



## Karen S. O'Neal

January 27, 1940 - April 6, 2015

Bluefield, VA- Karen S. O'Neal, 75, of Bluefield, VA, died Monday April 6, 2015 at Bluefield Regional Medical Center.

Born January 27, 1940 in Clinchco, VA, she was a daughter of the late William H. Hatfield and Oma Gay Wilburn Hatfield. Mrs. O'Neal was a lifelong member of Memorial Baptist Church in Bluefield, VA. She was active in Sunday school, bible study, and the kitchen committee. She also volunteered her time at Westwood Center. She loved her Graham G-Men, and she was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Bluefield Virginia Rescue Squad. Mrs. O'Neal was a wonderful mother who loved her family.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, John K. O'Neal.

Left to cherish her memory are her children, John O'Neal and wife Linda of Bluefield, VA, Lisa O'Neal Clemson and husband Travis of Richmond, VA, and Susan O'Neal Gibberson and husband Jim Gibberson, II of Bluefield, VA; one sister, Pricilla Guinn of Blountville, TN; five grandchildren, Hunter O'Neal of Johnson City, TN, Andrew Clemson and wife Nicki of Killeen, TX, Cody Clemson of Richmond, VA, Brandon Gibberson and Kelsey Gibberson, both of Bluefield, VA; and one great-grandson, Cason Clemson; special friend, Betty Rorrer; and special doctor, Domingo Javier.

Funeral services will be conducted on Thursday April 9, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. from the Mercer Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Lacy Brooks officiating.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Thursday from 1:00 p.m.

until the service hour.

Burial will follow at Grandview Memory Gardens in Bluefield, VA where Jim Rorrer, Ron Holt, and men of Memorial Baptist Church will serve as pallbearers.

The family would like to request that memorial contributions, if desired, be made to the Carlock-Pruett Athletic Foundation, 210 Valleydale Street, Bluefield, VA 24605 or to Memorial Baptist Church, 401 Virginia Avenue, Bluefield, VA 24605.

Those wishing to share memories or condolence messages with the family may do so by visiting [www.MercerFuneralHome.com](http://www.MercerFuneralHome.com) Mercer Funeral Home & Crematory is serving the family of Mrs. Karen S. O'Neal.

# Cemetery Details

## Grandview Memory Gardens

Bluefield, VA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Mercer Funeral Home Chapel  
1231 West Cumberland Road  
Bluefield, WV 24701

## Funeral Service

APR 9. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mercer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Karen S. O'Neal*



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**Mercer Funeral Home** - April 09, 2015 at 09:27 AM



“ *Karen S. O'Neal*

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October 05, 2023 at 06:08 PM



“ *It was a pleasure knowing your sweet mama while at Westwood...my father was also a patient there for several months. Praying the Lord is comforting your family with His peace. Sincerely, The Pfau Family*

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**Jane Pfau** - April 21, 2015 at 01:32 PM



“ *Karen was my first boss. She was kind, fair , and fun to be around. We all loved her. I'm so sorry for your loss. You are all in prayers.*



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**Debbie Goode** - April 09, 2015 at 10:21 AM

BM

“ Please accept our sincere sympathy--Karen was a fine lady. You will be in our thoughts and prayers.

*Bob & Vicki Mahood*

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**Bob Mahood** - April 09, 2015 at 09:55 AM

PH

“ Susan, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with your family during this time of great loss.--Pam Hayton

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**Pam Hayton** - April 09, 2015 at 07:55 AM

JW

“ John, My thoughts and prayers are with you.

*Jack West*

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**John West** - April 09, 2015 at 07:00 AM

EN

“ You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.  
*Respectfully Eric, Christina and Ashleigh Nunley*

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**Eric, Christina and Ashleigh Nunley** - April 08, 2015 at 07:49 PM

CF

“ Carol Fielder purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Karen S. O'Neal.



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**Carol Fielder** - April 08, 2015 at 06:37 PM

CF

“ May God give comfort and peace to the family and friends through this time of loss and sadness.



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**Carol Fielder** - April 08, 2015 at 02:24 PM

AA

“ Bill and I loved Karen. She will be missed. We send our love to each one of the family.  
Love,  
Bill and Nita Artrip

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**Anita Artrip** - April 08, 2015 at 11:38 AM

SC

“ So sorry for your loss I always remember your momma with a big smile on her face and a beautiful laugh that she always shared with others. keeping you in prayer during this tough time. Sandy Christian

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**Sandy Christian** - April 08, 2015 at 09:59 AM

SM

“ Karen was a dear, dear person. She was a fun, kind, and thoughtful human! I send warmest thoughts to all the family & know you will be comforted by all the great memories she created!  
Sharon Hoback Massaroni-West Palm Beach

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**Sharon Hoback Massaroni** - April 08, 2015 at 07:23 AM