



Sondra Sue (Marcus) Willison

July 27, 1945 - August 31, 2020

Sondra Sue (Marcus) Willison went home to be with the Lord on Monday, August 31, 2020. Born on July 27, 1945 in Amsterdam, Ohio, to John (Jack) and Violet (Honey) Marcus. She graduated from Springfield High School and continued her education with a long career as a registered nurse. She met her loving husband, Patrick L. Willison in grade school and a love affair began at the young age of 11. They married at the age of 18 on February 22, 1964 and were happily married for 56 years.

Sondra was known for her genuine love, care, kindness and compassion towards everyone she met. Sondra was the life of the party and was noted for her ability to tell stories (mostly of her children and grandchildren) that ended in belly laughs and tears. She was famously known for her flamboyant jewelry that she proudly wore everywhere she went.

She was an active member of the Amsterdam Church of God where she served the Lord as a pianist, soloist, board member, youth director, and many other areas of ministry.

Sondra was preceded in death by her parents John (Jack) and Violet (Honey) Marcus and two brothers Tom Marcus and Jack Marcus. She is survived by her loving husband Patrick L. Willison of Amsterdam, Ohio, two sons Patrick J. (Cathy) Willison of Batavia, Ohio, Edwin L. (Sarah) Willison of

Amsterdam, Ohio and daughter Bonnie S. Willison of Amsterdam, Ohio. She had five grandchildren, Eddie, Kyle, Ben, Patrick and Matthew who were the light of her world. Also cherishing Sondra's memory are a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other loving relatives and dear friends.

Funeral Services will be held at The Amsterdam Church of God in Amsterdam, Ohio on Tuesday, September 8th with visitation from 10:00am-11:00am and funeral service at 11:00am. Burial to follow at Bergholz Cemetery, Bergholz, Ohio.

Cemetery Details

Bergholz Cemetery

Township Highway 276
Bergholz, OH 43908

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Amsterdam Community Church of God Anderson
Bear Road
Amsterdam, OH 43903

Service

SEP 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

Amsterdam Community Church of God Anderson
Bear Road
Amsterdam, OH 43903

Tribute Wall

KM

“ Kerry McTheny lit a candle in memory of Sondra Sue (Marcus) Willison



Kerry McTheny - October 18, 2020 at 05:23 AM

SJ

“ I didn't know she passed away until today. I worked with her too. The stories she would tell us! She always said her kids grew up in spite of her because of the crazy things she did to them! She will be missed! God bless her family.

Sheila Jackson - September 09, 2020 at 07:07 PM

DK

“ To Pat and family,

We extend our deepest sympathy to all of you. Sondra was a wonderful person and a force in all circumstances. I can never forget her help to my Mother (Bessie Kirkland) when she needed medical help. My Mother would listen to Sondra when she would not listen to others about a medical direction. Also, I remember the help moving that heavy piano from my Mother's home. What a job!

I recall Tom referring to his sister as Suzie. I found that strange, but realize now that I see her middle name that it makes sense. It did not years ago.

*Love,
Dale & Linda Kirkland in Florida*

Dale Kirkland - September 06, 2020 at 04:40 PM



“ I LOS A VERY WONDERFUL, LOVING FRIEND. IF IT WEREN'T FOR HER I WOULD NEVER HAVE FINISHED NURSES TRAINING. SHE DRAGGED ME TO MASSILON FUNNY FARM AND MADE SURE I COULD GET OUT AT THE END OF THE DAY. I WILL MISS HER EVERY DAY. PRAYERS TO THE FAMILY. SAY HELLO TO MY PARENTS LITTLE ANGLE.
LOVE PAT

Pat Simpson - September 05, 2020 at 12:43 PM

BW

Just as much as she got you through nurses training, you helped her. We have had many wonderful memories of our families growing up together. We love you Pat, Mel and family.

Bonnie Willison - September 06, 2020 at 10:56 AM

MJ

“ I work with Sondra at the hospital. She was a sweet person. May she rest in peace.



Mary Jeter - September 04, 2020 at 08:03 PM

SH

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Sondra & I worked at Ohio Valley Hospital at the same time. She was such a good & caring nurse. I loved her laugh!! Even on the busiest night, she would have us laughing about something. She will be missed by many!

