



Joyce Thompson Wright

December 20, 1940 - September 1, 2025

Joyce Thompson Wright, age 84, of Christiansburg, Va., passed away on September 1, 2025.

Born on December 20, 1940, in Grayson County, Va., the daughter of Henry and Rose Thompson. She was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers; infant son, Mark Allen Wright; and loving husband of 60 years, Grayson Wright.

Joyce is survived by two sons and daughters-in-law, Toby and Peachy Wright, and Pat and Vicki Wright, all of Christiansburg, VA; four granddaughters, Paige Wright and Haley of Jackson Springs, NC; Courtney Orey and Hunter, Kara Wright and Grace Wright all of Christiansburg, Va.; great granddaughter, Helena Wright of Jackson Springs, NC; one sister, Sarah Campbell of Dublin, Va.; niece, Sherrie Austin of Hawaii; special family members Billy and Penny Baumgardner of Low Gap, NC; and special friend Janis Wilfore of Blacksburg, Va.

Joyce grew up in Grayson County and graduated from Independence High School in 1959. She and Grayson were married on September 14, 1962, after which they moved to Christiansburg. Joyce worked for and retired from Electro-Tec Corporation in Blacksburg.

Joyce's greatest joy came from her family and her flowers. She loved flowers

of all kinds but was particularly fond of the daylilies that she and Grayson planted all around their home.

The family would like to thank Tamara Shimosono and Ginger Patton for their dedicated care of Joyce over the last few years. To Joyce they were friends not just care givers.

A graveside service will be held at 11:00am on Tuesday, September 9th at the family cemetery, Pleasant Hill Church, 3710 Pine Mountain Rd., Independence, Va. Pastor Scott Obenchain will officiate.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Hill Church Cemetery

3710 Pine Mountain Rd
Independence, VA

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

Pleasant Hill Church Cemetery
3710 Pine Mountain Rd
Independence, Virginia 24348

Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joyce Thompson Wright.*



September 08, 2025 at 10:47 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joyce Thompson Wright.

September 06, 2025 at 12:48 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joyce Thompson Wright.*



September 06, 2025 at 12:48 PM



“ *Love Bob, Sheri and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Joyce Thompson Wright.*



Love Bob, Sheri and family - September 05, 2025 at 08:29 PM



“ *Fall Fantasia was purchased for the family of Joyce Thompson Wright.*



September 05, 2025 at 07:44 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joyce Thompson Wright.

September 05, 2025 at 07:44 PM



“ *Toby, I was so sorry to hear about your mom, I remember your parents well. Please know I am thinking about you, Peachy, your girls, and the rest of your lovely family during this difficult time.*

Love Michele

Michele Bookbinder - September 05, 2025 at 08:15 AM



“ *Love, Michele planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joyce Thompson Wright.*

Love, Michele - September 05, 2025 at 08:12 AM

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“ *Love, Michele purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Joyce Thompson Wright.*



Love, Michele - September 05, 2025 at 08:12 AM