



## Cynthia Grim Dellinger

August 4, 1955 - January 26, 2019

Cynthia Grim Dellinger, of Edinburg, went to be with our Lord on Saturday, January 26, 2019, at Shenandoah Memorial Hospital in Woodstock, Virginia. She was born August 4, 1955, in Woodstock, VA, to Dorothy and James B. Grim. Cindy married Charles Dellinger on September 15, 1973, who survives.

She is also survived by her mother Dorothy Grim Bean of Mount Jackson; one beloved son, Wesley Dellinger, and his wife Rhonda Dellinger of Edinburg; two very dear grandchildren, Faith and Christian Dellinger of Edinburg whom she loved so dearly; and one brother, James Michael Grim of Mount Jackson. Also surviving are numerous nieces and nephews.

Cindy's father, James B. Grim Jr., and stepfather, Lorenzo Bean, preceded her in death.

She was a life long resident of Shenandoah County, a graduate of Stonewall Jackson High School, and attended Lord Fairfax Community College. Cindy was a loving and devoted mother, wife, grandmother, and daughter. She was a problem solver who took on difficult tasks with competence and determination. Her passion for hard work and dedication to community service will leave a large void in the hearts of all those who knew and loved her. She will be greatly missed.

Cindy was very active in St. Jacobs Lutheran Church and served as a Trustee and Past Chairman and member of the Church Council. From 1980-1987, Cindy worked in the Broadcast field as a television and radio news anchor. She became a licensed realtor in 1987 and was very proud to open her own company in 1991. In 1994, she became a member of United Country Shenandoah Valley. Cindy was very active in the community as well. She served on the Board of Directors for Habitat for Humanity, was on the Board of Directors for the Mt. Jackson Chamber of Commerce, on the Advisory Board for a local bank, and also on the Valley Conservation Council. Cindy has been a member of the Shenandoah County Republican Committee, representing the Conicville District for 30+ years. In 1987, Cindy was honored to be the first female elected to the Shenandoah County Board of Supervisors, securing her seat as an Independent candidate. After being elected, she was asked to rejoin the Republican Committee, which she did and was elected to her second term on the Shenandoah County Board of Supervisors as a Republican and served as the first female chairman. Cindy was an active member of the SCRC, serving as a delegate at Republican Conventions, fundraising, assisting with parades and festivals, and holding several Committee offices. She was the Past President of the Massanutten Association of Realtors and served on the Risk Management Advisory Group for the Virginia Association of Realtors. Cindy completed coursework for Accredited Buyer Representative status (ABR), was a Licensed Broker, held a GRI certification, and was a Certified Real Estate Consultant (CCRC).

A Community Prayer Service will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, January 31st at St. Jacobs Lutheran Church, 15226 Senedo Road, Edinburg.

Pastors Katie Gosswein, William Fitchett, and Matthew Diehl will conduct a funeral service at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 2nd, at the First Baptist Church, 116 Lakeview Drive, Woodstock. Burial will follow at the Dellinger Farm Family Cemetery.

The family will receive friends on Friday, February 1st, from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, 116 Lakeview Drive, Woodstock.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to any of the following: St. Jacobs Lutheran Church, P.O. Box 175, Edinburg, VA 22824; Conicville Fire Department, 57 Conicville Rd., Mt. Jackson; The Dellinger Cemetery Fund, 34 Dellinger Acres Road, Edinburg, VA 22824; or to a charity of choice.

# Previous Events

## Community Prayer Service

JAN 31. 6:30 PM (ET)

St. Jacob's Lutheran Church  
15226 Senedo Rd  
Edinburg, VA 22824

## Visitation

FEB 1. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church  
116 Lakeview Drive  
Woodstock, VA

## Funeral Service

FEB 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church  
116 Lakeview Drive  
Woodstock, VA

# Tribute Wall



“ Cynthia Grim Dellinger

January 30, 2023 at 03:03 AM



“ Cynthia Grim Dellinger

January 30, 2023 at 12:44 AM



“ Tricia and I are heartbroken about the loss of Cindy. We both loved, admired and respected her very much. We are so very thankful for her life and the friend she was and will always be. There are just no words at all to ease the pain and loss we all feel. She was and will always be to us and to all an incredibly remarkable and special lady.

*We love you Cindy, we will miss you and we were very blessed to call you a friend.*

*Our hearts are heavy and will be forever and our prayers will always be with The Dellinger family.*

*God Bless and with Love-*

*Wes, Trish, Ashby, Jack and Mary Rose Irvin*

Wes Irvin - February 03, 2019 at 07:37 AM



“ Charles there are no words only prayers for you, Wesley and family.

