



Mae Wade Bayse

August 9, 1936 - July 17, 2018

Mae Wade Bayse, 81, of 485 Highway View Road, Hurt died Tuesday, July 17, 2018 at her home. She was the wife of Rev. David Russell Bayse for 53 years.

She was born August 9, 1936 in Vicker, a daughter of the late William Howard Wade and Beulah Huddle Wade. She was a member of Salem Wesleyan Church, attended Central Baptist Church, enjoyed volunteering with DAWN and was a retired school teacher from Faith Christian Academy.

She is survived by three sons, John Bayse and his wife, Kelly of South Lebanon, OH, Paul Bayse and his wife, Diane of Grit and Timothy Bayse and his wife, Jocelyn of Manassas; one brother, William Howard "Bill" Wade, Jr. and his wife, Lois of Christiansburg; five grandchildren, Matthew Bayse and his friend, Samantha, Alex Crews and his wife Faith, Rebekah Bayse, Justin Bayse and Nina Bayse; and a great grandson, Ryan Bayse.

A funeral service will be conducted at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, July 21, 2018 at Central Baptist Church, Altavista by the Rev. Greg Reynolds with interment to follow at 3:00 p.m. in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Christiansburg.

The family will receive friends from 7:00 until 8:30 p.m., Friday at Finch and Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista and other times at the

residence.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

2880 N. Franklin St.
Christiansburg, VA 24073

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 20. 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Finch and Finch, Inc. Funeral and Cremation Service
P.O. Box 85
Altavista, VA 24517

Funeral Service

JUL 21. 10:00 AM (ET)

Central Baptist Church
515 7th Street
Altavista, VA 24517

Graveside Service

JUL 21. 3:00 PM (ET)

Roselawn Memorial Gardens
2880 N. Franklin St.
Christiansburg, VA 24073

Tribute Wall



“ Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Mae Wade Bayse



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - July 20, 2018 at 11:05 AM

MD

*My love and prayers are with the family of the loss of such a wonderful lady. Many years ago I met her husband and through that meeting my life changed drastically for the good. He led me and my family to the Lord through that meeting I received a saving knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ and life was never the same after that. Mae was was a wonderful example of a Christian wife, mother and friend. She was also one of the best cooks I ever met. She was so sweet and kind to me and our large family of six children. I have wonderful memories of her and the whole family that I never forgot through all these years since I first met her. She had the true qualities of what a Christian should be. She lived what she believed in. She can now rest from all her labor and rejoice in Heaven throughout all eternity.
From Marie Domenico-Robbins*

Marie Domenico-Robbins - July 24, 2018 at 12:54 PM

DN

“ We are so sorry to hear of your loss. As a teenager, Mae was my pen pal while she was in college at Marian. Thru the years we created many memories at Buckingham Camp. She was helping me with facts as I am currently working on a history of the camp. It is our prayer that God will give you comfort and healing as you face this difficult time.

Dianne Thomas Nash & Wiley Nash

Dianne Nash - July 23, 2018 at 11:19 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.



Virginia Clark - July 22, 2018 at 03:57 PM

CC

“ Lots of good memories of Mae and her family. Even with a full plate on her hands with three hungry boys and husband, she still made you feel welcome for a Sunday dinner after church at the parsonage. Hospitality was just one of many of her Christian attributes she shared with those in need and friends in general. We all are feeling the vacuum left by her passing.

Sincerely, Curtis and Carolyn

Curtis Jones & Carolyn - July 22, 2018 at 03:19 PM

SD

“ Mae was a true lady. She was a member of one of the finest families it has been my pleasure to know. She made an impact on so many lives. Mae will be greatly missed.

Stanley Davis

Stanley Davis - July 21, 2018 at 03:43 AM

KR

“ Deepest Sympathy is sent to the Bayse Family and Friends. We are very heavy in heart for the loss of a great lady. She will always be thought of and missed greatly. In our hearts and prayers for comfort that God will give. Rev. Roy and Karen Rogers, Salem, VA



Karen Rogers - July 20, 2018 at 01:10 PM



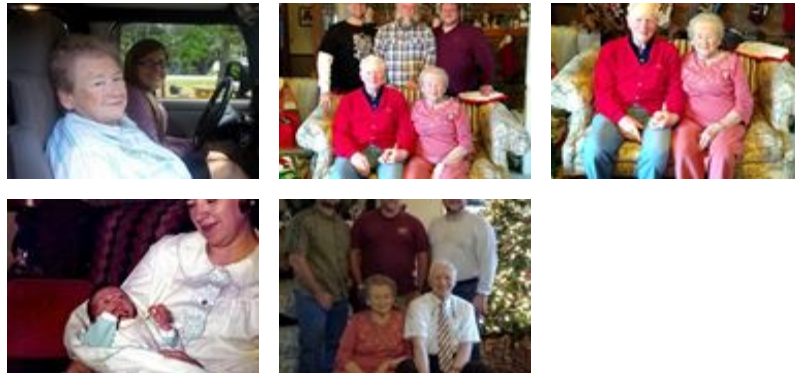
“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mae Wade Bayse .



