



## Rena Merl Loyless

December 5, 1944 - April 8, 2014

Rena Merl Burke Loyless of Marshalls Branch Road of Long Fork passed away Tuesday, April 08, 2014 at her residence.

She was born in Pike County on December 5, 1944 to the late Joseph and Susie Tackett Burke. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Other than her parents she was preceded in death by her husband; David Loyless Sr. and one brother; Ernest "Bill" Burke.

She is survived by one daughter; Lora (Dale) Wentworth of Louisville, three sons; Timothy (Debbie) Holtzclaw of Granite Falls, NC., Joseph Holtzclaw of Marshalls Branch, David Loyless Jr of Louisville, two brothers; Gordon (Jane) Burke of Ohio, Gary (Debbie) Burke of Marshalls Branch, one sister; Inez (Benny) Hampton of Marshalls Branch, three grandchildren; Chad Wentworth, Dolly Anderson and Cody Anderson, five great-grandchildren; Mallory Wentworth, Landon Wentworth, Grannon Loyless, Skye Loyless and Makayla Loyless along with a host of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held on Friday at 1:00 PM at the Hall & Jones Funeral Home with Church of Christ Ministers officiating. Burial will follow in the Burke Cemetery at Marshalls Branch. Visitation will begin on Wednesday after 6:00 PM at the Hall & Jones Funeral Home with nightly services beginning at 7:00 PM with Church of Christ Ministers officiating.

# Cemetery Details

## Burke Family Cemetery

Marshalls Branch Road  
Virgie, KY 41572

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 9. 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM (ET)

Hall and Jones Funeral Home  
1101 Hwy 610, P.O. Box 85  
Virgie, KY 41572  
(606) 639-4367  
hallandjones@live.com  
<https://hallandjones.com>

## Visitation

APR 10. 10:00 AM - 11:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

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APR 11. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Rena Merl Loyless*

October 09, 2023 at 03:57 AM



“ *Rena Merl Loyless*

January 28, 2023 at 12:16 PM



“ *Rena was such a beautiful person with a beautiful soul. You couldn't help but smile when you are with her. May she rest in the sweet arms of her Lord. Rest in peace and you will be greatly missed.*

**Teresa Turnmire** - April 14, 2014 at 08:49 PM



“ *Rena was the best mother in law a person could ask for. She loved me like a daughter. She always treated me with love and respect. I have sooo many great memories that I couldnt just pick one. We took an instanted liking to each other which grew into a wonderful precious relationship. I am blessed beyond measure to had such a wonderful person a part of my life for 14 years. I just wished we had longer. I love you Rena and I will meet you on Heavens shores.*

**Debbie Holtzclaw** - April 12, 2014 at 10:25 PM

LW

“ *Lora Wentworth lit a candle in memory of  
Rena Merl Loyless*



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**Lora Wentworth** - April 12, 2014 at 07:55 PM

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“ *My mom was the most wonderful mother anyone could ever ask for.  
Kind ,Loving,Beautiful,Smiling,good hearted and always listened.  
She would do anything for my brother and I. And anyone else for  
that matter. She will be sadly missed by me and many others. Mom  
I love you more than you could ever know. I said it often, but that  
still isn't enough.I LOVE YOU Timmy*

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**Timothy Holtzclaw** - April 12, 2014 at 04:37 PM

DH

*So true. No one could ask for a better mom, mother in law, friend, and  
sister than Rena.*

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**Debbie Holtzclaw** - April 12, 2014 at 10:46 PM

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“ *Prayers to the family old school friends  
Doc & Debbie Johnson  
Sevierville, TN*

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**DOc & Debbie** - April 09, 2014 at 07:34 PM