



## Virginia Rae Wright

July 2, 1936 - February 21, 2021

Virginia Rae (Thompson) Wright of Searcy, Arkansas went to Heaven on February 21, 2021. She was born and raised in Charleston, Missouri where she married her high school sweetheart, Charles Wright on April 10, 1954. She raised 5 sons and 1 daughter.

Virginia left Charleston, Missouri in 1972 for Blytheville, Arkansas where she worked at Arkansas Power and Light. Then she moved from Blytheville to Augusta, Arkansas in 1980 where she opened her own Real Estate office, The Wright Place in 1982. She then moved to Searcy, Arkansas where she sold real estate for Century 21, Powell Realty and was a Broker for ReMax Referral.

Her hobbies included needlepoint, gardening, decorating and playing bridge.

She was affiliated with St. Henry's Catholic Church in Charleston, Missouri, First United Methodist Church of Searcy, Arkansas and national Association of Realtors.

She is preceded in death by her parents, C.E. Thompson and Audrey Thompson, husband, Charles E. Wright, and a brother, Jack W. Thompson. She is survived by her children, Charles Michael Wright (Janice) of Searcy, AR, Deborah L. Gairhan (Terry) of Jonesboro, AR, Jeffery Davis Wright

(Carol) of Flower Mound, TX, Robert Scott Wright (Kelly) of Searcy, AR, Richard Todd Wright of Blytheville, AR, Boyd Thompson Wright (Stacy) of Searcy, AR; grandchildren, Micah Gooch (Tyson) of Conway, AR, Tyson Wright (Jenny) of Searcy, AR, Zachary Gairhan (Kaycee) of Jonesboro, AR, Emily Boyd of Searcy, AR, L.C. Wright of Flower Mound, TX, Austin Wright of Flower Mound, TX, Blake Wright (Luka) of Rogers, AR, Audra Allen (Daniel) of Maumelle, AR, Anna Shuck of Blytheville, AR, Madison Wright of Blytheville, AR Lauren Caple (Chase) of Searcy, AR; step-grandchildren, Bethany Williams (Chris) of Baton Rouge, LA, Megan Porter, Kelsey Porter, Josh Lott and Jake Lott all of Searcy, AR; great-grandchildren, Remi Cate Gooch and Anniston Carter Gooch of Conway, AR, Tatum Brock Wright, Jaxon Gray Wright, Ella Rose Wright and Savannah Boyd all of Searcy, AR, Denver Allen, Charley Allen and E.J. Allen all of Maumelle, AR, Caroline Wright and Collins Wright both of Rogers, AR, Khloe Shuck and Adeline Shuck both of Blytheville, AR, Brooks Thompson Caples of Searcy, AR; step-great-grandchildren, Keegan Mitchell and Brianna Williams both of Baton Rouge, LA, Austin Lott, Kaiser Lott, Stetson Lott and Payton Lott all of Searcy, AR; Zach Shuck of Blytheville, AR and Janet Wright of Searcy, AR; a sister, Marylu Rutherford (Aubrey) of Millersville, MO; and her bonus sister, Tommie Pemberton.

Visitation will be held at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy on Wednesday, February 24, 2021 from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. A graveside service will be held at Calvary Cemetery in Charleston, Missouri on Thursday, February 25, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. Arrangements entrusted to Powell Funeral Home, Searcy. [www.powellfuneralhome.net](http://www.powellfuneralhome.net).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **24**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Searcy)

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Searcy, AR 72143

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## Graveside Service

FEB **25**. 2:00 PM.

Calvary Cemetery

Charleston, MO

# Tribute Wall

SA

“ *my great grandma always would give me really good candy*

**savannah** - November 05, 2021 at 03:22 PM



“ *Southern Magnolia Tree was purchased for the family of Virginia Rae Wright.*



March 01, 2021 at 05:04 PM

SR

“ *Virginia was truly one of a kind. A true and loyal friend who was loved by everyone we know. You all are in our hearts and prayers.*

**Sharon Rushing** - February 25, 2021 at 05:04 AM

DJ

“ *Deal And Sherri Johnson lit a candle in memory of Virginia Rae Wright*



**Deal and Sherri Johnson** - February 24, 2021 at 03:57 PM

DJ

*Your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*

**Deal and Sherri Johnson** - February 24, 2021 at 04:00 PM

JS

*Love and prayers. Such a sweet and beautiful lady inside and out ❤️*

**Jill simmons** - February 24, 2021 at 09:56 PM

JY

“ *Boyd, Scott and family so sorry to hear about Mrs. Virginia. I remember when she would come into Ridouts and visit. I always love seeing her she was such a sweet and caring soul. She will be missed.*

*May God give each of you the strength you need for the days ahead.*

*Sending hugs and prayers.*

*Love Judy Young*



**JUDY Young** - February 24, 2021 at 03:06 PM

JC

“ *Your alls Mom was such a sweet lady! My family's condolences. Prayers offered.*

**John Coon** - February 24, 2021 at 02:37 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Virginia Rae Wright.*



February 24, 2021 at 01:14 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Virginia Rae Wright.*



February 24, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Virginia Rae Wright.*



February 24, 2021 at 08:42 AM



“ *Bob and Wanda Hawkins purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Virginia Rae Wright.*



**Bob and Wanda Hawkins** - February 24, 2021 at 08:30 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Virginia Rae Wright.*



February 23, 2021 at 11:45 PM

WF

“ *With Love, Brad and Kim Frayser purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Virginia Rae Wright.*



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**With Love, Brad and Kim Frayser** - February 23, 2021 at 11:37 PM



“ *Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Virginia Rae Wright.*



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February 23, 2021 at 05:05 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Virginia Rae Wright.*



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February 23, 2021 at 12:22 PM

LS

“ *We loved having Virginia as a neighbor for several years when we moved into the Jamestown neighborhood. She was a wonderful lady and will be missed. Thoughts and prayers to you all at this time.*

*-Rob & Lisa Schmittou*

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**Lisa Schmittou** - February 23, 2021 at 12:18 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Virginia Rae Wright.*



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February 23, 2021 at 08:13 AM



“ *Virginia was such a friendly and fun loving person, RIP*

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**Maty Harris** - February 22, 2021 at 05:38 PM



*She was such a dear sweet lady. She will be missed.*

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**Sherry Hefner** - February 22, 2021 at 07:06 PM



*Oh golly, I just now heard about your trip to heaven. I am so sorry to see such an lovable lady leave us. ~~ I love you Virginia.*

*Your friend for soooo many years~~ Rita Lober Schoenberg~~*

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**rita lober schoenberg** - July 01, 2021 at 10:20 PM



*Dear Virginia,*

*Why has it taken me so long to post? Because sometimes there are no words. This is one of those times.*

*Your friendship meant so much to me, I could not imagine where to begin.*

*I think of you often. You're in my heart.  
Thank you for being such a good friend. I miss you.*

*Love, Kristin*

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**Kristin Lightle** - July 15, 2021 at 02:52 PM

MR

*Dearest Gina*

*You have been my sister for 81 years and I have missed you for everyday since you left me. How many times have I reached for the phone to tell you something or just to say Hi I love you. I miss you, you are spending time with Charlie and Mom & Dad and I know that brings you peace. I love you good bye sister*

*Mary Lou Rutherford*

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**Mary Lou Rutherford** - November 03, 2023 at 03:35 PM