



## Barbara "Bobbie" Ann Scruggs

September 6, 1946 - February 20, 2026

Barbara Ann (Ardry) Scruggs, lovingly known to everyone as "Bobbie" passed away

peacefully at home surrounded by her family on February 20, 2026 at the age of 79 in

Maryville, Tennessee. A lifelong Tennessean, she was born on September 6, 1946 in Hickman

County, Tennessee to Robert Hardin Ardry and Dorothy Mai Trotter.

Bobbie was a graduate of Hickman County High School. On June 5, 1976 she married the

love of her life, Goldie Ray Scruggs. Together they built a life centered on family and love,

raising two children, Goldie Arlette (Scruggs) Willis and Ellis Ray Scruggs.

She lived with

her family in Nolensville, Tennessee, and later retired to Jamestown,

Tennessee. After the passing of her husband, she moved to Maryville,

Tennessee to be closer to her children and grandchildren.

She held many titles in her life-daughter, aunt, sister, mom, wife, and her favorite title,

Grammy. There was nothing she loved more than her family and her happiest moments

were when she was surrounded by them.

Bobbie worked for over 25 years at Black & Decker, where she retired as a supervisor. She had a strong work ethic and kind, steady leadership at her job. But her true gift was caring for others.

She really loved simple things in life: a strong cup of coffee (with plenty of sugar), long afternoons in her rocking chair, and playing cards with her family. She loved country music-especially George Jones-and she often requested that her grandson Elijah would play the guitar and sing old country hits. She had a soft spot for animals. She had two beloved dogs, Lexi and Lulu, and she was always ready to help care for the animals her children had.

Bobbie was a woman of deep faith, and she lived it daily through her kindness, generosity, and love. She spent a lot of time reading her Bible and writing out her favorite verses. She had a gentle, caring, quiet spirit that made everyone feel loved.

Her legacy is one of devotion, warmth, and unconditional love. She will be deeply missed and remembered forever by those who were blessed to know her.

Survivors include her daughter, Goldie Willis, son, Ellis (Amber) Scruggs: grandchildren,

Cassie Wills, Elijah Scruggs, Ashlee Willis, Tyler Scruggs, and honorary granddaughter

Alden Smith: siblings Bill (Marjorie) Ardry, June (Travis) Victory, Boyce (Carolyn) Ardry,

Steve (Rhena) Ardry, and many beloved nieces, nephews, great nieces, and great nephews.

In addition to her parents, Bobbie is preceded in death by her husband, Ray Scruggs:

grandson, Jaden Scruggs: sisters, Cleo McCaleb, Clara Jo Ardry, Lois Bee (Daniel) Kapela.

Pallbearers will be Ellis Scruggs, Elijah Scruggs, Tyler Scruggs, Bill Ardry, Boyce Ardry, Steve Ardry, and Travis Victory.

There will be a gathering of family and friends on February 25 at Lambert Cemetery in Lyles, Tennessee, followed by a graveside service at 11:00 AM also at Lambert Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Lambert Cemetery

6431 Hassell Creek Rd  
Lyles, TN 37098

# Previous Events

## Gathering of Family and Friends

FEB 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Graveside Service

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# Tribute Wall

JV

“ *Rest in peace. Loved you my sister. Will miss you.* ”



June Ardry Victory - May 10 at 02:41 PM

DM

“ *Bobbie was such a sweet lady. My mother introduced her and Ray. May she rest in peace.* ”

Dewanna Mahon - February 23 at 08:20 PM

MB

“ *Michael Bates sent a virtual gift in memory of Barbara "Bobbie" Scruggs* ”



Michael Bates - February 22 at 10:07 AM

RG

“ *Ronald Gammons lit a candle in memory of Barbara "Bobbie" Scruggs* ”



Ronald Gammons - February 22 at 08:44 AM

JM

“ *A sweet lady , precious memories I cherish. So sorry for your loss .  
Praying for your family . Jane McConnell*

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**Jane McConnell** - February 21 at 08:48 PM