



Phyllis Miles Sumner

March 10, 1938 - April 24, 2025

Phyllis Miles Sumner, 87, passed away on Thursday, April 24, 2025, at Highland Ridge Rehab Center Dublin, VA. She was born on March 10, 1938, in Christiansburg, Virginia to the late James J. Miles and Martha Reed Miles. Phyllis was a member of the Auburn Baptist Church of Riner, Virginia. She was a beautician for many years and had a salon in Christiansburg and Radford with her husband. Her main hobby was her love of researching genealogy for her family and friends. She looked forward to breakfast on Wednesday's with her many, many friends.

On June 14, 1958, she married the love of her life, Archie H. Sumner, Sr. and together they built a life rooted in love and family, raising two children together.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Archie H. Sumner, Sr. on June 6, 2023. She is survived by her daughter, Lisa S. Jarrett of Falls Church, Virginia; son Archie H. Sumner, Jr. of Dublin, Virginia, and his late wife Debra A. Sumner; and one grandchild, Tyler C. Jarrett of Falls Church, Virginia.

The family would like to thank all the medical professionals who helped her and the family during her journey.

A graveside service was held on Friday, April 25, 2025, with Pastor Shake Smith officiating and prayer by Assistant Pastor Austin Peyton at Sunset

Cemetery, Christiansburg, Virginia. Arrangements by McCoy Funeral Home, Blacksburg, Virginia.

Phyllis will be remembered for her warmth, her quiet strength, and her unwavering love for her family. Her legacy lives on in the hearts of those who knew and loved her.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Cemetery

501 S. Franklin Street
Christiansburg, VA

Previous Events

Graveside Service

APR 25. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BD

“ *Phyllis was a long time friend and also family connection. I will miss talking to her in person or by phone. we had a lot in common bringing up memories of school days and all the people we know. I can't say enough good things about her. a special person.* ”

Barbara Duncan - April 29, 2025 at 06:25 PM

RS

“ *Sorry to hear of Phyllis 's passing a group of friends had breakfast each Wednesday morning at County Kitchen. We enjoyed hearing Phyllis tell stores of the past and she certainly was knowledgeable on genealogy .
Once again sorry for the families lost she will be missed.
Rita Stephens* ”

Rita Stephens - April 29, 2025 at 03:31 PM

DM

“ *I am so very sorry to hear about Phyllis. She was a wonderful friend to me . We knew each other from high school and go back a long way. Praying for peace & comfort during this sad time.* ”

Doris Martin - April 28, 2025 at 07:19 PM

BH

“ *So sorry to hear of the passing of Phyllis. She was my hair dresser back in the day, later we went to church together.* ”

Bonnie Heinline - April 26, 2025 at 03:14 PM

KB

“ *As a child Phyllis cut my hair. I always enjoyed seeing her and her husband when we were out and about. Such a dear sweet lady.*



Kathy Poff Banks - April 25, 2025 at 12:42 PM