



Bertha Lorene Williams

December 26, 1940 - November 28, 2021

Bertha Lorene Williams, age 80, of Ozark, Arkansas died Sunday, November 28, 2021 in Ozark. She was an economics professor at the University of the Ozarks and retired from the United States Postal Service. Bertha was a former owner operator of P.J.'s Fina, U of A Alumni and taught Sunday School for the United Pentecostal Church in Altus, Arkansas. She was born December 26, 1940 in the Hickory Ridge Community, Arkansas to George and Almeda Flossie Dobson Umholtz. She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother, Ernest Umholtz.

Bertha is survived by her husband, Paul Wesley Williams of Ozark; special nephew, Paul Dewayne Lee of Denning, Arkansas; three sisters, Barbara Sanders of Ozark, Eva Patton of Altus, Arkansas and Geneva Stover of Fort Smith, Arkansas; a brother, Curtis Umholtz of Altus; many special nieces and nephews; and a special great niece, Eeve Riggs.

Visitation will be held from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM Wednesday, December 1, 2021 at Shaffer Funeral Home in Ozark.

Funeral service will be held at 10:00 AM Thursday, December 2, 2021 at The United Pentecostal Church in Altus with Brother James Larabel and Brother Larry Stacey officiating under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home with burial at Highland Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Burt Stover, Slate Sisk, Mark Stover, Billy Miller, Wesley Lee and Donnie Anderson.

Cemetery Details

Highland Cemetery

Highway 64 West
Ozark, AR 72949

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Shaffer Funeral Home
2315 West Commercial Street
PO Box 680
Ozark, AR 72949
(479) 667-4147
shafferfuneralhome@gmail.com

Funeral Service

DEC 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Altus United Pentecostal Church
110 Miller Street
Altus, AR 72821

Tribute Wall



“ *Shaffer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Bertha Lorene Williams*



Shaffer Funeral Home - December 01, 2021 at 05:27 PM



“ *Bertha Lorene Williams*

January 30, 2023 at 02:28 AM



“ *My deepest condolences to Paul and the rest of the family. She was a very fine lady, and will be sorely missed by all.*



Bev King - December 06, 2021 at 08:23 PM



“ *Aunt Bertha was a great Christian lady that always showed her love for our lord. Her and Uncle Paul created many great memories while growing up and visiting them in Ozark. Aunt Bertha will truly be missed and prayers for Uncle Paul during this time. I know she is in heaven rejoicing with my brothers (Kenny & Jerry Dean) as well my dad (Ernest) and mother (Jeraldine). 🙏❤️🙏❤️*

Alan Umholtz - December 03, 2021 at 04:24 AM

SF

“ Aunt Bertha was a wonderful person. She and Uncle Paul were our youth leaders when I was young they were the best. Loved to hear them sing now she is singing in heaven with all our loved ones that are there.

Sharon Farnam - December 01, 2021 at 06:26 PM

GW

“ Bertha was a devout Christian who loved the Lord & all those who knew Her.
For over 60 years I have been richly blessed to have enjoyed Paul & Bertha's musical talent and loyal friendship. Even though Her voice is quiet here, I am sure Bertha is rejoicing with Jesus in Heaven, the only perfect place, forever Time for those of us remaining here will move slowly, but the Lord's promise is to welcome His faithful Home soon. Goodbye for now Dear Friend.
Today, we rejoice for You. George Williams

George A. Williams - December 01, 2021 at 05:23 PM

JG

“ Deepest sympathy and prayers to the family during this time. A wonderful lady that always had a smile for everyone.



Jimmy Dale Gilbert - November 30, 2021 at 02:18 PM