



## Elaine Patterson

July 23, 1942 - May 6, 2020

Elaine Patterson, 77 of Lester, passed away on Wednesday, May 6, 2020 at home. Mrs. Patterson was born July 23, 1942 to William Howard Cowan and Jessie Mae Carwile Cowan.

Due to the State Health Order there will be a private graveside service for Mrs. Patterson. Burial will be in New Salem Cemetery with Larry Bullington officiating.

She loved her grandchildren and her great grandson and going to their sporting events. She was a member of the Church of Christ. Mrs. Patterson was an RN. She also loved crossword puzzles, word searches, coffee and giving hugs.

She is survived by her daughters, Kim Patterson, Karen Abernathy (Anthony) and Tara Jackson; son, Jimmy Patterson; grandchildren, Jake Abernathy, Cody Farr and Chloe Jackson; great grandson, Skyler Adams; sister, Paulette Clark (Earl).

Preceded in death by her parents; granddaughter, Jessica Braithwaite; brother, Ed Cowan; sister, June Fetters.

Pallbearers are Scott Green, Wade Legg, Jake Abernathy, Anthony

Abernathy, Jordan McKleroy, Gary McKleroy, Russ Gant, Travis Persell and Lucas Kellum.

# Tribute Wall

KP

“ My brother was Gary Pitts and ill never forget Elaine being his nurse when he was injured playing football in 1972 or 73 . She was a great nurse but aside from that , she kept Garys spirits up . He was 17 and would never play ball again and was in the hospital over a month . My family fell in love with her for all she did for Gary . She was truly a Godsend for us . She took such good care of him and kept him smiling . Up until he passed away , he'd tell stories of Elaine and how she kept him going . She was truly a remarkable woman and she will be missed . My heart goes out to you in this time .

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**Kristi Pitts** - May 10, 2020 at 06:04 PM

KO

“ I am so sorry to hear about Elaine passing. She was such a beautiful soul. When she worked at Lester Hospital all we had to do was call when my asthma was acting up and she would be ready and waiting on us to get there with the shot I needed and the other medications I needed. She had a heart of gold and such a caring loving person. It was wonderful to have her as a neighbor for so many years. She will be missed by so many. The Lester community as a whole will be grieving her loss.

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**Kimberly Owen** - May 09, 2020 at 09:30 AM

LT

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Jimmy and his sisters during this most difficult time. We have had the pleasure of having Elaine and Jim as neighbors for over 30 years. Our litte place will never be the same. Elaine was a wonderful, sweet lady and we were Blessed to have known her for so long.

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**Lisa Thompson** - May 09, 2020 at 12:38 AM

DB

“ I am so very sorry for her family's loss! I remember always remember Elaine ask to be daddy's nurse when he had his Kidney removed. We was so thankful and daddy always said at least he knew one person in there with him! I pray you will have comfort and peace today and the coming days.

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**Dianne Berzett** - May 08, 2020 at 08:09 PM

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“ So sorry for the loss of Mrs Elaine she was one of the sweetest persons I ever met at d.e. Jackson hospital rip

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**Lecrica redding** - May 08, 2020 at 07:48 PM

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“ Elaine Patterson

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**Alice Usery** - May 08, 2020 at 06:24 PM

SC

“ Such a wonderful and special lady. She was so much a part of Lester and the hospital. She was always ready to help anyone. Prayers for you all. We know you will find peace and comfort in wonderful memories and the love she had for you all. Glenn and Sue Carwile

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**Sue Carwile** - May 07, 2020 at 03:06 PM