



Carolyn June Parnell

July 4, 1942 - March 28, 2016

Carolyn June Parnell, 73, of Stephens City, died Monday, March 28, 2016 at her residence.

She was born July 4, 1942 in Franklin, WV the daughter of Edward Lee and Hazel Marie Smith Cowger.

She was married to Ronald K. Parnell.

Mrs. Parnell had been a manager with Rite-Aid for twenty-eight years. She was a member of Stephens City United Methodist Church. She loved spending time with her grandchildren, the beach, The Lunch Bunch and reading mysteries.

Surviving in addition to her husband are two daughters, Sandra Parnell-Dowell and her husband Timothy of Hampstead, MD and Sue Ann Lund and her husband Joseph Clifford of Arnold, MD; a sister, Eleanor Hoover of Brandywine, WV; six grandchildren, Brittany Lund, Emily McQuerrey and her husband Joseph, Taylor Dowell, Jessica Dowell, Kelly Lund and Chloe Dowell and a great-grandson, Theodore McQuerrey.

A funeral service will be Friday at 11:00 a.m. in Stephens City United Methodist Church with Rev. Bob Gochenour and Rev. Waverly Reames officiating.

Burial will follow in Shenandoah Memorial Park.

Casket bearers will be Timothy Dowell, Joseph Clifford Lund, Joseph McQuerrey, Steven Boone, Thomas Geilfuss and Michael Otwell.

Friends will be received on Thursday from 7:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. in Phelps Funeral Chapel, 311 Hope Drive, Winchester.

Tribute Wall

SL

“ Thinking of you Mom and missing you everyday ❤️



Sue Lund - April 20 at 06:42 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Sue Lund - October 19, 2025 at 08:01 PM

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Sue Lund - September 29, 2025 at 03:24 PM

SP

“ Thank you Sharon. I know Mom enjoyed connecting with you!

Sandra Parnell-Dowell - April 01, 2016 at 09:18 PM

SM

“ We were so sad to learn of the loss of June. She was such a sweet and grand lady. We are so thankful that we had the opportunity to meet her and spend time with her on our trips to VA. Our hearts go out to Ronnie and the rest of her family on their great loss. You have our sympathy and prayers for comfort and guidance in the days to come. May precious memories keep her alive in our heart until we meet again. ~ Love from June's Idaho Cousins, Sharon & Grant Miles - Jean & Elwood Stacy

Sharon Miles - March 31, 2016 at 11:23 PM

SP

“ Thank you Andrea.

Sandra Parnell-Dowell - March 31, 2016 at 10:56 AM

SP

“ Good memories! Thanks Kim.

Sandra Parnell-Dowell - March 31, 2016 at 10:55 AM

AD

“ Dear Sandy, My sincerest condolences to you and your family. Know that your dear Mother loved and appreciated you. She had much to be proud of! Love from, Andrea

Andrea Davison - March 31, 2016 at 08:36 AM

KV

“ My prayers are with all at this time. Have good memories of Aunt June when you all lived in New Orleans.

Kim Parnell Vicknair - March 30, 2016 at 09:54 PM

SP

“ Thanks Wilma.

Sandra Parnell-Dowell - March 30, 2016 at 09:53 PM

WB

“ June was my first cousin had not seen her in years so sorry to hear of her passing prayers to her family

wilma boyette - March 30, 2016 at 09:08 PM

SP

“ Thanks Laura.

Sandra Parnell-Dowell - March 30, 2016 at 07:24 PM

SP

“ Thank you Sharon. Mom enjoyed working with you. It's been a long time, nice that you remembered. -Sandy and Ron (dad)

Sandra Parnell-Dowell - March 30, 2016 at 07:24 PM

SB

“ It saddens my heart to hear of Ms.June's passing - She was like a second mother to me all the years I worked with her and I will always remember her smile. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this time. RIP Ms June.

Sharon Bradshaw - March 30, 2016 at 07:13 PM

LM

“ Sending our thoughts and prayers, with love.

Laura & Eric Meck

Laura [Wright] Meck - March 30, 2016 at 01:45 PM