July 20, 2018 at 12:53 PM



“ 78 files added to the album Life Tributes



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - July 20, 2018 at 09:53 AM

AM

“ My condolences to Pastor David and the Bayse family. I was saddened to hear of Mae's passing. She was an extraordinary lady and her faith was inspiring. May God bless your family during this time.

Angie Painter Martin - July 19, 2018 at 10:30 PM

LG

“ My heart rejoices for Mae but is broken for the family. She truly "walked the walk" and is with her precious Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Rev. Bayse, my thoughts and prayers will be with you and your family during this difficult time.



Linda B. Giles - July 19, 2018 at 05:30 PM

CS

“ Mrs Bayse was an incredible Christian lady. She knew how to make you smile when you could not find a way. She taught my daughter a lot while she spent time in Hurt with her Grandparents..Your family is in our prayers at this time. I can see her clapping bher hands in heaven with my Dad as my Mother is playing the piano. What a day of enjoying for them.

Corinthia Sells - July 19, 2018 at 04:08 PM

CS

“ Corinthia Sells lit a candle in memory of Mae Wade Bayse



Corinthia Sells - July 19, 2018 at 04:04 PM

BW

“ Mae was a wonderful Christian friend and teacher to my daughter, Joy. She will be greatly missed by us but certainly present with the Lord. Praise God! Billie Collins Wallace

Billie Collins Wallace - July 19, 2018 at 03:54 PM

KS

“ So sorry for your loss. The Heavens have gained an awesome Angel.

Kim Aldridge Sykes
Huddleston U.M. Church

Kim Sykes - July 19, 2018 at 03:31 PM

RM

“ Paul, Diane, And family, You and your family are in our prayers and thoughts. She will truly be missed. Mae was a great lady. With Love, R.L, Jr, Ricki, R.L., III. The Mattox Family.



Ricki Mattox - July 19, 2018 at 03:13 PM

LM

“ Mrs. Bayse was a dear, Godly lady who had an impact on many. We were thankful for her service at Faith Christian Academy as she was an outstanding English instructor who loved the students and challenged them to give their best. So sorry for your loss Rev. Bayse - I know she was your faithful friend and support walking through life together. We rejoice in her faithful testimony!
With love, prayers, and care,
Lisa Moore



Lisa Moore - July 19, 2018 at 01:11 PM

AA

“ AAMA purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Mae Wade Bayse .



AAMA - July 19, 2018 at 12:28 PM

SF

“ *Sandra Farris lit a candle in memory of Mae Wade Bayse*



Sandra Farris - July 19, 2018 at 12:11 PM

MH

“ *Our deepest condolences and prayers for comfort and peace. Mae was a precious treasure to so many. Your friends and colleagues of the Altavista Area Ministerial Association.*

Marci Huntsman - July 19, 2018 at 11:30 AM

BC

“ *Butch & Glenna W. Carr lit a candle in memory of Mae Wade Bayse*



Butch & Glenna W. Carr - July 19, 2018 at 10:15 AM

SP

“ *David and family, I just wanted to share my condolences at your loss, but rejoice that Mae is now with the angels in Heaven! I taught many years with her at Faith Christian Academy and always found her to be Christ-like in her attitude and behavior. She was a true friend and I shall miss running into her at Wal-Mart. Seems like that is the only time we visited lately! I shall remember fondly our last retired teacher luncheon in June.*

Sharon Peirano - July 19, 2018 at 09:29 AM

VL

“ Oh, the REWARD for such a precious saint of God! Saddened to hear of your loss. Mae has been such a precious friend, wonderful & wise mentor and support to so many. She helped me in tremendous ways in Women's Ministry and as a pastor's wife over the years. We have all been so blessed to have experienced her friendship. God be with you and bring His sweet comfort.
Violet Long

Violet Long - July 19, 2018 at 08:40 AM

PL

“ I am so sorry to hear of Mrs. Bayse passing. She was always so nice to me. I am going to miss running into her at the grocery store and every time asked about how my boy's were doing and my family. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.



