



Sharon L. Kessel

February 13, 1949 - December 27, 2024

Sharon “Sherry” Lee Kessel 75, of Scott Depot, WV passed away December 27, 2024.

She was born February 13, 1949 in Given, WV to the late Mary F. Casto Kessel and Hansel “Hank” Kessel. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her sisters: Willa D. Davis, Wanda L. Basham, Anna D. Cunningham and Juanita M. Creech.

Sherry was raised in the country and later moved to Dunbar where she graduated from Dunbar High School. She loved to garden, travel, the family farm, read history books, listen to gospel and opera music, work on puzzles of any kind, Africa, her beloved dogs, zoo’s, vacationing with her sisters, and celebrating Christmas.

She had a deep love for animals and was a strong supporter of Little Victories Animal Rescue in Ona, WV. Sherry also supported many other animal organizations, multiple veteran groups, St. Labre Indian School, Samaritans Purse, Mountain Mission, Salvation Army, St. Jude’s Children’s Hospital and numerous ministries.

Sherry is survived by her niece Teresa A. Creech of Hurricane, WV; cousin, James Leon Kessel of South Charleston, WV and a host of cousins and

friends.

Funeral Service for Sherry will be 2:00 pm Friday January 17, 2025 at Chapman Funeral Home Hurricane, WV with Rev. Dr. Melissa Pratt officiating.

Friends may visit one hour prior to the service.

In lieu of flowers please consider a memorial donation in Sherry's name to Little Victories Animal Rescue 1168 Wire Branch Road Ona, WV 25545 or to an animal shelter of your choice.

Anyone wishing to leave an online memory may do so by visiting her tribute page at: www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com

Chapman Funeral Home 3941 Teays Valley Road Hurricane, WV 25526 is honored to serve the family again.

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.
II Timothy 4:7

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 17. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Chapman Funeral Home
3941 Teays Valley Road
Hurricane, WV 25526

Funeral Service

JAN 17. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SU

“ I only met and talked with Sherry one time, not too long before she died, and she seemed like such a nice person, someone I would liked to have had for a friend. I'm so sorry she's gone. :(

Sue - February 25, 2025 at 07:00 PM

RS

“ Sincere sympathy in the loss of Sherry. The time we spent with her was always very pleasant. She was a very caring person. Sincerely, Becky Stanley, Laura Stanley, Roger Stanley, Robert Jeffries, Shirley Lambert, Sharla Kellar. St. Albans, WV

Roger Stanley - January 17, 2025 at 08:59 AM

BS

“ Sherri and I spent many long hours together traveling to doctor's appointments in state and out of state. Many miles went by with good music, conversation and on the way back a good meal and a glass of iced tea.
The only complaint I always got wasn't about my driving but about my talking. I didn't talk enough for Sherri. But that's ok because she talked enough for both of us.
I will miss Sherri but I know Sherri is up there right now talking and laughing with her family and friends making up for lost time.
Rest in peace Sherri,
Love, Becky.

Becky Stanley - January 17, 2025 at 08:44 AM