



## Mary S. Perry

March 27, 1938 - November 10, 2022

Mary S. Perry age 84 of Kingston, passed away Thursday, November 10, 2022, at Roane Medical Center after a long battle with failing health. Mary was born in Franklin, West Virginia on the 27th of March 1938 to Robert and Wilma Schrock with a brother Scott soon to follow. The family moved to Kingston in the 40's to take over Wilma's parents' restaurant and rental cabin business- The Roadside Café. Mary would meet her husband Robert (Bob) Perry when he rented a cabin from the family while he was helping build the Kingston Steam Plant. Mary was a mother of two and as the children got older, she went back to school to become a nurse. She worked many years for Family Medicine in Kingston. Mary was a member of Redeemer Lutheran church for over 70 years and always had a strong faith in the Lord. Mary always had a love for coffee and little black dogs of which she had many over the years. Mary's children will always remember their mother every time they see a ceramic Christmas tree, Tupperware tumblers, a screened in porch or station wagon. Mary was loved and will be greatly missed.

Mary is survived by her daughter Karen Bales (husband Greg) of Kingston, her grandson Grant Ruth of Knoxville, her son Ted Perry of Kingston, her granddaughter Molly Perry of Cookeville, and her brother Scott Schrock of Kingston.

Memorial service 1:00 p.m. Saturday, November 19 at Redeemer Lutheran Church with a fellowship to follow. In lieu of flowers memorials can be made to Redeemer Lutheran's youth group. Kyker Funeral Home of Kingston is serving

the Perry Family.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

NOV **19**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Redeemer Lutheran Church  
1658 Roane State Hwy  
Harriman, TN 37748

# Tribute Wall

BT

“ Mary was the nicest person I knew as a kid growing up next door, always laughing and smiling. She was a great friend to our family, and I feel bad for her kids Karen and Ted, her grandkids, and her brother Scott.

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**bob timmerman** - November 21, 2022 at 04:32 PM

KL

“ Thanks so much for all the memories. So excited to be your maid of honor in your wedding so many years ago! Loved your “Bob” and all the things he made for mom and dad are still in my home today. Wish I had known sooner...would love to have been there.

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**Katie Long** - November 21, 2022 at 08:27 AM

KT

“ Mary was a good neighbor to my parents in Kingston..often sharing gardening space and recipes. My condolences to her kids and grandkids.

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**Karen Timmerman** - November 20, 2022 at 09:06 PM

MB

“ Ted,  
I am so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.  
Molly (Culton) Bingham

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**Molly Bingham** - November 17, 2022 at 06:22 AM

JH

“ *Me Perry is one of the sweetest ladies I've had the pleasure of meeting. I have only known her for the last couple of years but she will always be remembered and missed.*

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**J Hamby** - November 16, 2022 at 11:39 AM

RF

“ *I had the pleasure of working with Mary at Kingston Family Practice . She was always jolly and kept us laughing. When she retired, she was missed by all of us. She was a special lady.  
Ted, I am so sorry to hear about your mom.*

*Sincerely, Rhonda Flanagan*

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**Rhonda Flanagan** - November 15, 2022 at 10:20 AM