



Ms. WyGonda Joy Fisher

May 6, 1961 - October 26, 2021

WyGonda Joy Fisher, age 60, was called home on Tuesday, October 26, 2021 after a courageous battle with breast cancer. WyGonda was born in DeWitt, Arkansas on May 6, 1961 to Glendel and Sarah Ann (Herrmann) Fisher. Her twin sister, LaRonda, arrived a few minutes after. She was a lifelong resident of DeWitt.

WyGonda, who was equally called by her middle name, Joy, truly lived up to her name. She radiated joy and love to all who knew her. She was a kind and gentle soul who loved helping and serving others. She adored family and friends, and she showed her love through gifts and acts of kindness. She and her mother were an inseparable team. After the passing of her father in 1997, WyGonda was a constant help and companion to her mother for the remainder of her days.

WyGonda graduated from DeWitt High School in May 1979. She also started her walk with Lord Jesus that same month. She was an active member of the General Assembly and Church of the Firstborn, and she was a devoted servant her entire life. WyGonda worked as a custodian for many years, cleaning and caring for the homes of multiple families and the DeWitt Elementary School.

She is survived by her mother, Sarah Fisher; siblings, Diane Fisher, Vance

(Teresa) Fisher, and Maleta (Dewayne) Schmidt; brother-in-law, Kip Payton; sister-in-law Lynnette (Van) Saunders; nephews, Travis Fisher and Statler Schmidt; nieces, Emily Fisher, Kendra (Brad) Rainey, Bethany (Craig) Ellenberg, Autumn (Connor) Cunningham, Nicole (DJ) Barnes, Haley Fisher, Makalynn Schmidt, and Melissa (Kyle) Luebke; and several great nephews, family members and friends.

WyGonda was preceded in death by her father, Glendel Fisher; brother, Dorland Fisher; twin sister, LaRonda; sister Denise Payton; brother-in-law Wesley Hamm; nephews, Tyler Hamm, Bradley Hamm and Colby Fisher; and nieces Jessica Hamm and Rhianna Schmidt.

WyGonda will be greatly missed.

Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. Saturday, October 30 at Essex Funeral Home. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Sunday, October 31 at the General Assembly and Church of the Firstborn with burial following in Thompson Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Thompson Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **30**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Essex Funeral Home
1405 South Grandview
DeWitt, AR 72042
(870) 946-3104
<https://www.essexfuneralhome.com>

Service

OCT **31**. 2:00 PM (CT)

General Assembly and Church of the Firstborn
DeWitt, AR 72042

Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ms. WyGonda Joy Fisher.*



October 29, 2021 at 06:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ms. WyGonda Joy Fisher.*



October 29, 2021 at 03:02 PM



“ *Johnny Sue Davis lit a candle in memory of Ms. WyGonda Joy Fisher*



Johnny Sue Davis - October 29, 2021 at 08:48 AM



“ *Joy was a very nice sincere person.. Prayers of comfort for her family 🙏🌸*



Gaye Hopkins - October 28, 2021 at 10:02 PM

SS

“ Sis. Sarah and family, I am so sorry to hear of Sis. WyGonda's passing. I remember when Sis. Willie Reynolds gave me WyGonda's address, and we started exchanging letters. I so enjoyed those letters, and getting to know your family through them. I didn't get to meet her in person until years later. It was such a sweet experience. You all are in my prayers, especially Sis. Sarah. May you h be surrounded by God's grace and peace.

Sis. Mary Skinner - October 28, 2021 at 06:13 PM

LG

So sorry about Wygonda...🥺❤️🙏

Linda West Goodwin - October 29, 2021 at 01:08 AM

KD

“ Sending big hugs and lots of love!!💕 Praying for you all!! She will be missed.😞😞

Karen Day - October 28, 2021 at 03:38 PM