 2681 Fork Ridge Rd., Moundsville, WV 26041.

Cemetery Details

Oak Grove Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 31. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home
400 Jefferson Ave.
Moundsville, WV 26041

Visitation

FEB 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Oak Grove United Methodist Church
Moundsville, WV 26041

Funeral Service

FEB 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

Oak Grove United Methodist Church
Moundsville, WV 26041

Tribute Wall

TK

“ Dear Gene, Ruth, and Hannah,
Our deepest condolences on the passing away of your mother and grandmother, Retta Wayne. We understand that words cannot express how profound her loss is, but we know that her kindness and strength live on in you. Also, we hope most fervently that your memories of her will bring you some solace.
Antonella and Tasso

Tasso Kaper - February 07, 2023 at 06:21 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Retta J. Wayne.



February 02, 2023 at 07:26 PM



“ What a classy lady and family .My sincere condolences. Jane McNeil

Jane McNeil - February 01, 2023 at 06:30 AM

SA

“ Prayers for the family

Sara Jo Anderson - January 31, 2023 at 05:19 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Retta J. Wayne.*



January 31, 2023 at 01:16 PM



“ *Love, Kevin and Shelley Brown purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Retta J. Wayne.*



Love, Kevin and Shelley Brown - January 31, 2023 at 11:05 AM



“ *Our family always enjoyed times our paths crossed with Retta. Heaven has truly gained an Angel. May your sweet memories bring you much peace.*

Mary Doran - January 31, 2023 at 09:26 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Retta J. Wayne.*



January 31, 2023 at 09:23 AM

MP

“ I will always remember her beautiful smile and positive attitude. She made me smile everyday. To say I was blessed to have known her is an understatement. I will forever be grateful for the time we knew each other.

Mindy Payne - January 31, 2023 at 07:28 AM

DB

“ David F Wayne & Barbara purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Retta J. Wayne.



David F Wayne & Barbara - January 30, 2023 at 11:17 AM

JP

“ Our deepest sympathy to your family. Mrs. Wayne was a very special person to us. She was always caring and there to help when needed. I have fond memories of working with her at MJHS. She was a kind person whom we will always remember.
Janell & Wayne Pysh

Janell Pysh & Wayne Pysh - January 29, 2023 at 08:31 PM

SB

“ Sean, Caroline, Matthew, & Patrick Brown purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Retta J. Wayne.



Sean, Caroline, Matthew, & Patrick Brown - January 29, 2023 at 01:08 PM

SC

“ Dear Mary Ellen and Gene, Such a pretty picture of your Mother that you chose. What wonderful memories I have of working with Retta at MJHS. She was always so kind, thoughtful and caring to everyone she met. My very dearest friend ever. I loved her and will miss talking to her so much but thankful there's no more pain for her. Sending my love and prayers to all the family..She loved you so much. Sharon Combs

Sharon Combs - January 28, 2023 at 07:51 PM

KS

“ Wonderful friend of our family! Fond memories of homemade buns and ice cream at your house! The Lord be with you Eugene and Mary Ellen and families! I'm off to Tucson to visit Robert and George this week. Hugs and prayers, Katie Ward Stear

Katie Ward Stear - January 28, 2023 at 12:38 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Retta J. Wayne.



January 28, 2023 at 09:07 AM

BH

“ So sorry to hear of Mrs. Wayne's passing. My condolences to the entire family. We have lost another one of "the greatest generation". God Bless.

Brad Hess - January 28, 2023 at 04:27 AM

WW

“ We are sad to learn of the passing of Mrs. Wayne. So many, many, wonderful memories that both of our families shared so many years ago in Moundsville. We so enjoyed the many get-togethers along with her lovely mother, Mrs. Woods, her dear sister, Eileen, Mr. Wayne, Mary Ellen, Eugene, and other family members. We have always regarded the Wayne Family in high esteem. We give thanks for her memory. Please accept our deepest condolences.

Requiesce in pace.

Wm. Robert Ward for Mary Elizabeth (Betty) Ward Campbell, Katie Ward Stear, and George D. Ward.

William Robert Ward - January 27, 2023 at 09:02 PM

CR

“ Having know Retta my entire life I can honestly say that she was one of the most positive and kind ladies I have ever know. Beautiful both inside and out. She was a dear friend to my mother over the years, and for that I am grateful. I have missed talking to her the last several months. Sending prayers for comfort to her entire family.

Carol and Kevin Riggle

Carol and Kevin Riggle - January 27, 2023 at 05:27 PM