



Cathy Dixon

August 30, 1955 - May 27, 2020

Cathy Lynn Zimmerman Dixon, 64, passed away May 27, 2020.

A native of Ronceverte, West Virginia, daughter of the late Charles and Ruth Hannah Zimmerman, she was a homemaker.

Surviving are her husband, Peter "Pete" Dixon; a son, Chris Dixon (Lauren); a daughter, Shannon Childress (Jonathan); three brothers, Joe Zimmerman, Mark Zimmerman and Bill Ray; two sisters, Carol Goodman and Donna Blanco; and three grandchildren.

A private service will be held.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Tribute Wall



“ *The Wood Mortuary created a Webcast in memory of Cathy Dixon*



The Wood Mortuary - May 28, 2020 at 04:28 PM

DA

It was a terrible shock to hear the news that Cathy had passed. She was always pleasant, gentle, and seeking God's working in her life. I am very sorry for those of you who were her family. We will miss her.

Don Axsom

Don Axsom - May 28, 2020 at 11:25 PM

KC

I first met Cathy when Peter and I worked together at The Greenbrier in the mid-70s. I watched as they became a couple and we became friends as well. I was the best man at their wedding and saw my friend become a very happy man due to Cathy. She was always one of the nicest people you would ever meet and one who would always see the best in a person. We have remained in touch the last few years via FB and I could still tell she had never changed and loved her family deeply. I am sorry for your loss but know she now sits with God.

Ken Creighton.

Ken Creighton - May 30, 2020 at 05:14 PM

LL

Thank you, Pete, Chris, and Shannon for sharing the service with those of us who couldn't come in person. What a great testimony to Cathy's life. She loved God, her family and friends. What a party there must be in heaven for such a faithful Christian. See you again soon my friend.

Leila Louk - May 30, 2020 at 05:16 PM

BP

I met Cathy at high school not knowing we would work together at The Greenbrier in the mid 70's Pete and I started the culinary apprenticeship there. It was love at first sight with those guys. So sad this happened Vivian and I sending you prayers for your loss. Bennie & Vivian

Bennie Parker - August 21, 2020 at 06:31 PM

SP

“ *Susan Palmer lit a candle in memory of Cathy Dixon*



Susan Palmer - May 30, 2020 at 04:44 PM

GW

“ *Grace Walkup lit a candle in memory of Cathy Dixon*



grace walkup - May 30, 2020 at 03:41 PM

CS

“ *I am so, so sorry to hear this sad news. Cathy and I grew up in the same neighborhood in Fairlea, WV and went to high school together. Many fond memories of Cathy growing up. Prayers to the family for strength through this difficult time.*

Chuck Smith - May 30, 2020 at 07:25 AM

ZS

“ Cathy was my 1st. cousin, our Moms were sisters, , and Cathy and I grew up together like sisters , and her sister Janie, I have so many fond memories of us , and like life happens , we grew up , and married had our own children, and we wasn't ever together, like when we were young, But our hearts never grew apart, we always remembered our Birthdays, etc.

6 months ago , she came in from S.C. and we spent the whole day together , reminiscing. gossiping, and telling secrets.

It was a wonderful day.

If I had known that was going to be the last time I would see her , I would have hugged her Bye a little longer .

I love you Cathy and will miss our little talks <3

Sending love, hugs and prayers to all you.

Zoe Marie Clark Sizemore - May 29, 2020 at 05:52 PM

DB

“ We are so sorry to hear for Cathy's passing. She was a dear, sweet lady. She will be missed.

John and Denise Baker

Denise Baker - May 29, 2020 at 04:28 PM

TU

“ I am still in shock to hear of the passing of my Christian sister. She was such a joy to have in our senior group. I miss my sister, my friend, and truly a family member. RIP.

Tony Uto

Tony Uto - May 29, 2020 at 03:33 PM

RC

“ I just read about Cathy's passing and I'm still in shock. She was such a beautiful person inside and out. Soft spoken and kind. The last time we were together was when she visited at the church of Christ near my home. Everybody that met her took an instant liking to her. They continued to ask about her and wanted to know when she was coming back.

We went out to lunch after church and had a relaxing and enjoyable time together. I can't believe I won't see her beautiful face anymore. Pete, Chris and Shannon, I cannot even imagine the sorrow you are feeling at this time. But we know she is with God.

I also feel for the grandchildren. They will really miss her, too.

My love and my prayers go out to the rest of the family members listed in this obituary.

Cathy, you will be missed by many, many people. It was a blessing to have known you, my friend. 🥺

Roberta Crook - May 28, 2020 at 07:45 PM

SR

I am so very sorry. Praying for all of you. God bless.

