



## Shirley Ann Wright Eidson

April 28, 1945 - March 6, 2024

Shirley Ann Wright Eidson passed away March 5, 2024 at Magnolia Regional Health Center in Corinth, MS at the age of 78. She was born April 28, 1945 to Bill Wright and Jewel Shelton in Tippah County, MS. She worked for the Railroad as a Transportation Coordinator for 35 years and was of the Baptist faith.

Shirley is survived by one sister: Dorothy Windham (Herman) of New Albany, MS; two grandchildren: Kristy Wallis Hart (Chris) of Byhalia, MS, Katie Wallis of Memphis, TN; great-grandchildren: Hannah Forrester, Taylor Hart, Lane Hart, Pacer Hart, Adalyn Wallis, James Wallis, Sabrina Lofties, Eric Lofties; one nephew: Chris Wright.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband: Billy Joe Wallis, Sr.; her second husband: James "Bud" Eidson; her son: Billy Joe Wallis, Jr.; four brothers; one sister.

Officiating will be Bro. Chris Lewellen.

# Cemetery Details

## **Tippah Memorial Gardens**

Hwy 370  
Ripley, MS

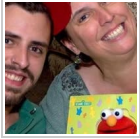
# Previous Events

## **Graveside Service**

MAR 11. 2:00 PM.

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# Tribute Wall



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**Margaret Firak** - August 21, 2024 at 01:57 PM

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“ *I met Shirley in Dallas, Texas while working with the Southern Pacific Railroad, then we both went to Denver, Co. where we worked for the Denver Rio Grande Railroad and I never saw her after I moved to Omaha, Neb. She was a very nice person, super funny and a very dependable. I am so sorry to the family, and my condolences as well! I know you will miss her dearly, she was a great person to be around. Rest in Heavenly peace, Shirley. Dee Rosenthal*

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**Dee Rosenthal** - April 18, 2024 at 12:04 AM

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*Thank you Dee for your kind words. We made trips often from where we lived in Memphis, TN to visit our grandparents, Bud and Shirley in Dallas, TX and then spent the summers in Colorado when they moved there as she worked for the railroad. I think she went to Kansas City after that. My grandmother always shared stories of her days working for the railroad. That was something she was very proud of and really enjoyed. She used to take us to the rail yard when we were kids and introduce us to everyone she worked with. We even got to take a ride on the train one day and push the lever to make the train move. I loved it so much that I now work in the same transportation industry, all because of her influence. She definitely had a way of lighting up the room and never met a stranger. We learned so much from her and will cherish those memories dearly and all the fun we had, our talks, and laughs. She is in heaven with God now and with her sons and husbands who passed before that she mourned and missed so much during her time here on earth. She will truly be missed!*

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**Kristy Wallis Hart** - July 19, 2024 at 04:06 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann Wright Eidson.*



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March 11, 2024 at 12:15 PM



“ *So sorry Dorothy our prayers are with you*

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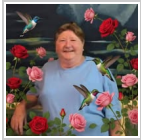
**Johnny & Paulette Childs** - March 09, 2024 at 09:19 AM



“ *Dorothy, I am so sorry to see this about Shirley Ann. My prayers are with you and her family during this difficult time.*

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**Donna Lancaster** - March 08, 2024 at 02:19 PM



“ *Lois Watson sent a virtual gift in memory of Shirley Ann Wright Eidson*



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**Lois Watson** - March 07, 2024 at 09:14 AM