



## Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer

December 28, 1951 - February 1, 2017

Bluefield, WV- Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer, 65, of 641 College Avenue, Bluefield WV, passed away Wednesday February 1, 2017 at BRMC.

Carol was a loving mother, sister, and friend to all that knew her. She would help anyone she could. She was a 1970 graduate of Pocahontas High school and attended Southwest Virginia Community College Nursing program. She enjoyed crocheting, sewing, playing cards with her neighbors, good food, flowers and taking care of her dogs. Carol had a sense of humor and could make anyone laugh. She was a private duty care giver to so many.

Carol was the baby daughter of the late James Edgar Murphy and Grace Dove Murphy. She was preceded in death by her husband Larry "Bunk" Spencer, daughter-in-law Cindy Peery Spencer; brothers, Benny Dale Murphy and Herbert Porter Murphy; sisters, Doris Murphy Passan and Sharon Murphy Purdie; and brother in law, Clyde Parker.

She is survived by son Brad Spencer of Bluefield, WV; sister, Edith Murphy Miller and husband Jimmy of Bluefield WV; brothers, Curtis Ray Murphy and wife Judith of Rock WV and Billy Wayne Murphy and wife Sharon, and David Lynn Murphy and wife Connie of Abbs Valley; sisters-in-law, Dianna Murphy of Tazewell VA, and Laurie Murphy of Texas, and Carolyn Spencer Langford; brothers in law-Bill Passan of Bluefield WV, Charles Spencer and wife Janet Lee, Bob Spencer and wife Shirley and Don Purdie. Nieces and nephews- Renee Linden, Cheri Taylor, Michelle Greenway, Lori Caldwell, Tracie Epperson, Terri Lynn Groseclose, Sherry Spencer, Shannon Remines, Jeff

Roark, Robin Murphy, Brent Murphy, Craig Murphy, David Murphy . She also leaves behind a host of great nieces and nephews, extended family and friends, too numerous to list.

A memorial service will be held on Thursday February 9, 2017 at 2:00 at Mercer Funeral Home with Rev. Matthew Coiner officiating.

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

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. Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

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

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

## Funeral Service

FEB 9. 2:00 PM (ET)

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1231 West Cumberland Road  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer*

October 05, 2023 at 06:08 PM



“ *Went to school with Carol, a beautiful sweet, kind and loving lady. Prayers for family and friends.*



**Lena Hodge** - February 15, 2017 at 02:02 PM



“ *Alicia Tereschenko lit a candle in memory of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer*



**Alicia Tereschenko** - February 15, 2017 at 12:22 PM



“ *Jennifer Grossi lit a candle in memory of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer*



**jennifer grossi** - February 14, 2017 at 06:24 PM



*She loved candles always kept one burning. 💕💕💕*

**jennifer grossi** - February 14, 2017 at 06:25 PM

JG

“ Carol was such a warm hearted lady there for anybody she could help. It was a shock to hear of her passing. Will miss her. Loved her dearly. ❤️❤️  
Rest In Peace Sweet Lady!!!

jennifer grossi - February 14, 2017 at 06:19 PM

SD

“ Stephen Drosick lit a candle in memory of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer



Stephen Drosick - February 10, 2017 at 07:02 AM

BS

“ Bobby, Shirley, Sherri Spencer lit a candle in memory of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer



Bobby, Shirley, Sherri Spencer - February 08, 2017 at 10:21 PM

SC

“ Sharon Collins lit a candle in memory of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer



Sharon Collins - February 08, 2017 at 07:47 AM

LC

*Thank you my sweet friend!*

**Lori Murphy Caldwell** - February 08, 2017 at 06:40 PM

BS

*Our family Bobby Spencer, Shirley Spencer and Sherri Spencer send our prayers to the family. We all loved Carol so much and I (Sherri) always enjoyed spending time with and my Uncle Bunk, this is so sad and she will be missed so much. She will always be in my thoughts and prayers to the family. May God Bless U ALL*

**Bobby,Shirley,Sherri Spencer** - February 08, 2017 at 10:20 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer.*



February 07, 2017 at 06:46 PM

AI

“ *Aleta Isaacs sent a virtual gift in memory of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer*



**Aleta Isaacs** - February 07, 2017 at 11:48 AM

BC

“ *Barbara Creasy lit a candle in memory of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer*



**Barbara Creasy** - February 05, 2017 at 03:40 PM

LC

*Thank you, Barbara!*

Lori Murphy Caldwell - February 08, 2017 at 06:40 PM

HM

“ *Hilda Muncy lit a candle in memory of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer*



Hilda Muncy - February 04, 2017 at 06:47 PM

SY

“ *Sharon York lit a candle in memory of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer*



Sharon York - February 04, 2017 at 02:16 PM

KM

“ *So sorry to hear of Carol's passing .. My most sincere and deepest sympathy to her family and friends.*

Kay Murphy - February 04, 2017 at 12:21 PM

DH

“ *Denise Woodall Hall lit a candle in memory of Virginia Carol Murphy Spencer*



Denise Woodall Hall - February 03, 2017 at 10:02 AM

DH

*I am so sorry to hear of Carol's passing. Carol was a beloved friend for many years. I have only the fondest memories of her and will never forget her. Love, Denise Woodall Hall*

**Denise Woodall Hall** - February 03, 2017 at 10:20 AM

BC

*My dear friend Carol has entered her heavenly home so sorry to hear of her passing away. I've known Carol for many years spent a lot of fun times with her & our neighbor Mary for a lot of years. My heart aches for the loss of such a precious lady loved her sweet smile & gentle manner, Carol is an angel now fly high my dear friend love u so much RIP Barbara Creasy*

**Barbara Creasy** - February 03, 2017 at 05:18 PM

HM

*Carol was a precious, special long time friend. She was like a daughter to me. I loved her dearly. She was always thoughtful of others and their needs over her own. She was always there for me through difficult times - helping take care of my mother, my daughter and my husband during the times of their ill health and deaths. We also had many good times together - our girl talks, over coffee times, our trip to the beach, making our rounds to the yard sales, staying up all night to be first in line to collect the newest "beanie babies". So many good memories! I am so thankful that Carol is in the arms of the Lord now, no more suffering and that we shall be together again in Heaven! I love you Carol, Hilda Muncy*

**Hilda Muncy** - February 04, 2017 at 12:02 PM

SY

*Carol was a dear beloved friend. We have known each other since first grade. She will be greatly missed. May God give peace and comfort to her family.*

**Sharon York** - February 04, 2017 at 02:18 PM

LC

*Thank you all for your kind words! My aunt Carol was a special lady!*

**Lori Murphy Caldwell** - February 08, 2017 at 06:42 PM