Sandra Reynolds - May 30, 2020 at 12:45 PM

LF

“ Pete, Shannon and Chris, I am in shock to hear about Cathy. She was a wonderful neighbor and friend and I will miss our talks outside. I still cannot believe she is gone. Please let me know if you need anything. Lisa Fender

Lisa Fender - May 28, 2020 at 07:04 PM

LL

“Pete, Chris and Shannon, I am so sorry to hear that Cathy is gone. We had just talked Monday night until past midnight. She was so complementary of all of you and her beautiful grandchildren, telling me about the old lego set that Henry just loved, and how she loved to care for and play with all of her grandchildren. She also talked happily about a new grandchild "on the way". She was a great Christian friend, sweet, quiet, loving, and caring of all. I'm honored to have been Cathy's friend and shared life with her. I can just hear her sweet voice singing in heaven with Jesus. I love and miss you my sweet friend.

Leigh Louk - May 28, 2020 at 03:39 PM

BS

“ Cathy you are more than my very best friend. You’ve been my sister my rock and and second mom to my children.! I don’t know what to do without you.. we laugh we fight we hung on to each other through life’s joys and sadness. Just two weeks ago we drove through North Carolina and went to the oldest hot dog stand in South Carolina and tailgated to eat because of the Rona virus., you and I laughed so much when you spent two hours taking a video of me to send to Devin as his graduation from college was canceled. You laughed when you had to pull me up from the tree as I found out I couldn’t get up by myself at 64. Lol now I am turning 65 by myself as I loved you were a month older... I have Never met any person with a more generous heart. Everytime I saw you I got to see pictures of the 3 grandchildren you love so much. You were the mom who was there for the boys when they played football and everything they needed. You made the cake for seana when she made cheerleader and even when she didn’t. You talked with my daughter late into the night even though You were tired and about to leave us all for awhile. Because of you I am a different me. Because of you my kids got more love. Because of you Cathy, yes You your children are who they have turned out to be and you talked to me how proud of them you are and love them. And yes you worried but That is what a mom does. Cathy you never have to worry about them they are good parents providers and their hearts are pure. You taught me as with all marriages that even though we have problems your not supposed to try to change anyone or yourself. You love your spouse together or not. So even though My spouse so far away yes cathy like you I love. See you soon girl and will miss you especially with that look because I’m late. Ps only you would give my grandsons stuffed dog a birthday gift ... lol well your somewhere with light my face can’t stop raining... Bon

bonnie smith - May 28, 2020 at 03:23 PM



“ *Sending our deepest sympathy, love, and prayers to Peter, children, and extended family. Cathy will live on in our hearts and cherished memories as a beautiful, talented, loving, and generous spirit. We love and miss her already!*

Susan Palmer - May 27, 2020 at 06:28 PM

JR

I'm very saddened to learn of Cathy's sudden and unexpected passing. My heartfelt prayers and condolences to her family. She will be forever missed and remembered in my heart. Joey Ray ❤️

Joey Ray - May 28, 2020 at 11:03 AM

JP

“ *I was so shocked to hear this news. We talked last week about getting together to see each other in June. Pete, I am so sorry, Cathy was a dear sweet friend that loved her family. She will be greatly missed by us all!*

Joy Pate - May 27, 2020 at 04:35 PM

DL

“ *Pete: i am so sorry to hear of Cathy's passing. She was always so kind and sweet to everyone in our family. My memory of Cathy is that she always looked so pretty. She would seek me out at church to find out how I was doing after Tom passed away. She would ask about the boys and the grandchildren without fail. She was a beautiful sister in Christ and I know that she blessed all of you with her steadfast love. I pray that you will be comforted with the wonderful memories of your life together.*

Diana Leader

Diana Leader - May 27, 2020 at 02:37 PM

MS

“ My heart is breaking as I try to accept that Cathy is gone. She was such a great friend and I will cherish the time she and I had together on Sunday laughing hysterically as we watched a movie together. She loved her family so much, especially those precious grandchildren. She lived for her family and words cannot express my sorrow for them. I would never have guessed after seeing her and talking with her on Tuesday morning that she would be gone today. Pete, Chris and Shannon, I know your hearts are heavy and you will miss her so much. But I hope you can hang on to the wonderful memories and have peace knowing that she is now with her Savior and she will see you again some day. Her faith was strong and that is what is helping me through this time. Please do not hesitate to let me know if there is ANYTHING I can do.

Mary Ann Skelton - May 27, 2020 at 10:57 AM