



Beverly Ann Wheeler

June 12, 1949 - February 5, 2021

A cherished Mother, Grandmother, Great Grandmother, Sister, Niece, Aunt, and Friend.

Beverly Ann Wheeler was born on June 12, 1949, to the late Mary Ellen Matthews and Joshua Fenwick. She departed this life on Friday, February 5, 2021, at Compass Regional Hospice Center in Centreville, Maryland surrounded by her family.

Beverly was educated in Kent County Public Schools and graduated from Chestertown High in 1968. After graduating from high school, she worked various jobs and later became a nurse at Easton Hospital. She became a substitute school bus driver in 1975, for the late Noble Earle of Centreville, Maryland. She drove three routes a day and never missed a day. December 1980 she was awarded a school bus contract and became a school bus contractor.

Beverly was a dedicated school bus driver. She was able to navigate through Baltimore and Washington, DC with ease. Beverly was known to her family members as the human GPS. She enjoyed and loved driving a bus. In September 2009, due to health reasons, she transferred her contract to her son, and she continued to manage the business.

Beverly was an active member of the Maryland School Bus Contractors

Association and the Queen Anne's County School Bus Contractors Association as well. She held various positions locally and in the state. Beverly loved the Lord. She was a faithful member of Bethel AME Church in Church Hill, Maryland where she held various positions within the Church. Beverly was truly a woman of God and a woman of strong family values.

Beverly was preceded in death by her brother Joshua Fenwick.

Cherishing her memories are her sons, William Benson Jr. of Jackson, Michigan, Shawn Benson (Jessie) of Denton, Maryland, Joseph Wheeler (Timeka) of Chestertown, Maryland, Tre'Veon Wheeler Sr. (Christine) of Landover, Maryland; grandchildren, Toneiya Benson, Zhane Benson, Tre'Veon Wheeler Jr, Kyra Wheeler, Darrien Wheeler, William Benson III, Collin Woolford and Mia Benson; great-grandson, Jace McCowan; brother Terry Fenwick (Alexis); God-Daughters Tresstine Deaton, Letitcia Bailey (Travis) and Kaneisha Jackson.

Tribute Wall

HG

“Cares all passed, Home at last! Ever to Rejoice with the Lord. Beverly Ann, I will always remember your big beautiful smile , your warm, sincere and sweet spirit. Thank you for always showing me so much love. Your love for God, Family, Friends and your community will never be forgotten. You will truly be missed! Enjoy Heaven \u2764\ufe0f My Deepest Condolences \ud83d\udc90 to the family, I will keep you in my prayers. Deaconess Holly Stansbury Grooms

Holly Grooms - February 13, 2021 at 09:38 PM

PR

“Whoomp, there it is"! is Beverly. I am so sorry to just learn about her passing. What a wonderful woman. So much fun when she drove the band bus. The competitions would not have been the same without her. Been many years since we have seen her but we have never forgotten this spunky lady. All of her family & friends are in our thoughts and prayers. Pat & Joe Radcliffe

Patricia Radcliffe - February 13, 2021 at 03:16 PM

TB

“ We are so saddened to hear of Beverly's passing. She was a lovely lady and a Lady of God. Our prayers and blessings are with the family at this time. God Bless and thinking of you. Tim and Esther Blackiston, Sudlersville, Md.

Tim Blackiston - February 13, 2021 at 09:18 AM

BG

“ *Bishop J J Green: sister Bev was a wonderful woman, nice person, i love to work with her. to the family, she lives on in you, so keep the faith, God was her first love.*

Bishop J J Green - February 13, 2021 at 08:35 AM

TB

“ *Tre and Family, I am so very sorry for the loss of your wonderful mother. She always had a smile on her face, a hug, and hey baby for all of us. How she remembered so many of our names is beyond me. I had the pleasure of seeing her growing up not only as our field trip driver but as a classmates Mom. But every time I saw her in later years she still knew my name. She loved all of her kids. But she loved to tell the story about the time Tre scared her with the dead bird in the shoe box. Please know you ALL are in my heart! Love, hugs and prayers always! Tiffany Perry Brown*

Tiffany Perry Brown - February 12, 2021 at 11:39 PM

CH

“ *Mrs. Wheeler, my bus driver, 7798.. I will never forget you. You were such a sweet lady with a heart of gold. You will be missed dearly by so many..*

Courtney Hessian - February 12, 2021 at 11:16 PM

LR

“ *Ms. Bev, you will be greatly missed. You were an amazing person, and your smile and laugh, infectious. Condolences to the entire family. Lora Robbins and Day Care, Inc.*

Lora Robbins - February 12, 2021 at 07:52 PM

BN

“ Ms. Bev you will definitely be missed by every one . I know I will miss you You always could cheer up someone on a cloudy day. We will miss your contagious smile and your loving mannerisms. God has taken a good one . You are going to a good place and you will be reunited with your love ones.

