



Mary Mellon Worsham

July 9, 1965 - April 20, 2021

Mary Mellon-Worsham was born July 9th, 1965 to Emma Mellon Turner & J.D. Shell in Augusta Arkansas. She was an active member of Bethlehem Baptist Church where she served faithfully on the Usher Board. She was called home to be with the Lord on the night of April 20th after a long hard fought battle with pancreatic cancer. She did not let it get her down as she worked every day as the Critical Care Unit Director at Unity Health where she was a devoted nurse for over 30 years. Mary was a strong, caring, courageous woman of God, who would do anything for anyone. She cared for many patients and families in her long career, and also helped many nurses with their careers. She had a passion for education, always learning new things, and spending time with her family and friends.

She leaves behind her mother, Emma Jean Mellon Turner; husband, Jerry Worsham; son, Jerry Mellon and wife, Tabetha; daughter, Alexis Worsham Taylor and husband, R.J.; grandchildren, Adalynn Mellon and Hailey Mellon; brothers, Carl Mellon and wife, Doris and Robert Mellon and wife, Dorene; uncle, Leslie Mellon; aunt, Jean M. Morrison; and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and extended family.

She is preceded in death by her father, J.D. Shell; brother, Jimmy Mellon; and grandmother, Katherine Mellon.

Funeral services will be held at Bethlehem Baptist Church in Searcy on Saturday, April 24, 2021 at 2:30 p.m. officiated by Reverend Jerry McClure and Pastor Tyrone Clegg. Visitation will begin at 1:00 p.m. prior to the service. Interment will be at White County Memorial Gardens. Arrangements entrusted to Powell Funeral Home, Searcy. www.powellfuneralhome.net.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 24. 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Bethlehem Baptist Church
301 E. Pleasure Ave.
Searcy, AR 72143

Funeral Service

APR 24. 2:30 PM (CT)

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301 E. Pleasure Ave.
Searcy, AR 72143

Interment

APR 24 (CT)

White County Memorial Gardens
Eastline Road and Park Avenue
Searcy, AR 72143

Tribute Wall

TG

“ *Ralph and Alex - I'm sorry for your loss, my thoughts and prayers are with you both.*

Terri Goodrich

Terri Goodrich - April 29, 2021 at 01:54 PM

DS

“ *I first met Mary when her daughter Alexis was in my preschool class. And later she was my husband's nurse in ccu. She was a wonderful nurse. My prayers are with you all. Ms Darlene*

Darlene Spann - April 28, 2021 at 09:32 AM

JS

“ *Ralph and Alexis - my deepest sympathies for your loss. - Jeffrey Soren*

Jeffrey Soren - April 27, 2021 at 11:10 AM

AB

“ *Addie Banks lit a candle in memory of Mary Mellon Worsham*



Addie Banks - April 26, 2021 at 06:12 PM

KM

“ Mary was an encouraging, strong, supportive, loving, caring, faithful, intelligent and thoughtful woman. The family visits were a delightful time, made better by her presence. Her faith in the Lord was evident. I will miss her dearly and want to express my condolences. We rejoice that she is at home with our Lord and Savior and look forward to seeing her again in heaven.

Kristina Mellon - April 25, 2021 at 06:49 PM

WJ

“ My husband passed away in 2014 and was at Unity hosp in ICU. He absolutely loved Ms. Mary. And anytime he needed something, would ask for her. An amazing woman! My family is saddened to hear of her passing but we know Heaven is a little sweeter now.

Wanda Johnson - April 25, 2021 at 11:39 AM

TC

“ My deep condolences to the family. Mary was a wonderful person. She will be missed very deeply.



tiana credle - April 24, 2021 at 05:09 PM

JR

“ My deepest sympathy to all of Mary's family and friends. I had the pleasure of being a co-worker at Central Arkansas Hospital. She was very well thought of as a terrific RN and as a wonderful person. May God be with you all as you mourn her.

