



Virginia Earlene McCuistion

December 29, 1945 - August 8, 2024

Virginia “Ginger” Earlene Wisley Tate McCuistion, 78, of Fayetteville, Arkansas, passed away on August 8, 2024, at Circle of Life Hospice in Springdale, Arkansas. She was born December 29, 1945, in Brockton, Massachusetts, to James Herrel Wisley, Sr. and Elizabeth Beverly Haskell Wisley. Ginger married the love of her life, Steve Tate, in January 1965. Their love for one another was one that love stories are based on. They got to have two children, Chris and Cheri, and celebrate their 15th anniversary before he passed away. She then attended cosmetology school and opened her own shop, The Hair Station. She truly loved her job and the people who were more than clients; they were her friends. Making people feel special was easy for Ginger, serving others was her ministry. She gave all of herself, never once expecting anything in return. She never had a cross word to say about anyone. She always showed God’s love to everyone. Ginger found love again with Ted McCuistion, and they were married in May 1986. They lived a happy life together until his passing in 2006. Their love for their grandchildren was unmatched. Being Nana to them all was her favorite job; it brought her so much joy. She loved them so much and would do everything in her power to make sure they had all that they needed and a whole lot of what they wanted, too. Her favorite phrase was “I’m so blessed,” and that is truly how she felt, and she shared all of her blessings with anyone who was in need. To know Ginger was to love her. She had a love, warmth, kindness, generosity and selflessness that can only come from God. No one ever had to question

whether she loved them. It was evident in everything she said and did. Ginger looked forward to going home to be with Jesus. She believed that Jesus Christ was God's one and only Son and that believing that believing in him as your Lord and Savior is the only way to get to heaven, so if you haven't put your trust in Him, please do so before it's too late. She was preceded in death by both parents; two husbands, Steve Tate and Ted McCuiston; her sister, Evelyn "Mickey" Lamont; her step daughter, Traci McCuiston.

She is survived by her children; Christopher "Chris" and wife, Kathlyn Tate of Springdale, Arkansas and Cherilyn "Cheri" and husband, Bill Kellar of Fayetteville, Arkansas; her grandchildren, Bekah and husband, Raymond Torix of Trumann, Arkansas, Morgan and husband, Nick Pippin of Chicago, Illinois, Rylee and husband, Nathan Miller of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, Stephen and wife, Merritt Tate of Springdale, Arkansas and Fletcher and wife, Kailey Kelly of Bella Vista, Arkansas; her great grandchildren; Scott, Bear, Robin and Indigo Torix of Trumann, Arkansas, Todd and Eden Miller of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, and Sloane Kelly of Bella Vista, Arkansas; brothers, Jim and wife, Michele Wisley of Rogers, Arkansas, George and wife, Linda Wisley of Centerton, Arkansas; sister, Judy DeBoard of Springdale, Arkansas; step children, Taylor and wife, Janet McCuiston of Pryor, Oklahoma, Kelly and wife, Betty McCuiston of Axtell, Texas, and Barry and wife, Janet McCuiston of Denison, Texas; step grandchildren, Justin and wife, Candice McCuiston, Ryan and wife, Micah McCuiston, Craig and wife, Lindsey McCuiston and Kelsey and husband, Alex Bryant, all of Pryor, Oklahoma, Keri McCuiston of Waco, Texas, Keith and wife, Lil McCuiston of Robinson, Texas, Traci and husband, Weston Jarvis of Wolfe City, Texas, and Caleb McCuiston of Denison, Texas; step great grandchildren, Cooper, Brynlee, Mason, Jax, Nash, Elizabeth and Camden McCuiston, Madison and Audrey Bryant, all of Pryor, Oklahoma, Brea and Kloee McCuiston of Waco, Texas, Garvin and Ashley McCuiston of Robinson, Texas; numerous nieces, nephews and lifelong friends who became family.

Visitation is scheduled from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 13,

2024, at Wasson Funeral Home. A Funeral service is scheduled at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, August 14, 2024, at Wasson Funeral Home with a committal service to follow at Oak Hill Cemetery in Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

2122 W. University St.
Siloam Springs, AR 72761

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 13. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wasson Funeral Home
441 U.S. 412
Siloam Springs, AR 72761
(479) 524-5131
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<https://www.wassonfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

AUG 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Committal

AUG **14**. 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Herder and Martins planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Virginia Earlene McCuiston.

Herder and Martins - August 13, 2024 at 03:26 PM



“ Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Virginia Earlene McCuiston.



August 13, 2024 at 03:26 PM



“ Your Arvest Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Virginia Earlene McCuiston.

Your Arvest Family - August 12, 2024 at 04:17 PM



“ Heartfelt Tribute Lavender & White Floor Basket Arrangement was purchased for the family of Virginia Earlene McCuiston.



August 12, 2024 at 04:17 PM

JF

“ Judy, Jim, George, and families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Virginia Earlene McCuiston.

Judy, Jim, George, and families - August 12, 2024 at 01:55 PM



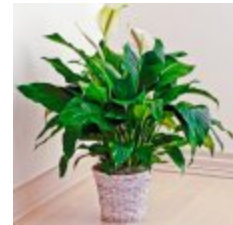
“ Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Virginia Earlene McCuiston.



August 12, 2024 at 01:55 PM

MC

“ Maple Grove Baptist Church purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Virginia Earlene McCuiston.



Maple Grove Baptist Church - August 12, 2024 at 10:18 AM



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Virginia Earlene McCuiston.



August 12, 2024 at 04:12 AM

IP

“ *Ibrahima P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Virginia Earlene McCuiston.*

Ibrahima P. - August 11, 2024 at 10:24 PM

LR

“ *Liz Reading lit a candle in memory of Virginia McCuiston*



Liz Reading - August 10, 2024 at 10:17 AM

RE

“ *Ginger was truly one of the sweetest people I have ever known. My heart breaks for her family. She will be missed. 💔*

Renea Hill Ellis - August 09, 2024 at 07:51 PM