Barbara Nelson - February 12, 2021 at 02:21 PM

YG

“ Miss Beverly will forever be in our hearts! With Love, The McElroy Family (Orlando, Tracy, Niki, & Tammy)

Yolando Grant - February 12, 2021 at 01:41 PM

PB

“ "Beverly Wheeler" will remain in our hearts forever.

Pam Boyce - February 12, 2021 at 09:45 AM

LH

“ Our sincere condolences to the family. Beverly was a dear friend and fellow school bus contractor. She would find time to call and check on drivers in various counties just to say \u201chi\u201d and often offer a word of prayer. Her warm smile and friendly conversations will be missed. At this time, we offer our thoughts and prayers to the Wheeler family. Sharing in your loss, Lorenzo and James Hubbard
Preston, MD

Lorenzo and James Hubbard - February 11, 2021 at 09:37 PM

RF

“ The SWEETEST Lady I ever met ! Ms Bev you will be missed dearly. LJ your in my thoughts and prayers.

Robin Everson & Alfred Finch - February 11, 2021 at 06:45 PM

PB

“ *Condolences to the family*

Pauline Ashley and James Burgess - February 11, 2021 at 05:34 PM

HS

“ *Please accept our warmest condolences, we are deeply sorry for your loss.*

Heartfelt Sympathies Store - February 11, 2021 at 02:02 PM

LP

“ *To the Family: Beverly was a great friend and will be missed in our Community. There was never a time that you didn't see her that she didn't have a smile or want to chat. She is resting and at peace with our Good Lord. Prayers and blessings to her family at this time. God Bless. Gene and Lynda Palmatary, Centreville, Md.*

Lynda Palmatary - February 11, 2021 at 01:44 PM

BH

“ *Dear family I want to share my deepest condolences and sympathy from my family to you all. Sister Beverly was such an inspiration to me. She was so sweet and willing to help and share any way she could. She was my mentor at church and taught me a lot concerning the duties of a Steward and handling church finance. God has given her eternal rest. I and Brother George are blessed to have shared good times with Sister Beverly. Be blessed as God\u2019s grace and mercy carry you through. Sister Alfreda and Brother George Bowyer*

Bethel Ame Church Hill - February 10, 2021 at 03:15 PM

BF

“ God is the strength of our life, He removes all pain, misery and strife. He is our rock of salvation and is always by our side. Go to Him in prayer.

Bethel Church Family - February 10, 2021 at 01:53 PM

JA

“ I can remember at the basketball games hearing Beverly shouting to bend them knees to her son When he went to the free-throw line. She was such a loving and kind person. Always a smile whenever you saw her. To her family I offer my sincere condolences. You will be in my prayers, heart, and thoughts. May God give you the strength to deal with this moment of sadness. Sincerely from the Armstrong family.

Jo Armstrong - February 10, 2021 at 11:30 AM

SE

“ LJ and family, please accept my families thoughts and prayers at the loss of Ms. Beverly. Our family will forever remember her big smiles as we boarded the band bus. Always smiling and always happy to see each of us. The world lost an amazing woman. With Love, Kenny, Robin, Candy, Sandy and Derak Seward

Sandy Elizabeth - February 09, 2021 at 02:03 PM

DE

“ To the family of Sis. Beverly I offer my deepest and heartfelt sympathy. Beverly was a wonderful person whenever I came in contact with her she always addressed me with "how are you baby"?. She was such a woman of faith and showed love to all who came into contact with her. Heaven has gained a Angel. Joe please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Rev. Denise Jones

Denise - February 09, 2021 at 12:36 PM

MA

“ *Bev This is very hard 2 Corinthians 5:8 To be absent from the body and to be present with the Lord. Everyone who knew you will remember your famous words Hey Baby In our last text you said you were holding on to God unchanging hands and you were going to run this race with Love Faith and Hope. Our text ended with you saying Love you and my reply was Love you more I will truly miss you but I have a lot of precious memories to hold on to Love Merl*

Marilyn - February 09, 2021 at 10:26 AM

PC

“ *My very best friend ever has gone to heaven...she was the greatest person I have ever known. Cherish your memories of her...we have so many. I love you Bev. Peggy Clough*

Peggy Clough - February 08, 2021 at 07:38 PM

SJ

“ *My thoughts and prayers to Ms. Beverlys family. I have many fond memories of her and her sweet way of living life. She will be missed.*

Suzanne Jackson - February 08, 2021 at 05:35 PM

JA

“ My condolences to Beverly’s family. She walked so ,so many miles with Christ by her side.She loved her Savior and she was a blessing to all. I had the privilege to see her locally in Centreville or Churchhill area driving her school bus. The very special times were the church services when she sang with her choir and driving the bus for the many Emmaus Community weekend retreats. To Beverly’s family and friends,“Let not your hearts be troubled “John 14:1, “Peace I leave with you, my peace I give to you.“John 14:27. amen A Christain friend ,Jo Ann Adams

Jo Ann Adams - February 08, 2021 at 05:15 PM