



Joyce Duff Lawerance

December 2, 1942 - April 30, 2026

Joyce Louise Duff Lawrence, age 83, passed away at her home in Princeton Thursday, April 30, 2026. Born December 2, 1942 in Princeton, Ky, Joyce's parents were the late Herbert Duff and Mattie Eldora Carroll Duff. She was a member of Bible Missionary Baptist Church in Eddyville, Ky. She worked at the first Wal-Mart in Princeton, Ky until her retirement. Then she earned her GED. She worked in the cafeteria for the Caldwell County School System. Then she worked at the Cracker Barrel Restaurant in Cadiz, Ky. Finally, She worked at Hilltop Nursing Home.

She is preceded in death by her husband Jargo Lawrence, a son Ricky Baker, a daughter Brenda Parnell, two brothers Carl David Duff Sr and Billy Duff, three sisters Gloria Reiger, Barbara Henson, Mary Ella Brown and long time friend Carney Fits.

She is survived by one son Johnny Baker of Arkansas, two nieces Gloria Duff of Eddyville and Anna Merrick of Cadiz, two nephews Jimmy Duff of Eddyville, Daniel Duff of Thompson Station, Tn, caregiver Kim Long of Princeton, two grand children Jonathan Baker and Rachel Rae Baker.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 am Saturday, May 9, 2026 at Dunn's Funeral Home in Eddyville with Rev. Paul Taylor officiating. Visitation will be from 11:00 am till 1:00 pm Saturday, May 9, 2026 at Dunn's and burial will follow in Rolling Hills Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Rolling Hills Cemetery

Jenkins Rd.
Eddyville, KY

Upcoming Events

Visitation

MAY 9. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Dunn's Funeral Home
301 W. Fairview Ave.
Eddyville, KY 42038
(270) 388-2231

Funeral Service

MAY 9. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I lived next to Carney Fitts growing up and I could always count on going next door to see him and Joyce and she always offered me a cold drink (diet coke) I loved Joyce and Carney like they were my grandparents. Prayers for the family.

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