



## Wilma Lynn Walker

October 15, 1962 - September 25, 2025

Wilma Lynn Walker, 62, of Springdale; passed away Thursday, September 25, 2025, at her home. She was born Monday, October 15, 1962, at Huntsville; to Dewell and Lily Fay Shipp Walker.

Wilma was a bright light to everyone who knew her. She had a warm smile, a kind heart, and a playful spirit that made time with her unforgettable. Family was very special to her, and she especially loved spending time with the littles. She loved country music and could often be found singing along to her favorite George Strait songs; concerts were a special joy for her. Wilma was also a proud Razorback fan who loved cheering on her team, whether in the stands or from home. She had a soft spot for cats, a love for the outdoors, and found joy in simple pleasures like sunshine, fresh air, and good company.

For 39 years, Wilma dedicated herself to Tyson Foods as a Customer Service Representative. Her work family meant so much to her, and the friendships she gained there were lasting. Faith was also an important part of Wilma's life. She was proud to attend and be a part of Christian Life Cathedral Church, where she found fellowship and encouragement.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Dewell and Lily Walker; a brother, Lindon Walker; and a sister, Diana Bryant.

She is survived by her sister, Brenda Frederick and husband Jerry of Huntsville; three nieces, Heather Barker, April (Adrian) West, and Kayla (Jonathan) Frederick; and two nephews, Chad (Dana) Frederick, and Dewell (Shayleigh) Bryant. She is also survived by her great friend and companion, Terry Jordan, as well as several great nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends 5:00 PM-7:00 PM, Tuesday, September 30, 2025, at Brashears Funeral Home. A funeral service will be 10:00 AM, Wednesday, October 1, 2025, at Brashears Funeral Home with Glenn Thomas officiating. Pallbearers will be Johnny Crittenden, Landan Jones, Eric Birkhaug, Gil Bryant, Adrian West, and Jerry Roller. Honorary pallbearers will be Jerry Frederick and Terry Jordan. Interment will immediately follow services at the Huntsville Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Wilma's name may be made to Huntsville Friendship Club, PO Box 762, Huntsville, AR, 72740.

Services are entrusted to Brashears Funeral Home and Crematory of Huntsville.

# Cemetery Details

## Huntsville Cemetery

Cemetery Drive  
Huntsville, AR 72740  
<https://www.google.com/maps/place/Huntsville+Cemetery/@36.0935763,-93.7338822,15z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x0:0x431b3912d1b18b1b!8m2!3d36.0935763!4d-93.7338822>

# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

SEP 30. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Brashears Funeral Home and Crematory  
509 North Gaskill Street  
Huntsville, AR 72740  
(479) 738-2123  
<https://www.brashearsfuneralhome.net/>

## Funeral Service

OCT 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

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509 North Gaskill Street  
Huntsville, AR 72740  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Brashears Funeral Home and Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Wilma Lynn Walker*



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**Brashears Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc.** - September 30, 2025 at 10:39 AM

SM

“ *Prayers & condolences to all the family.*

*Steve Ball & Stephanie Ball Maupin*

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**STEPHANIE MAUPIN** - October 02, 2025 at 05:26 PM

JC

“ *Wilma was the darling little red-headed girl who my Grandma Johnson always thought was so pretty. Tiny, smiling and with that glorious hair. I saw her fairly often during the years that I spent some time with her sister Diana. Time changes things, and we did not see each other nearly as often. I pray that her family finds peace in happy memories.*

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**Jackie Collins** - October 02, 2025 at 01:30 PM

RC

“ *Wilma one of the sweetest ladies I've ever known and I've known her since the 80's. She'll be missed. Rick Cermak*

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**Rick Cermak** - October 01, 2025 at 11:14 AM

TM

“ I will forever miss Wilma. She and I have been working buddies since the old PepsiCo/PFS days. The work-day family we make through the years. Always a person that will help In any situation. Always ‘let’s see what we can do’. We met in person at a work field day trip to Tyson Fort Worth years ago. And it just bumped up our friendship. We laughed and ranted and helped eachother through a rough day. God bless you my friend. God bless your family and friends with His loving care. Rest in peace

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**Tuni McCluney** - October 01, 2025 at 10:43 AM

AM

“ Wilma hired me from a temp to a full time Customer Service Representative at Tyson in 2015. She was such a comforting soul. She had an optimistic outlook, loved people, and made an impact on my life. I’m saddened for the family and our Tyson family, but I know she is in the presence of the Savior which serves as a comfort to me. I’ll miss you sweet Wilma. Until we meet again.

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**Amanda** - October 01, 2025 at 10:10 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Tribute Wall



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**Karla Sharpsteen** - September 30, 2025 at 08:50 PM

RV

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family

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**Ronnie & Kathy Villines** - September 30, 2025 at 05:59 PM

TF

“ *The Wagner Family purchased the Serene Retre at for the family of Wilma Lynn Walker.*



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**The Wagner Family** - September 30, 2025 at 05:39 PM

JB

“ *I had the pleasure of knowing Wanda through Tyson and their relationship with McLane Foodservice. She was my go-to person and never minded if I contacted her about something that was not her job. She was a joy to work with and never seemed to be having a bad day. I will miss talking to her very much. We are praying for her family, for comfort that only the Lord can provide. For those that know His peace that passes all understanding, please join with us in lifting up this family.....*

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**Jerry Burk** - September 30, 2025 at 05:36 PM

DE

“ *3 files added to the album Tribute Wall*



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**Dee** - September 30, 2025 at 03:34 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Wilma Lynn Walker.*



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September 30, 2025 at 12:52 PM



“ *Your operating room family purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Wilma Lynn Walker.*



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**Your operating room family** - September 30, 2025 at 12:51 PM



