



Martha Jane Adams

March 21, 1937 - October 21, 2023

Martha Jane Adams, age 86, of Bowling Green, passed away at her home Saturday, October 21, 2023, surrounded by her family.

Funeral services will be held at 12:00pm on Saturday, October 28, 2023 at the Bibb-Veach Funeral Homes & Crematory in Bowling Green with Pastor Nathan Adams officiating. Burial will be held at Oak Grove Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Friday, October 27, from 4:00pm until 7:00pm at the funeral home.

Martha was born March 21, 1937, in Grafton, Ohio, the daughter of William and Elizabeth Simmons Archer. At the age of 16, Martha snuck out the back window of her family's house and ran off to Indiana to marry James Marshall Adams, an 18-year-old boy from West Virginia. Together, they celebrated 61 years of marriage and raised 6 children before James passed away October 6, 2015.

Survivors include sons Richard James Adams (Karla), William Marshall Adams (Marilyn), Marshall James Adams (Shellie), and James Michael Adams (Kimberly); daughter Jeannette Elizabeth Connell (George); son-in-law Charles Duff; 80 grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great grandchildren; brother Kenneth Archer (Charlotte); many nieces, nephews and extended family.

Martha was preceded in death by her parents; husband; daughter Judith Ann Duff who passed away June 4, 2017; grandson Jacob Daniel Connell; siblings Gerald, Harold, and Viola.

Martha spent her entire life supplying endless love to her family. She spent her years being a stay-at-home wife and mother, along with helping to raise her grandchildren. When her children began attending school, Martha cleaned businesses and homes for many years.

In her spare time, Martha enjoyed antiques, especially collecting glass and furniture. She was also known to cook large family meals and was known for her baking.

Serving as pallbearers will be Richard Adams, Matthew Adams, Caleb Connell, Elijah Connell, Levi Adams, Luke Adams, Jarod Adams, Zachariah Connell, Kaleb Schlessenger, Seth Connell, Daniel Adams, Michael Adams, Isaiah Bridges, and Aaron Adams.

Serving as honorary pallbearers will be Bryan Akers and Damon Akers.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association or Donors' Choice.

Cemetery Details

Oak Grove Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 27. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's & Crematory LLC - Bowling Green
606 West Main Street
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Funeral Service

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Burial

OCT 28 (AKT)

Oak Grove Cemetery

Tribute Wall

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“ *What a beautiful & inspiring Celebration of Life service you gave your loved one. I was especially touched by the insert in her memorial card, giving the Scripture references for salvation and providing the sinner's prayer. What an AMAZING way to share the Word of God for those who might not otherwise receive it. Unfortunately, I never got to experience any of Martha's wonderful cooking, but I will always remember her for her love & caring to me when I was floundering spiritually. May God bless each & every one of you during these days of adjustment!*

Beverle Prior - October 31, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



October 27, 2023 at 10:56 AM

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“ *Your Freedom Outpost Ministries Family purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



Your Freedom Outpost Ministries Family - October 26, 2023 at 12:45 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



October 26, 2023 at 12:16 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



October 24, 2023 at 07:10 PM



“ *The Kemerer's, Warren, Kim, Casey, Seth purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



The Kemerer's, Warren, Kim, Casey, Seth - October 24, 2023 at 04:25 PM



“ *The Kemerer's, Warren, Kim, Casey, Seth planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Martha Jane Adams.*

The Kemerer's, Warren, Kim, Casey, Seth - October 24, 2023 at 04:25 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



October 24, 2023 at 03:25 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



October 24, 2023 at 02:27 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Martha Jane Adams.*

October 24, 2023 at 02:27 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



October 24, 2023 at 12:22 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



October 24, 2023 at 08:55 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Martha Jane Adams.

October 24, 2023 at 08:55 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



October 23, 2023 at 08:14 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Martha Jane Adams.

October 23, 2023 at 08:14 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Martha Jane Adams.*



October 23, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Martha Jane Adams.

October 23, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ Martha Adam's opened her heart and her home to so many people. She was gentle and loving. I remember her hosting many church functions. Her hospitality, warm smile, cooking, and love will never be forgotten.

Sarah - October 23, 2023 at 03:22 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Martha Jane Adams.



October 23, 2023 at 02:58 PM