



## Cynthia Irene (Cindy) Burner

April 14, 1964 - January 18, 2021

Cynthia Irene (Cindy) Burner, 56, of Woodstock, passed away Monday, January 18, 2021 at Winchester Medical Center. A private family service will be held on Friday, January 22, 2021 at Wakeman's Grove Church of the Brethren. Pastors Mark Bowyer and PG Coverstone will officiate. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Friends may watch the service Friday starting with the music and slideshow at 1:30 and the service at 2:00 by the following link; [https://youtu.be/xOh\\_ZauJWws](https://youtu.be/xOh_ZauJWws). Friends may also sign the guest book on Thursday from 9-5 at the funeral home.

Mrs. Burner was born April 14, 1964 in Woodstock, daughter of Benjamin Crisman of Edinburg and Dorothy and Paul Racey of Edinburg. She was a 1982 graduate of Central High School and Triplett Tech. She formerly worked at Valley Lunch, Massanutten Military Academy, Fulton Trucking, Winchester Medical Center and for 27 years at Shenandoah County Department of Social Services. She was a member of Wakeman's Grove Church where she was a former board member, served on various committees, Sunday School Teacher, Youth Advisor. She loved music and was a member of the A Capella Bella and Adult Choir.

Surviving, along with her parents, are her husband, Phillip G. Burner; son, Isaac T. Burner of Woodstock; brothers, B.J. Crisman (Jenny) of Edinburg, Pat Racey (Chris) of Luray; sister, Jackie Crisman of Edinburg and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a brother, Dale L. Racey. Pallbearers will be Rick Roberts, Stuart Didawick, Weldon Funkhouser,

Nathaniel Dirting, Keith Zirkle and Marty Helsley.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to American Cancer Society, 420 Neff Avenue, Suite 210 Harrisonburg, VA 22801 or Wakeman's Grove Church of the Brethren Building Fund, 668 Wakeman's Grove Road, Edinburg, VA 22824.

Cindy was always incredibly positive and had an infectious smile. She loved being with people and was devoted to her church. She will be greatly missed by her family and friends.

Online condolences may be left at [www.valleyfs.com](http://www.valleyfs.com)

Arrangements by Heishman Funeral Home Inc., Valley Funeral Service Branch, Edinburg.

# Cemetery Details

## **Wakemans Grove Church of the Brethren Cemetery**

668 Wakemans Grove Road  
Edinburg, VA 22824

# Tribute Wall



“ *Cynthia Irene (Cindy) Burner*

January 30, 2023 at 03:03 AM



“ *Cynthia Irene (Cindy) Burner*

January 30, 2023 at 12:44 AM



“ *Prayers and love sent to Dorothy, Paul, Phil and Issac! Cindy was a special woman who will be missed by many.  
Anthony & Dawn*

**Dawn Keim** - January 29, 2021 at 12:52 AM



“ *Cindy was a lovely Christian lady who will be missed by everyone who knew her. She was a special friend to me. My family will be praying for Phil and Isaac.*

**Ronda Mace** - January 25, 2021 at 04:39 PM



“ *Cindy was one of the most gracious people I've ever met. She had a genuine tenderness and grace about her . She loved life she loved family. You never saw her without a smile and a kind word. Anyone that was lucky enough to have known her we'll miss her.  
Love always*

**Janice Dickinson** - January 23, 2021 at 08:26 PM

JD

“ Cindy was one of the most gracious people I have ever meet. She was always putting forth her best and always made you feel like she was so happy to see you. She was born to be a great mother and that she was. She loved unconditionally. She passes this life the Sam as she lived it, with grace and love of her Heavenly father. She will be missed.❤️

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**Janice Dickinson** - January 22, 2021 at 08:24 PM

TA

“ Cindy was an amazing friend. She was always so kind loving and caring . We had some detail high school memories and recently lots of girls night out to dinner. I always loved her laugh and her faith in the Lord. She was a wonderful wife and fabulous mom. Our love & prayers are with Phil & Isaac . She will forever live in our heart and memories until we reunite with her in heaven .

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**Tammy Jett Andes** - January 22, 2021 at 07:02 PM

SK

“ My prayers for strength and comfort for the Family and Friends of Cindy. I never seen Cindy that she didn't have a smile on her face. I know she impacted a lot of peoples lives. Cindy you have fought the good fight, you have finished the race, you have kept the faith. 2 Timothy 4:7 I know God welcomed you with his arms open wide.

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**Stephanie M Kling** - January 22, 2021 at 12:52 PM

ES

“ I'll long remember teaching Cindy in the fifth grade. She was one of the 8 beloved girls that called me Mom S. I cried the last day of school , knowing that I might never teach them again. She was a sweet girl who always had a winning smile that warmed the whole room. She will be missed greatly.  
*Elizabeth Sollenberger*

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**Elizabeth Sollenberger** - January 21, 2021 at 11:03 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Cynthia Irene (Cindy) Burner.



