



Cathy Irene Sullivan

August 22, 1948 - November 22, 2016

Cathy Irene Sullivan, 68, of Stephens City died Tuesday, November 22 2016 at Winchester Medical Center.

She was born August 22, 1948 in Winchester, Virginia the daughter of Harold and Pearl Crismore Covert.

She was a lifelong resident of Frederick County, and was employed by the Navy Federal Credit Union and took great pride in her work. Cathy was a member of the Women of the Moose for over 40 years, first joining the Berryville Chapter and then the Stephens City Chapter. She earned her Academy of Friendship degree in May of 1976, and then moved forward to the highest degree to be bestowed upon her, The College of Regents in June 1977.

She is survived by her three children; Kevin Covert, Keith Covert and Kristi Higgs along with her son-in-law Joe Higgs and daughter-in-law Tammy Covert; three grandchildren, Austin Covert, Tessa Brock and Baylee Higgs; sister Margie Powers and brother Todd Covert.

A sister Gwynneth Covert Christian is deceased.

A funeral will be held at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, November 29 in Phelps Funeral

Chapel 311 Hope Drive Winchester officiated by Pastor Mark Ransom.

Burial will follow the service at Shenandoah Memorial Park, where she will be put to rest near her Mother and Father, Harold and Pearl Covert.

The family will receive friends at Phelps Funeral Chapel, Monday, November 28, from 6-8:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in the name of Cathy Sullivan to The National Kidney Foundation – www.kidney.org or at National Kidney Foundation Inc., 30 East 33rd Street, New York, NY 10016. For phone donations, 1-800-622-9010.

“The mother memories that are closest to my heart are the small gentle ones that I have carried over from the days of my childhood. They are not profound, but they have stayed with me through life, and when I am very old, they will still be near.” – Margaret Sanger

Tribute Wall

JJ

“Cathy and I go way back to our Western Union days working together on the graveyard shift. She got me interested in country music and my wife and I went to our very first country music concert on tickets that I bought from Cathy. I will always cherish the good times that we had working together and remember how much Cathy loved and talked about her kids. She was so proud of you Kevin, Keith, and Kristi. My heart is with you all during this difficult time!

Jeffrey Johnston - November 28, 2016 at 01:29 PM

TB

“Sending most sincere condolences. As time passes many things change but my fond memories of Cathy will remain. Cathy was the BEST at solving Wheel of Fortune puzzles! She often solved the puzzle before a letter was shown!

Terry N. Breeden - November 28, 2016 at 11:10 AM

DC

“So sorry for your loss. Reading all of the condolences, I was struck by the one about her wearing her pants inside out to work. It kind of matches the wonderful smile in her picture. Didn't know her but she and at least one of her sons have the same exact face. Thoughts and prayers with you and your family.

Dixie couch - November 28, 2016 at 08:38 AM

DH

“I'm so sorry for your loss. I didn't know Cathy well but my favorite memory of her was the day she wore her pants inside out to work. Thinking of you and your family.

Debbie Horrocks - November 26, 2016 at 08:20 PM

LM

“ So many memories growing up. We were in Girl Scouts together. Prayers for the family.

Linda Meadows - November 26, 2016 at 09:55 AM

JN

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Cathy and I go way back to Opequon Avenue when we were 5 or 6. We remained friends in high school but lost touch afterward. She was a lovely lady!

Joyce Newcome - November 26, 2016 at 08:35 AM

TT

“ So sorry for you loss. Prayers to the family

Toni Thompson - November 25, 2016 at 10:10 PM

DL

“ I enjoyed seeing her recently at Diane's Diner. She will truly be missed.

Debi Levi - November 25, 2016 at 08:16 PM

RS

“ Still in disbelief so many memories running thru my head. I will remember her most for her love of family and freinds she was so proud of her children and one of the smartest people I knew she was also one of the strongest women I knew the world could knock her down but she get back up smiling. To Kevin/Keith/Kristi my heart and prayers go out to you and your famliys and please know you lost your best friend but you just gained the best guardian angel anyone would love to have

Ron Sullivan - November 25, 2016 at 07:58 PM

KL

“ I am sorry for your loss, she will not be in any pain...May god be with the family during this trying and emotional time. She is with the lord and he will take care of her.

Kimberly Leadman - November 25, 2016 at 02:49 PM

FL

“ So sorry for your loss. She was a great lady who was so supportive of her children. Remember the wonderful memories.

France's Lowe - November 25, 2016 at 01:02 PM

MA

“ Thinking of you all and can't help but to remember the stories told about Cathy and her adventures in life. She is and will continued to be missed. Sending prayers for peace and healing.

Love and hugs.

Maggie - November 25, 2016 at 12:46 PM