



## Mabel Wilson Christian

November 16, 1934 - October 2, 2019

As the sun was setting on a warm fall day, our beautiful Mabel answered the call of the ancestors and went to be with her loved ones. A beautiful spirit with a loving heart Mabel was the epitome of grace, dignity and had a heart full of grace. Mabel was born on, November 16, 1934, in Warren County, Kentucky, as the only child to the late Odell and Erma Day Covington. While she was an infant her mom Erma passed away and she was raised in part by her grandparents Glazzy (Webster) and Lou Barkley Day and later by her aunt Stella and uncle Sam Fant.

At an early age, Mabel was baptized at Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Oakland, Kentucky. Mabel was one to always be active and loved celebrating life. Mabel was joined in marriage to Frank Wilson, and they made Bowling Green their home, To this union Mabel's greatest accomplishment a daughter Stella Louise was born. She thrived while being a wife and mother and later enjoyed being a grandmother. She was active with the Big Brothers/Big Sisters program and the Warren County Homemakers Club. Because of her love for people, Mabel enjoyed helping others especially if there was a wedding cake involved with the event. Her eloquence and demeanor allowed her to be the consummate hostess. As she went through life she tried to make everything that she touched better. Mabel enjoyed being a homemaker and keeping a beautiful home but she had an even greater capacity to love. This was never more evident than when she married Adrian Christian and started a new

adventure at a turning point in her life.

Those who are here to cherish her memory, a loving and devoted husband Adrian Christian, a loving and devoted daughter Stella Louise and her husband Bennie Sanderfer, her children by love LaKeisha and Alexandria Christian; her grandchildren Angela Sanderfer Anderson, Apryl Sanderfer Mushatt and her husband LeDell and Ryan Sanderfer; great-grandchildren Erin, Jordan, Kelsi, Kamron, Devyn and Jaidyn; great-great-grandchildren Lyric, Harmony, Emirra, and Kyheir; a special cousin Mamie Fant Starks and her children Michael, Jackie, Cassandra and Sam Starks. Mabel had no sons by birth but God blessed her with two that were like her sons, Son-in-law Bennie and her cousin Sam. A host of relatives and friends; the Covington, Malone, Day, Wilson and Sanderfer Families.

# Cemetery Details

## Fairview Cemetery

1209 Fairview Ave  
Bowling Green, KY 42101

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 5. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (cst)

Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc.  
201 Center Street  
Bowling Green, KY 42101  
(270) 843-2336  
burnamson@mw.twcbc.com

## Funeral Service

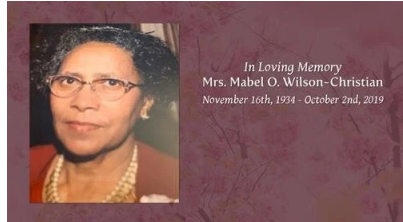
OCT 5. 12:00 PM - 1:15 PM (cst)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



**Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc.** - October 04, 2019 at 07:12 PM

AA

*My Gran is definitely UNFORGETTABLE!!!* 🥺🥺🥺🥺

**Angela Anderson** - October 04, 2019 at 10:57 PM



“ *Tonya Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



**Tonya Johnson** - October 08, 2019 at 10:45 AM

WF

“ *Whitney Family lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



**Whitney Family** - October 07, 2019 at 09:09 AM

KH

“ *My heart was saddened when I heard of Mabel's passing. She was the best neighbor my parents ever had. We all loved her dearly. I considered her family and loved her so much. After she moved away, we lost touch, but a few years ago, I received a sweet letter from Mabel and we exchanged correspondence after that.*

*Love to the family,  
Kathy Kittrell Hildreth and my daughter, Hannah Pepin*

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**Kathy Kittrell Hildreth** - October 05, 2019 at 09:23 AM

AA

*Hi Kathy, Gran still talked about you all and Mrs. Kittrell often. She loved to reminisce about living on Lee Street. Thank you for reaching out to our family during this time.*

*Love, Angie (Mabel's oldest granddaughter)*

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**Angela Anderson** - October 07, 2019 at 03:35 PM

TM

“ *Tamara Malone sent a virtual gift in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



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**Tamara Malone** - October 05, 2019 at 02:23 AM

EB

“ *Edward And Deborah Bufford lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



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**Edward and Deborah Bufford** - October 04, 2019 at 11:23 PM

GS

“ Georgia Shobe lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Georgia Shobe - October 04, 2019 at 10:43 PM

MB

“ Myrtle B Bransford lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Myrtle B Bransford - October 04, 2019 at 10:42 PM

MW

“ Marie Wilson lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Marie Wilson - October 04, 2019 at 08:26 PM



“ Deborah Claypool lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Deborah Claypool - October 04, 2019 at 06:00 PM

MW

“ *Mamie Wardlow lit a candle in memory of Mabel W. Christian. God's blessings and condolences to her family.*