Sharon Hyndman Sampson

Sharon HyndmanSampson - September 04, 2020 at 02:43 PM

JM

“ I have lots of memories of Sondra, my cousin Mary K and I when I visited Amsterdam on my vacations. One especially was the teens gathering place, Wileys Restaurant where we all gathered sharing funny stories danced to the juke box which we stuffed with quarters. Sondra was a very special and caring girl. She loved everyone but gave her heart to Pat. Thanks for the memories SondraEternal rest grant unto her O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her and give her peace...Amen

*My codolances to Pat and family.
Judy Linthicum McKenzie Wiley Ford. WV*

Judy Linthicum McKenzie - September 04, 2020 at 12:06 PM

RD

“ Ruth Detchon lit a candle in memory of Sondra Sue (Marcus) Willison



Ruth Detchon - September 04, 2020 at 09:48 AM

LD

“ Sondra and I grew up together in the fifties. Although I only went back one time I have never forgotten her. She was my best friend and I will miss her greatly. My heart goes out to Pat and family.
*Larry and Janis Davison
Pensacola, Florida*

Larry Davison - September 04, 2020 at 05:18 AM

CS

“ *Cindy Starr lit a candle in memory of Sondra Sue (Marcus) Willison*



Cindy Starr - September 03, 2020 at 10:04 PM

CS

Prayers and condolences to Sondra's family!!! What a beautiful soul!!! Rest in peace, Sweet Lady!!! You will be missed!!!

Cindy Starr - September 03, 2020 at 10:08 PM

BJ

Pat and family....I met Sondra when she was a nursing student at Jeff Tech on rotation at the hospital...then I moved to Amsterdam and our lives crossed again...she was a friend I didn't need too see her even every year but as soon as we saw each other we would both start too laugh....just know that my life is richer for knowing Sondra and her memory will etched in my heart forever...you are all in my prayers

becky Jones - September 07, 2020 at 08:45 PM

DB

“ *Sondra was a wonderful person, she was like a second mother to Shane. She will be deeply missed. Debbie and Jim Booth*



Debbie Booth - September 03, 2020 at 09:10 PM

JJ

“ *Pat and family, So sorry to hear about Sondra. You have our deepest sympathy.*
Joel & Jean Javersak

Joel Javersak - September 03, 2020 at 08:55 PM

AA

“ Sondra was one of the first people we meet, when we started going to Amsterdam community church of God. She made us feel like we knew her all our lives. Thank you Sondra for making us feel like we belonged. Sondra you didn't get to sing come see, but you can practice, when we get to Heaven you can sing it for me. In the mean time you can sing in Heaven's choir. Love you and sure gonna miss you.

Audrey & Gene Arbogast - September 03, 2020 at 06:53 PM

AC

“ Pat and family, what a beautiful soul heaven has gained! You have our deepest sympathy.

Alan and Cindy Ciacci - September 03, 2020 at 06:23 PM

KE

“ Karen Otto Elliott lit a candle in memory of Sondra Sue (Marcus) Willison



Karen Otto Elliott - September 03, 2020 at 04:16 PM

KE

Sondra was a sweet lady who will be missed

Karen Otto Elliott - September 03, 2020 at 04:18 PM

CJ

“ Sondra was a very sweet lady. Her laugh was very contagious, she will be missed. Prayers for her family.

Connie Jolly - September 03, 2020 at 03:31 PM

CJ

“ *Connie Jolly lit a candle in memory of Sondra Sue (Marcus) Willison*



Connie Jolly - September 03, 2020 at 03:29 PM



“ *Plants-A-Plenty was purchased for the family of Sondra Sue (Marcus) Willison.*



September 03, 2020 at 02:55 PM

FS

“ *Fred Sponhaltz lit a candle in memory of Sondra Sue (Marcus) Willison*



Fred Sponhaltz - September 03, 2020 at 02:52 PM

WH

“ *Willa Hellyer lit a candle in memory of Sondra Sue (Marcus) Willison*



willa hellyer - September 03, 2020 at 01:17 PM