Pamela Lukin - July 19, 2018 at 08:20 AM

VC

“ So sorry for your loss. My thoughts are with you.



Virginia Clark - July 18, 2018 at 09:58 PM

VI

“ So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.



Virginia - July 18, 2018 at 09:56 PM

VC

“ So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.



Virginia Clark - July 18, 2018 at 09:43 PM

FS

“ From siblings purchased the A Full Life for the family of Mae Wade Bayse .



From siblings - July 18, 2018 at 09:33 PM

VC

“ So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.



Virginia Clark - July 18, 2018 at 09:31 PM

DS

“ Mae always had such a beautiful smile while singing in the choir at Central Baptist. Praying peace for the family.

Donna Sewell - July 18, 2018 at 08:17 PM

GG

“ Gwen Goggin lit a candle in memory of Mae Wade Bayse



Gwen Goggin - July 18, 2018 at 08:02 PM

TH

“ Mae and David first became clients and then very good friends. I visited their home on several occasions and we talked a lot about many different things. I'm going to miss her but it is great comfort to know without a shadow of doubt, she is with our Lord and Savior and having a great time

Thomas hutcherson - July 18, 2018 at 07:12 PM

GE

“ Mae was the first teacher to suspect I wasn't doing all of the required reading. I had to work hard at not working hard to get an A in her class. You couldn't get anything passed her. She took her job seriously because she cared about her students. She paid attention to detail. She was stern yet compassionate. She knew what to say and when not to say it. She looked out for her students wellbeing. She literally gave me a coat when she thought I was cold. She taught me how to run the soundboard at Clement Memorial and encouraged my involvement in church. She was technical, grammatical, yet had a sense of humor. If you asked her how she was doing she'd often jokingly say "I was doing alright" as in before you showed up! There wasn't a story with a hole she couldn't solve. If she could read this now I'm sure she'd find all kinds of grammatical errors, but she was much more than an English teacher. She has left her mark on both me and my wife. Gabriel & Mande

Gabriel Eades - July 18, 2018 at 07:00 PM

PW

“ Patsy Waller lit a candle in memory of Mae Wade Bayse



Patsy Waller - July 18, 2018 at 06:54 PM



“ Deborah Irby lit a candle in memory of Mae Wade Bayse



Deborah Irby - July 18, 2018 at 06:29 PM

BA

“ *Bill@Betty Adkins lit a candle in memory of Mae Wade Bayse*



Bill@Betty Adkins - July 18, 2018 at 05:25 PM

GW

“ *Gwenda Willard lit a candle in memory of Mae Wade Bayse*



Gwenda Willard - July 18, 2018 at 05:18 PM

SB

“ *Family,*

So sorry for your loss. Mae was a very special, loving and caring lady. She will be greatly missed. Good friend.



Love & Prayers,

Sue Blackstock

Sue Blackstock - July 18, 2018 at 04:41 PM

JW

“ *Joan Woodson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mae Wade Bayse*



Joan Woodson - July 18, 2018 at 04:15 PM

NR

“ *Nancy Roark sent a virtual gift in memory of Mae Wade Bayse*



Nancy Roark - July 18, 2018 at 03:56 PM

NR

Mae was a true friend to me and many others. Enjoyed our time together while David pastored at Clement Memorial Wesleyan. Fly high My Friend!

Nancy Roark - July 18, 2018 at 04:02 PM

PP

Mae was a true Christian and a devoted Pastor's wife. I have a lot of good memories when Preacher Bayse was at Clement Memorial Wesleyan Church which I attended all my young life. I loved talking to Mae when she would come to the Y. Will certainly miss her.

Pat Puckette - July 18, 2018 at 06:04 PM

RW

“ *Ralph Woods lit a candle in memory of Mae Wade Bayse*



Ralph Woods - July 18, 2018 at 03:40 PM

SD

“ *God has welcomed an angel home but she will really be missed. Mae was one of the finest Christian women that we ever had the privilege of knowing and having as a friend. She perfected the art of being a Pastor's wife among many other things. We enjoyed the years at Clement with them and still considered them our Pastor and friends. We will really miss her. Sending Prayers to all the family during this difficult time.*
Steve and Jean Dalton



Steve Dalton - July 18, 2018 at 03:38 PM

BM

“ *Bud And Dean Moon lit a candle in memory of Mae Wade Bayse*



Bud and Dean Moon - July 18, 2018 at 03:09 PM