



## Betty "Ruth" Wilson

August 16, 1949 - June 23, 2021

East Stone Gap, VA

Ruth Wilson, 71, passed away on Wednesday, June 23, 2021 at Norton Community Hospital.

Ruth married the love of her life on August 17 1969, Lanny Wilson. She was a devoted member of the Powell Valley Seventh Day Adventist church. She was a very active member, she prided herself on teaching the youth of the church. She instilled Godly character and wisdom into her teaching of the children. She will be sorely missed by her family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; David and B.B. Gaye

She is survived by her husband Lanny Wilson of the home, her best friend and daughter Kimberly Crowson and husband Tony of Gastonia, N.C. her grandson Christopher Crowson, her siblings; Sara Cook, Juel Weiss, Evelyn Amos, David Prather, special sister in law Tandy Wilson, several nieces and nephews, other close relatives and friends.

The family will have a graveside service on Saturday, June 26 2021, in Riverview cemetery at 3 p.m. officiated by Pastor John McFarland. The family will meet at the cemetery at 2:50 for the committal service.

You may go online to view the obituary, sign the guest registry, or leave the family a condolence at [www.holdingfuneralhome.com](http://www.holdingfuneralhome.com)

Holding Funeral Home is honored to serve the Wilson Family.

# Cemetery Details

## Riverview Cemetery

East Stone Gap Road  
East Stone Gap, VA 24246

# Previous Events

## Burial

JUN **26**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Riverview Cemetery  
East Stone Gap Road  
East Stone Gap, VA 24246

# Tribute Wall



“ *Betty "Ruth" Wilson*

October 07, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ *Ruth had a sweet, caring spirit that touched everyone. Herb and I are so sorry we didn't know about her passing till yesterday. Praying for God's comfort for Kim and Lannie. Love you all.*

**Mary M Kelley** - July 05, 2021 at 03:15 PM



“ *Tony Crowson lit a candle in memory of Betty "Ruth" Wilson*



**Tony Crowson** - June 26, 2021 at 01:05 PM



*And I heard a thousand legions of a thousand angels sing , Oh Ruthy , Oh Ruthy... then from the silence the rang after... Well done my good and faithful servant. Well Done...*

**Tony Crowson** - June 26, 2021 at 01:09 PM



“ *Shirley Fisher*



**Shirley Fisher** - June 26, 2021 at 01:08 AM

JJ

“ Jerry, JoAnn, Dinah, Joy, Melody, Letha, Paula, JC purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Betty "Ruth" Wilson.



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**Jerry, JoAnn, Dinah, Joy, Melody, Letha, Paula, JC** - June 25, 2021 at 02:27 PM

DF

“ Betty "Ruth" Prather Wilson was my 1st Cousin and a precious woman who radiated love to whoever she came into contact with. I remember when she was born. We called her Ruth and her nickname when she was little was "frog". I love you Ruth XOXOXO

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**Dinah (Diana) Fike** - June 25, 2021 at 02:15 PM



“ Meagan Crowson Love lit a candle in memory of Betty "Ruth" Wilson



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**Meagan Crowson Love** - June 25, 2021 at 01:26 PM

KC

“ I'll miss you forever my beautiful mother



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**Kimberly Crowson** - June 25, 2021 at 12:23 PM

EL

“ *Ethel Lane lit a candle in memory of Betty  
"Ruth" Wilson*



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**Ethel lane** - June 25, 2021 at 08:37 AM

JW

“ *Betty babysat my children for a while when  
they were young. Very nice lady.*



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**Janet Wilson** - June 24, 2021 at 08:16 PM