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January 21, 2021 at 08:39 PM

GK

“ Deeply saddened to hear about your loss. She was a wonderful lady and a faithful Christian. She will be missed by many. Gene and Anna Knicely

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**gene and Anna knicely** - January 21, 2021 at 07:45 PM

LK

“ Thinking of the Burner family during this time of sorrow.

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**Lyndell Keffer** - January 21, 2021 at 07:14 PM

LK

“ *Lyndell Keffer lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Irene (Cindy) Burner*



Lyndell Keffer - January 21, 2021 at 07:11 PM

BH

“ *Bridget Herbaugh lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Irene (Cindy) Burner*



bridget herbaugh - January 21, 2021 at 03:48 PM

BH

“ *Praying for Phil and the family, Casey McClung*

bridget herbaugh - January 21, 2021 at 03:46 PM

BH

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire family. Gerald and Brigitte Hawkins*



Brigitte Hawkins - January 21, 2021 at 03:42 PM

GK

*We are deeply saddened by the news. Our prayers are for Phil and family*

gene and Anna knicely - January 21, 2021 at 06:43 PM

BG

“ We have 25 years of blessed memories with Cindy, Phil, and then with their amazing son, Isaac.

*I believe God knew I needed a friend who was strong in her faith, and who helped me through so much. And, of course, those summer days when our grandsons and little Isaac played with water pools, slides, water balloons, while we sat and talked and laughed so hard at their antics.*

*We were looking forward to spring when we could sit on our screened in porch, drinking coffee, and talking about our Lord Jesus.*

*We are so very sorry for the broken hearts of her family, and we pray you will be comforted by the sweet peace of the Holy Spirit.*



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**Bob and Wanda Golladay** - January 21, 2021 at 01:49 PM

MJ

“ Cindy was a sweet and gentle friend. She was one of our first parents to bring her son Isaac to Tiny Treasures Day Care in Woodstock. Any time we would see each other we would always take time to talk. To Phil and Isaac and her entire family, as God walks with you through this time of sorrow and sadness, my prayers will be with you. Miss Joyce

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**Miss Joyce** - January 21, 2021 at 11:58 AM

MH

“ Cindy was a beautiful person inside and out, even when she struggled she made you feel special and always had a smile. She will be greatly missed and we know that she is dancing in heaven and watching over Phil, Isaac and her whole family. Prayers and love sent to the family. Missy, Jimmy, Jillian and Morgan Hollar

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**Melissa M. Hollar** - January 21, 2021 at 10:24 AM

KD

“ I met Cindy in 1st grade & was so happy to meet a new friend that was as tall as I was! :-)

We've had a life long friendship. We always had fun together on girl weekends and would laugh and tell stories about our high school days.

She was a wonderful wife to Phil and loved being a proud mother to sweet Issac.

She had a beautiful smile, a big heart & a warm calmness that brightened any room. Whenever she would see me she would greet me by saying 'Hello Pal'. I will miss her very much. Rest in Peace precious girl.

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**Karen Dellinger** - January 20, 2021 at 08:52 PM

RR

“ Cindy was such a dear person - always smiling and friendly. She will be missed by so many. Our prayers are with the family at this trying time. May you get comfort from all your good memories.

*Rhonda and Ronnie Rau*

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**Rhonda & Ronnie Rau** - January 20, 2021 at 08:05 PM

GB

“ Gary and I send our deepest heartfelt sympathies to Cindy's family. She was a wonderful, courageous, beautiful lady who will be missed by many.

*Gary and Evelyn Barb*

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**Gary and Evelyn Barb** - January 20, 2021 at 05:16 PM

JL

“ *Cindy was a lovely person who possessed a warm and incredible smile. The family is in our thoughts and prayers! May special memories provide family with peace and comfort in the days ahead.*

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**John, Tessie, Will and Thomas Lam** - January 20, 2021 at 04:17 PM

DM

“ *Our most heartfelt sympathy to the family. Cindy was a special and caring person to all. In Christian love .. Dudley & Pam*



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**Dudley & Pam Miller** - January 20, 2021 at 01:06 PM

RR

“ *So very sorry for your loss .Cindy was a lovely.lady and had a amazing smile  
She will be missed.She is with Jesus now and is in peace with no more pain.*

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**Randy and Anna Ruffner** - January 20, 2021 at 12:21 PM

EW

*Condolences to Phil & Isaac for your loss. I remember Cindy when I worked in Woodstock Post office many years ago and at church. She always had a bright smile and very friendly. She is no longer in pain RIP Cindy.*

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**Edward L. Wood** - January 22, 2021 at 03:50 PM

TW

“ *Trish E. Wilkins lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Irene (Cindy) Burner*



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**Trish E. Wilkins** - January 20, 2021 at 12:14 PM