“ *Wilma was one of the original OG's of customer service at Tyson Foods. She raised me and other sales folks at Tyson to navigate the Tyson world and always did it with empathy, compassion and kindness. She was always customer focused first and foremost and did it with a smile. Wilma was one of the best and heaven got a good one. RIP Wilma. You were loved by many.*

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**stacy wright** - September 30, 2025 at 12:44 PM

TM

“ When Wilma and I were in elementary school, we visited the other's house some. We lived close enough to each other for play dates with both of our houses off of Highway 23 South. I loved her family's home with its natural rock exterior and the rooms that seemed to run one to the other to the next. Her mom and dad were so kind, and one of her big sisters had a black light (so groovy back in the day). We had so much fun playing, but whenever we tried to spend the night, both of us ended up crying to go home, and neither one of us ever made it through a full night. My mind holds her as an eight-year-old playful, giggling girl with amazing, flowing red hair and a constant, kind smile--my beautiful friend Wilma. Sending sympathy, love, and prayers to the Walker family.

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**Tammy Griggs Mata** - September 30, 2025 at 11:31 AM

DB

“ I work at Tyson Foods and have visited with Wilma from time to time, we both worked in different departments, but would talk about our love for country music. She was always so sweet and kind and will greatly missed from the Tyson corporation. Wishing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts

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**Donna Bolinger** - September 30, 2025 at 09:16 AM

DB

“ I work at Tyson Foods and would visit with Wilma and she was always so sweet and a good person to know. Wishing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts.

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**Donna Bolinger** - September 30, 2025 at 08:40 AM

CF

“ Carrier Relations Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Wilma Lynn Walker.



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**Carrier Relations Family** - September 29, 2025 at 11:38 PM

GG

“ I am so saddened to read of Wilma's passing. She was always a bright light at Tyson. She surely helped me tremendously during my tenure at Tyson. Always a smile and laugh and a helpful hand. She will be truly missed by all who were fortunate to have known her. Rest in Peace Wilma. God has gained an angel.

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**Greg Gordon** - September 29, 2025 at 08:31 PM

VB

“ We are so very sorry for your loss. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

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**Vail & Wynonia Boller** - September 29, 2025 at 04:56 PM

KB

“ So sad I will not be there to say my goodbyes. But I know she would understand. She will be missed. Such a kind and sweet person.

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**Katrina Burnett** - September 29, 2025 at 04:38 PM

BF

“ *Broyles family purchased the Simply Elegant Spa thiphyllum for the family of Wilma Lynn Walker.*



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**Broyles family** - September 29, 2025 at 04:20 PM

TM

“ *Sending my condolences, im so so sorry . She was a sweet lady.*  
*Tamra McDonald*

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**Tamra McDonald** - September 29, 2025 at 04:10 PM

JE

“ *Wilma and I met through seeing country music star Steve Wariner , herself, her sister Diana, and my Cousin Glenda traveled for many years seeing Steve and made a lifelong friend, her little chuckle and her face getting red when she would laugh will always make me smile her heart was big as a mountain i loved our 30 plus year friendship. I miss her every time i hear a Steve Wariner song. Prayers to all her family to find healing in the future as i know now your heart is broken like mine. May god put his healing hands on you all.*

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**JenniferGloer** - September 29, 2025 at 04:07 PM

BB

*Wilma Walker is a precious friend to me! That she will remain always in my memories. We traveled many times to see George Strait. We would scream when a new song would come on the radio as we were driving! Even the old ones brought the same reaction. We followed the bus from city to city, sometimes two in a weekend. We sat in the rain, in the hot, hot sun. that didn't phase us.*

*What fun, laughter, and heart to heart talks we had over the years! We would stay up late, call the radio station and request George and Steve Warner. We shared many meals together. Never a dull moment. I loved her family and am blessed to have known them.*

*After I moved to Georgia, she came to visit me. I was touched by her visit!*

*My heart breaks for those who loved as a sister, an aunt, a friend, co- worker or sister in Christ.*

*That little smile that danced across her face would bring a smile to all around her!*

*I love you. Wilm!*

*See you later!*

*Always,*

*Barbara Brown*

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**Barbara Brown** - September 29, 2025 at 07:58 PM

MK

*She and her family are so special to me, I was her Mom's hospice nurse, and so got to know them well, she was so sweet and precious, sending love ❤️ and prayers for comfort and healing ❤️🙏 to her family and friends*

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**Marquita Kendrick** - September 29, 2025 at 09:23 PM

EM

*“ I'm sorry so sorry for your loss, sending my condolences to the family.. prayers for the family.. / Euna McKnight*



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**Euna McKnight** - September 29, 2025 at 04:04 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Wilma Lynn Walker.

September 29, 2025 at 04:03 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Wilma Lynn Walker.



September 29, 2025 at 04:03 PM



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



JenniferGloer - September 29, 2025 at 04:02 PM



“ The happy hours I spent with your family are part of my most special memories. Prayers for peace and comfort in the days ahead

*Barbara Collins Mitchell*

Barbara Mitchell - September 29, 2025 at 03:58 PM

JE

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JenniferGloer - September 29, 2025 at 03:58 PM

BW

“ Such a sweet person, our prayers and condolences to all her family and friends

Tom and Billie Whorton

Billie Whorton - September 29, 2025 at 03:54 PM

KM

“ Kent and Marleen purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Wilma Lynn Walker.



Kent and Marleen - September 29, 2025 at 03:50 PM

JG

“ Wilma and i have been friends for over 30 years, we traveled many a mile to watch Steve Wariner in concert, herself , Diana and my cousin so many memories my heart is crushed seeing this, I pray all the family finds healing in time. she was so loved.

JENNIFER GLOER - September 29, 2025 at 03:43 PM