Joanne Rausch - April 24, 2021 at 04:16 PM

DJ

“ I was saddened to learn of Marys passing.
She was a great nurse who i had utmost respect for in the time i
knew her.
My deepest sympathy to all her family.

David M Johnson

David M Johnson - April 24, 2021 at 10:51 AM

TP

“ I have so many memories of Mary as I was growing up. I spent so
many days at their home. They were my family long before she
gave birth to my nephew. My fondest memory was when my dad
was in the hospital. I was pregnant and visibly upset. I started
hyperventilating and Mary did what she does best. She was able to
calm me down and helped me relax. She always cared about
others. That was her calling in life and she served it well. You will be
missed sis! Job well done. May you now rest in the arms of the
Lord.

Tammy Peten - April 24, 2021 at 05:17 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of
Mary Mellon Worsham.



April 24, 2021 at 01:28 AM

DD

“ Prayers for the family. Mrs. Mary was such a special lady and always a blessing.



Denise Drye - April 23, 2021 at 07:48 PM

CS

“ Merry and family,
Ned and I were sad to see your mom passed. We will be praying for you and your family during this time of mourning. We are still not getting around a lot of people. We will not attend visitation or funeral. Thinking of you.

cindy and ned scallion - April 23, 2021 at 02:56 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Mellon Worsham.



April 23, 2021 at 10:41 AM

BY

“ I worked with Mary several years ago in CCU and got reacquainted with her when I returned to Unity in supportive care. I have honestly never met a stronger person. I spoke with her a few times about her future and her family was always her main focus. I remember seeing her at work and it was very obvious that she was exhausted but she never stopped. I feel so honored to have had the opportunity to know such an amazing lady! I honestly believe that the doors to heaven flew open for her and she made quite an entrance there as well! She lived in grace and will never be forgotten...

Becky Yauilla - April 23, 2021 at 08:35 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Mary Mellon Worsham.



April 23, 2021 at 08:28 AM

RS

“ I met Mary while working as an LPN about a month out of school. Mary (Mellon at the time) was always kind to anyone I had seen her meet or interact with until she needed to be tough, then she was and usually in a respectful manner. I have always held Mary in the highest regards and I will always continue to do so. I have known her since 1993 and always enjoyed working with her as she had more knowledge, compassion, common sense and empathy than many I have known or worked for since. Nursing will miss you Mary; and maybe more importantly, the world will miss you Mary.

Richard S. - April 23, 2021 at 01:26 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mary Mellon Worsham.



April 22, 2021 at 11:56 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mary Mellon Worsham.



April 22, 2021 at 11:28 PM



“ Mary very helpful with a project I had started at Unity Health Newport. She made the trip to the campus and helped get us started in the right direction with our new crash carts processes. She was one of the sweetest ladies I have ever met. Two months ago she was helping me with policies for my department. Truly a very special lady and I am blessed to have worked with you. You will missed by so many, RIP Mary ! Prayers to all her family and friends.



DeeDee Jeffery - April 22, 2021 at 11:26 PM



“ Sincerest prayers & condolences to Mrs. Emma Turner and the Mary Mellon Worsham Family..God bless you all!! John & Elsie Chestnutt 🙏🙏🙏

Elsie Chestnutt - April 22, 2021 at 10:57 PM

DD

“ *Dee DeLoach lit a candle in memory of Mary Mellon Worsham*



Dee DeLoach - April 22, 2021 at 10:25 PM

MW

Ms. Emma and the entire Worsham family, your loved one left a godly legacy. We are remembering your loved one and praying for the Lord to comfort you all with His great love and promise of a joyful reunion. Also, praying God gives you strength for each day. Heartfelt sympathy, Richard and Marsha White

Marsha White - April 23, 2021 at 11:51 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mary Mellon Worsham.*



April 22, 2021 at 09:20 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Mellon Worsham.*



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“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Mary Mellon Worsham.



April 22, 2021 at 05:06 PM