



## Barbara Jean Mayse

September 13, 1943 - April 13, 2026

Mrs. Barbara Jean Skaggs Mayse age 82 of Morehead, Kentucky formerly of Elliott County passed away peacefully Monday, April 13, 2026, at UK-St. Claire Medical Center in Morehead, Kentucky.

Mrs. Mayse was born September 13, 1943, in Elliott County, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Emmitt and Lucy Eldridge Skaggs.

Barbara Jean was of the Protestant faith and a homemaker. She enjoyed spending time with the family.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by infant grandson; Kenneth Riley Mayse, siblings; Jack Skaggs (Sharon), Johnny Skaggs, Jimmy Skaggs (Joyce), Faye Wice, Monnie Margeson, Billy Skaggs, Pauline Cox, Annie Pearl Oakley, Charles Skaggs, Audrey Skaggs, Lonnie Skaggs, Myrtle Skaggs, and Mary Ellen Oakley.

She is survived by her loving husband of sixty-seven years; Tony W. Mayse, children; Vanessa Mayse (Bill), Greg Mayse (Brenda), and Valerie Pennington (Stephan). Grandchildren; Anthony Horton (Marilyn), Brad Horton (Erica), Zachary Mayse, Brett Horton, Chelsey Mayse, great grandchildren; Ryan Horton, Ty Horton, Jada Horton, Callie Horton, Jakob Horton, Hallie Mayse, Abby Mayse, and Liam Mayse. Siblings: Ben Skaggs (Dixie), Sue Townsend,

Sharon Arlene White, Janie Blevins (Greg), Robert Skaggs, and Hallie Hatfield along with a host of extended family members who will sadly mourn her passing.

Funeral services will be held 1:00 p.m. Thursday, April 16, 2026, at Whitt & Sons Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Robert Kidd officiating. Burial will follow in the Elliott County Memory Gardens in Sandy Hook.

Friends may visit from 11:00 a.m. till 1:00 p.m. Thursday, April 16, 2026, at the funeral home.

Serving as pallbearers are Anthony Horton, Brad Horton, Ryan Horton, Ty Horton, Stephan Pennington, and David Townsend.

# Cemetery Details

## Elliott County Memory Gardens

Elliott Co, KY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 16. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Whitt & Sons Funeral Home  
1260 North Ky 7  
Post Office Box 704  
Sandy Hook, KY 41171  
(606) 738-9600  
<https://www.whittandsonsfuneralhome.com>

## Service

APR 16. 1:00 PM (ET)

Whitt & Sons Funeral Home  
1260 North Ky 7  
Post Office Box 704  
Sandy Hook, KY 41171  
(606) 738-9600  
<https://www.whittandsonsfuneralhome.com>

## Burial

APR 16 (ET)

Elliott County Memory Gardens

KY-7

Sandy Hook, KY 41171

# Tribute Wall



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Barbara Jean Mayse.*



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April 15 at 03:36 PM



“ *Ron and Debbie Copass purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Barbara Jean Mayse.*



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**Ron and Debbie Copass** - April 15 at 03:19 PM



“ *Ron and Debbie Copass planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara Jean Mayse.*

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**Ron and Debbie Copass** - April 15 at 03:19 PM



“ *Cathy Christy purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Barbara Jean Mayse.*



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**Cathy Christy** - April 15 at 02:56 PM

LL

“ Love you, Ellen and John Luda purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Barbara Jean Mayse.



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Love you, Ellen and John Luda - April 15 at 01:25 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Barbara Jean Mayse.



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April 15 at 12:09 PM

DC

“ I didn't get the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Mayse, but I know and love her daughter Vanessa Mayse. My heart and prayers go out to the family.

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Deborah Copass - April 15 at 11:38 AM

KM

“ Kathryn M. purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Barbara Jean Mayse.



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Kathryn M. - April 15 at 11:38 AM

KM

“ Kathryn M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara Jean Mayse.

Kathryn M. - April 15 at 11:38 AM

PF

“ Prayers for comfort and peace.

Pam Ferguson - April 15 at 03:41 AM

NS

“ Norma Salyers lit a candle in memory of Barbara Jean Mayse



Norma salyers - April 14 at 10:07 PM

RK

“ Our thoughts and prayers for peace and comfort for all the family and friends



Rick & Elaine Keller - April 14 at 09:37 PM

WH

“ *Wilma Hutchinson lit a candle in memory of Barbara Jean Mayse*



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**Wilma Hutchinson** - April 14 at 07:50 PM

BE

“ *Bob & Vickey Eldridge purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Barbara Jean Mayse.*



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**Bob & Vickey Eldridge** - April 14 at 07:50 PM

JA

“ *Always so beautiful! Much love and many prayers for all the family!*



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**Jimmy, Kathy, Tim and Michelle Adkins** - April 14 at 07:32 PM

RH

“ *Rick & Pam Howard lit a candle in memory of Barbara Jean Mayse*



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**Rick & Pam Howard** - April 14 at 07:14 PM

SB

“ *My deepest sympathy to the family and friends. May God bless and comfort 🙏*



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**Sen. Walter "Doc" Blevins** - April 14 at 06:50 PM

SS

“ *Stephanie, Burnsy and Garrison Stewart purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Barbara Jean Mayse.*



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**Stephanie, Burnsy and Garrison Stewart** - April 14 at 04:47 PM

VF

“ *So very sorry. Love & Prayers to all the Family.*



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**Vickie & David Fox** - April 14 at 04:19 PM