



## Mary Sue Whetzel

July 26, 1954 - October 5, 2021

The staff at Heishman Funeral Home Inc. send condolences to the family of Mary Sue Whetzel.

Mary Sue Whetzel, 67, of Timberville, went to be with her heavenly Father peacefully on Tuesday, October 5, 2021, surrounded by her loving family at home.

Mary Sue was born July 26, 1954, at RMH in Harrisonburg to Harold and Mae (Olinger) Henry of Quicksburg, who preceded her in death.

Mary Sue attended Stonewall Jackson High School in Quicksburg, Virginia.

On October 28, 1971, she married her loving husband, Larry G. Whetzel and would have celebrated their 50th Anniversary later this month.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by her children, Susan Ann Rathke and husband Mark of Bridgewater, Sandra Lynn Shields and husband Michael of Staunton, and Brian Gene Whetzel of Timberville; a granddaughter, Taylor Lynn Rathke of Bridgewater; a brother, Michael W. Henry of Quicksburg; several nieces and nephews.

She is also survived by two very special people in her life, her cousin, Gary Olinger of New Market and honorary "little sister," Sue Rodriguez of Quicksburg.

She was a homemaker and a member of the Quicksburg United Methodist Church.

She enjoyed spending time with her family and traveling with her husband to

Lancaster, PA and Gatlinburg, TN.

There will be no formal viewing or visitation at the funeral home.

A private graveside service will be held at a later date.

We would like to give special thanks to Dr. Jessica Collins at Augusta Health Diabetes and Endocrinology and Sentara Hospice for their wonderful care.

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

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Sue Whetzel*

January 30, 2023 at 03:03 AM



“ *Mary Sue Whetzel*

January 30, 2023 at 12:44 AM



“ *Taylor, so sorry to hear of your grandmothers passing. She loved her little tater bug greatly. Condolences Susan, Sandy, Brian, and Larry - my thoughts are with you.*

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**Michael Hughes** - October 09, 2021 at 08:24 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of your loss. This is a wonderful picture you've chosen. I will have the entire family in my prayers.*



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**Amanda Riggleman** - October 08, 2021 at 01:08 PM



“ *Sandra and Susan, I'm so very sorry to hear of mother's passing. God bless and comfort you both!*

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**April E** - October 08, 2021 at 12:13 PM

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“ Sending my condolences.



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**Carolyn F. Abbott** - October 07, 2021 at 04:03 PM

BJ

“ Brian, Susan, and Sandra I am so sorry to hear about your moms passing. She was always so sweet to talk to. Keeping the whole family in my thoughts and prayers. Love to you all.

*Beka (Rathke) Jordan*

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**Beka Jordan** - October 07, 2021 at 07:41 AM

GG

“ So sorry for your loss. Keeping the family in our thoughts and prayers

*Aunt Velma and family*

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**Gail Griffith** - October 06, 2021 at 04:18 PM

TG

*Mary Sue was a very special and a wonderful neighbor. She was always so kind to us.  
May your family feel the peace of God during this sad time.*

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**Tongia and Gene Good** - October 07, 2021 at 05:15 AM

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*Larry, Sandra, Susan and Brain and Family. We send our condolences and prayers your way. May God Bless You All in this time of need.  
Steve & Tammy Olinger & Family*

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**Steve Olinger** - October 08, 2021 at 08:27 AM