KP

“ *Cindy was such a beautiful "light" wherever she went. I will never forget our wonderful times when she lived on spring street in town. We had the best cook-outs with so many wonderful memories from them and "The Gym" where her and her father worked out many years ago. Fly high sweet angel into Jesus arms and rest easy knowing your life changed and touched so many. You will be missed beyond what words can express by all those who must now carry on without your bright contagious personality. Your smile will forever be one of gifts that was infectious and heart-warming to all who knew you!!!! Love you Cindy!!*

*I pray for Cindy's family and friends that God's amazing grace will comfort and heal your hearts from the loss and heartache. I will for sure be praying for each of you. May it comfort you all to know she touched many with her kindness and goodness.*

*With much love,*

*Kim Price*

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**Kim Price** - January 20, 2021 at 08:56 AM

SN

“ We want you to know we will miss Cindy very much. She was a bright star, her smile made you want to smile too, even if you were in a bad mood. I baby sat her when she was 7 or 8 yrs old. May God comfort the family and give you peace knowing she in the arms of Jesus and in perfect health. Untill we meet again.  
Mary McClanahan  
Tom McClanahan  
Shirley and Wesley Neff and families.

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**Shirley Neff** - January 19, 2021 at 09:31 PM

SS

“ Our family is blessed to have had the pleasure of Cindy's friendship. Her graciousness, selflessness, compassion, and positive outlook never wavered. We have learned from her the way life is to be lived. She will be in our hearts forever.

With love,  
Matt, Stacey, and Madison Smith

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**Stacey Smith** - January 19, 2021 at 07:53 PM

AB

“ So incredibly sorry to hear of Cindy's passing. What a strong woman who fought hard on a tough journey, may you all find peace & comfort knowing her pain is gone & remember all the great memories you have, keeping you in our thoughts & prayers, With Our Deepest Sympathy.  
Phil, April, Cole & Brady Baker

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**April A Baker** - January 19, 2021 at 07:10 PM

LW

“ *Linden and I will always remember her smile and friendliness. ❤️  
May GOD bless and comfort you all.*

Linden and Gloria Wakeman - January 19, 2021 at 06:39 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of  
Cynthia Irene (Cindy) Burner.*



January 19, 2021 at 05:35 PM

WW

“ *Dorothy and Paul, so sorry for your loss. Sincere sympathy for all  
her family.*

wilma windle - January 19, 2021 at 05:31 PM

BE

“ *Cindy was a beautiful person inside and out and always so kind who  
all she met. I was just with her in September when she and Kim  
came and stayed at Karen's for the weekend. We spent Saturday  
evening having dinner and shared fun stories of days gone by. The  
next morning they came to my house for breakfast and she looked  
so pretty. She glowed when she talked about how she and Phil met  
and her adorable son. She was so proud of him. I question why God  
had to take such a special person so early, he must have needed a  
special angel in heaven. She was a dear friend, mother, wife and  
daughter. She will be missed, but all the fond memories never  
forgotten. RIP sweet Cindy.*

Beth Ellis - January 19, 2021 at 05:30 PM

CL

“ I worked with Cindy over 20 years. She was a good person. My deepest sympathy to the family. Carolyn Lamma

carolyn lamma - January 19, 2021 at 05:24 PM

WS

“ While our time here in Edinburg and at Wakeman's Grove has been relatively short in comparison to most we were so fortunate to get to know Cindy. She was part of a core group at the Grove who greeted and welcomed us so warmly week after week until we knew we had found our new church. She was so sincere in wanting to know how we were doing. I loved listening to Cindy sing and she just radiated warmth in this and everything she did. It is so obvious that she is so loved by all and will be horribly missed. To Phil and Isaac we know how horribly you must be hurting right now and with time we hope this pain eases allowing the many good memories to stay with you both.

Wayne Stewart - January 19, 2021 at 05:17 PM

BC

“ Cindy was a beautiful lady. I'm so thankful to have known her. Growing up in Edinburg, we went to Edinburg Elementary together and then into CHS. I didn't see Cindy much after high school but I always thought of her as my dear childhood friend. My heart aches for her family. She will be deeply missed by all who knew her and loved her. Rest In Peace sweet lady. Brenda Marston Chambers

Brenda Chambers - January 19, 2021 at 05:14 PM

FP

“ May God Bless the Burner family during this time of sorrow.

FRANK AND BONNIE PAINTER - January 19, 2021 at 05:00 PM

LH

*Cindy was one of the nicest people you could of ever met. Her smile would light up a room and she always seemed to smile . She would always have her sneakers cause at some point in her day she was gonna be walking. God Bless you Cindy and thank you for everything you did to help me and my family. RIP you will differently be missed. 🙏  
prayers for Phil and Issac.*

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**Linda Halton** - January 22, 2021 at 01:06 PM

LM

*To the Burner and Crisman families, my heart is so heavy with the loss of a beautiful and shining light that Cindy was. She was a cousin by marriage. You all are in my prayers and thoughts and may you take comfort in how many people that Cindy touched in her short life here on earth. She is truly an angel. RIP  
Linda Weaver McClanahan*

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**Linda Weaver McClanahan** - January 23, 2021 at 10:56 AM