Laura Racey - February 02, 2019 at 11:03 AM

LR

“ *Laura Racey lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Grim Dellinger*



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**Laura Racey** - February 02, 2019 at 10:56 AM

TS

*We were in shock to hear of Cindy's passing. Our heart goes out to Charles as well as all of her family. We will pray that God helps to heal the hole in all of your hearts!*

*Mike & Trish Stephens*

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**Trish Stephens** - February 06, 2019 at 12:59 PM

RW

“ *I worked for several years with Cindy at Shenandoah Valley Realty. Her lessons about the business and life will never be forgotten. "Eat the frog first," she said, "and the rest of the day will be better." I've passed that on to my children and my students.*

*With your family and friends I'm missing you Cindy, but it's a terrible frog to have to eat.*

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**Ron White** - February 02, 2019 at 09:26 AM

SK

“ Charles, Wes and family,

*You have been and will continue to be in our thoughts and prayers. Cindy was a very special person who will never be forgotten for her strength, kindness, and beauty. May the memories you created together carry you through the difficult days ahead.*



*Scott & Lisa (Whittington) Kiracofe*

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**Scott & Lisa Kiracofe** - February 02, 2019 at 09:20 AM

DE

“ *Profound condolences for such a loss.*

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**debra** - February 01, 2019 at 01:06 PM

SB

“ *While her Light may dimmed, It will carry forward from here on. She touched so many with her huge heart and love of life - Blessed be the Dellinger and Grim families in this unfortunate time and in the days hereafter. Cindy was loved and you are too.*

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**Stephanie Baker** - February 01, 2019 at 12:40 PM

DM

“ *Ms. Dillinger was one of the kindest, caring, concerned public officials when I wrote about Shenandoah County for an area newspaper. She treated all with a sense of fairness and honesty.*

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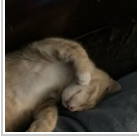
**Dan McCauley** - February 01, 2019 at 06:17 AM

KR

“ So incredibly sorry just hearing of her passing..Sending all our love and prayers from the Richardsons💕

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**Kelly Richardson** - January 31, 2019 at 12:29 PM



“ I am very sorry for your loss. I only knew Cindy from the Shenandoah Republican committee, but it will never be the same without her there at the meetings. She was a hard worker. You are in my prayers.

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**John Bost** - January 31, 2019 at 09:25 AM

KW

“ To Charles, Wesley and to all the Family of Cindy Dellinger,

*The Lord only calls home the ones who are the very best to help him run the Heavens. We all know too well that Cindy is now one of the great Managers of the Heavens for the Lord as she was in her earthly life. The joy and love of our Lord is beyond all our comprehension. Cindy is at peace and walks alongside all of you in her family every day, being far closer to you now, than ever here in our physical life. And so now, may the Angels take her into Paradise, may the Saints sing of her to the Most High God, and may the Martyrs come to greet her and take her into the Holy City, where he awaits you to be with him for all time to come, even unto Eternity itself. She is greatly missed.*

*Cindy was our Broker when we purchased our first weekend home at Bryce Resort in 1992, our agent was Sybil Head. We respected Cindy highly and her real estate knowledge. She was a true asset to the community and Shenandoah County. Our hearts hurt over this senseless tragedy nor can we get it out of our minds. You are all in our prayers.*

*Our most sincerest condolences and warm regards,  
Kenneth Warne & Michael Carroll  
Lewes/Rehoboth Beach, DE  
meninblackofficiants@gmailcom  
<https://www.meninblackofficiants.com/>*

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**Kenneth R Warne** - January 30, 2019 at 05:11 PM

TF

“ *Tami Foltz lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Grim Dellinger*



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**Tami Foltz** - January 30, 2019 at 01:45 PM

BO

“ *To Cindy's Family.  
I am very sorry for your loss. Prayers are being lift up for the family.  
May you find peace, comfort and strength in the love of the Lord.  
May you feel His presence with you at this time. May you feel His  
love enfolding you and lifting you up in this time of loss. Know that  
you all are loved.*

*Love*

*Betty Oates*

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**Betty Oates** - January 30, 2019 at 12:56 PM

 William  
Menefee

“ *Very saddened to hear about Cindy's passing. Worked with her on  
several things over the years including real estate transactions and  
economic development opportunities. I will always remember her as  
being smart, hard working and dedicated to improving the  
community. Neal Menefee*

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**William Menefee** - January 30, 2019 at 12:26 PM

CG

“ There are times when there are too few words left to heal us, when what we wish for is to be carried, when all we have left is the hope that tomorrow will be a more gentle place to land than today - Unknown Author



Our deepest sympathies on your loss.