**Mamie Wardlow** - October 04, 2019 at 05:15 PM

  
Sharnell  
Smith

“ *Sharnell Smith lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



**Sharnell Smith** - October 04, 2019 at 05:10 PM

  
Sharnell  
Smith

“ *To the family my heart go you for the lost of love one. Stella and I went to school. I know you will really miss your mother. God Bless*

**Sharnell Smith** - October 04, 2019 at 05:09 PM

SC

“ *Sandra Claypool lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



**Sandra Claypool** - October 04, 2019 at 04:38 PM

MW

“ *Doris Gillum*



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**Mona Ware** - October 04, 2019 at 04:09 PM

MW

“ *Mona Gillum Ware*



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**Mona Ware** - October 04, 2019 at 04:08 PM

DM

“ *Diana Murrell lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



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**Diana Murrell** - October 04, 2019 at 02:36 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mabel Wilson Christian.*



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October 04, 2019 at 10:42 AM

TF

“ Tina Fant lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Tina Fant - October 04, 2019 at 10:26 AM

PW

“ Phyllis Woods lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Phyllis Woods - October 04, 2019 at 08:48 AM

SM

“ Stephanie Malone lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



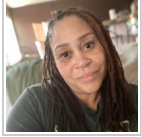
Stephanie Malone - October 04, 2019 at 08:43 AM

LW

“ Loretha Burton Withrow lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Loretha Burton Withrow - October 04, 2019 at 08:41 AM



“ *Val Ragland lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



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**Val Ragland** - October 04, 2019 at 05:50 AM



“ *Hannah & Family lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



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**Hannah & Family** - October 04, 2019 at 04:52 AM



“ *Lisa Cook lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



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**Lisa Cook** - October 03, 2019 at 10:56 PM



“ *Betty Rounds lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



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**Betty Rounds** - October 03, 2019 at 10:27 PM

SF

“ Sue Sweatt And Family lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Sue sweatt and family - October 03, 2019 at 07:47 PM

EH

“ Estella Hill lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Estella Hill - October 03, 2019 at 07:30 PM

GR

“ Gail Rasmussen lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Gail Rasmussen - October 03, 2019 at 07:24 PM

JG

“ Judy Garrett lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



Judy Garrett - October 03, 2019 at 07:22 PM



“ Dear Christian Family,

*There are few things more difficult than dealing with the loss of a loved one. We, along with our staff, are honored and humbled that you have chosen our family to care for your family during this time. It is our hope that we have been able, in some small way, to lighten your burden and give proper reverence to a life lived. Please let us know if we can be of further service.*



*Respectfully,*

*Carmen, Cedric, Claudia and Kelly  
2nd Generation Owners*

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**Cedric Burnam** - October 03, 2019 at 06:37 PM

HF

“ *Lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson  
Christian*



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**Hannah Whitney & Family** - October 03, 2019 at 06:11 PM

SL

“ *Lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson  
Christian*



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**Sabrina Whitney Loving** - October 03, 2019 at 06:09 PM

SL

“ Sent a gift in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



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**Sabrina Whitney Loving** - October 03, 2019 at 06:09 PM

CH

“ Sent a gift in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian



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**cheryl hewitt** - October 03, 2019 at 05:38 PM

SH

“ Mrs. Mabel was part of the village that raised me. I just enjoyed being in her presence as I played with her daughter, Stella. I am praying for Stella and her family to be comforted throughout the days ahead.

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**Sharon Haynie** - October 03, 2019 at 05:35 PM

AA

Thank you, you all meant the world to my Gran. She knew she was loved.

*Granddaughter, Angela Sanderfer Anderson*

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**Angela Anderson** - October 04, 2019 at 03:04 PM

SH

“ *Lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



Sharon Haynie - October 03, 2019 at 05:24 PM

SH

“ *Sharon Haynie lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



Sharon Haynie - October 03, 2019 at 05:23 PM

MC

“ *Mary Cole lit a candle in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



Mary Cole - October 03, 2019 at 04:23 PM

MC

“ *Mary Cole sent a virtual gift in memory of Mabel Wilson Christian*



Mary Cole - October 03, 2019 at 04:22 PM

LP

“ *Aunty Mable,  
I remember as a young girl walking to see you  
and Uncle Frank on lee street. Aunty Mable,  
you have always been one my of favorite  
aunties and rest assure you will be deeply  
missed by many beautiful. I am really sad that I didn't come and visit  
you this summer. God is my witness you will always be thought of in  
so many ways that I can remember your pretty smile. One, 12/1986  
gathering will forever live in my heart my wedding shower and  
wedding night. I know my mom and her sister's are happy to see  
you. Thank you for always loving on me as your niece. Forever in  
my heart!*



*Love Lisa Peschon*

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**Lisa A. Patterson-Peschon** - October 03, 2019 at 03:23 PM