Cyndy and Tawn Gregory (sister and sister-in-law of Melissa Lankard)

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Cyndy & Tawn Gregory - January 30, 2019 at 11:21 AM

MC

“ Pam and I are so shocked to hear of your loss. Cynthia was a great person that did many things to make our community be a better place to live. She always greeted you with a smile in her business dealings and just saying "hi" in public. She will be truly missed by those of us that knew her.

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Mike and Pam Clem - January 30, 2019 at 08:20 AM

ES

“ Cindy was a wonderful lady, it truly saddens my heart for her loss. I pray for the entire family and friends to have comfort from our Lord while going through this pain. Bless each and every one of you.

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Edna Strickler - January 30, 2019 at 07:41 AM

GW

“ An outstanding person, very people oriented. Deeply involved in government, community .

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glenn m weatherholtz - January 30, 2019 at 07:38 AM

PR

“ Wes, I'm so sad to learn about your loss. Sending prayers of peace and comfort to your entire family.



Patti Roberts - January 30, 2019 at 12:42 AM



“ My deepest sympathy goes out to Charles, Wes, Rhonda, Faith, Christian and Dorothy. My thoughts and prayers go out to each of you. I pray God gives you all the peace to endure this sad time. She will be missed by so many people including me. She was one of a kind, a very special lady. Rest in peace.



Nancy Whittington - January 29, 2019 at 08:12 PM

LT

“ Linda Green Tilley lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Grim Dellinger



Linda Green Tilley - January 29, 2019 at 07:41 PM

LE

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family during this most difficult time. Eva and Cindy were friends for many years. Mother has told us of wonderful times and conversations they shared. She will be missed dearly. The Estep family—Eva, Diana, and Lisa.

Lisa Estep-Lancaster - January 29, 2019 at 07:11 PM

KB

“ *To The Dellinger family  
MANY PRAYERS AND COMFORT GOES  
OUT TO EACH ONE. CINDY WAS A Special  
Person to so many.*



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**Karen Burner** - January 29, 2019 at 06:34 PM

WS

“ *So sorry for your loss. Charles, it's been years since I have seem  
you. You were working at the SCSO and was in Strasburg. Prayers  
to you and your family in this time of great loss. God Bless.*

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**wayne sealock** - January 29, 2019 at 05:16 PM

TM

“ *Terry & Angela Miller lit a candle in memory of  
Cynthia Grim Dellinger*



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**Terry & Angela Miller** - January 29, 2019 at 04:49 PM

CG

“ *My Heart goes out to you all , may God wrap himself around you all  
to find some comfort of knowing she's an Angel and will always  
shine down on you all , much regards sent to all during this difficult  
time and there after , Hugs Crickett*

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**Callista grim** - January 29, 2019 at 04:38 PM

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“ *Callista Grim lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Grim Dellinger*



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**Callista grim** - January 29, 2019 at 04:34 PM

Fix your sleep.  
Go ghost.  
Hit the gym.  
Fix your circle.  
Accept the past.  
Speak less, do more.  
Make everyday count.  
Become better.

“ *Melanie Payne lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Grim Dellinger*



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**Melanie Payne** - January 29, 2019 at 04:29 PM

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“ *God speed to her family and friends.*

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**Melanie Payne** - January 29, 2019 at 04:28 PM

WW

“ *How I will miss her beautiful smile, her positive attitude and friendliness to everyone who crossed her path. Heaven has a beautiful soul and faithful angel. I will never forget you. My deepest sympathy to Charlie, Wes and family. Rest In Peace Cindy knowing you were loved by many.*

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**Wilma Windle** - January 29, 2019 at 03:36 PM

WW

“ *Wilma Windle lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Grim Dellinger*



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**Wilma Windle** - January 29, 2019 at 03:26 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Cynthia Grim Dellinger.*



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January 29, 2019 at 03:00 PM

PV

“ *So very sorry for your loss. Cindy was an awesome woman! I loved working with her and being her friend. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her. Charlie, Wes and family, you are in my heart, thoughts and my prayers. Peggy Vaughan*

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**Peggy Vaughan** - January 29, 2019 at 02:11 PM

PV

“ *Peggy Vaughan purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Cynthia Grim Dellinger.*



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**Peggy Vaughan** - January 29, 2019 at 01:58 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Cynthia Grim Dellinger.*



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January 29, 2019 at 01:34 PM



“ *Beverly Steadman lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Grim Dellinger*



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**Beverly Steadman** - January 29, 2019 at 12:25 PM



*To the Dellinger family I am so sorry for your loss.*

*Harry Durrett Class of '73*

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**Harry Durrett** - February 01, 2019 at 10:16 AM



*Charlie and Wes, so sorry for entire family! Such a senseless happening, Cynthia will be missed! GOD Bless!*

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**Steve. WILKINS** - February 04, 2019 at 08:37 AM