



# Marilyn K. Wright (Bailey)

May 18, 1937 - May 14, 2026

In Loving Memory of Marilyn K. Wright (Bailey)

Marilyn K. Wright (Bailey), born May 18, 1937, passed peacefully on May 14, 2026, just days before her 89th birthday. She lived a life defined by love, resilience, and devotion to her family, leaving behind a legacy that spans generations.

## A Life of Family and Devotion

Marilyn was the heart of her family, a guiding presence whose warmth and kindness touched everyone she met. She was a devoted mother to her children:

- Cynthia A. Bates
- Larry D. Bates
- Roger L. Bates

Her love extended to her grandchildren:

- Christina A. Bates
- Ashley L. Bates
- Natalie Bates
- Amie Bates

She cherished her great-grandchildren:

- Troy D. Bates
- Mariah L. Bates

- Aalyiah K. Bates

And delighted in the joy of her great-great-grandchildren:

- Alahni Bates

- Jazlynn Bates

- Aiden Young

### Her Legacy

Marilyn's life was a testament to the strength of family bonds and her deep love for the Christian church and its members. She nurtured traditions, celebrated milestones, and offered unwavering support through life's challenges. Her presence was a source of comfort and inspiration, and her legacy will live on in the hearts of her children, grandchildren, and the generations that follow.

### Remembering Marilyn

Those who knew Marilyn will remember her gentle spirit, her shyness, her laughter, and her ability to make everyone feel valued. She leaves behind not only a family who loved and adored her, but also countless memories that will be treasured forever.

Marilyn's story is one of love carried forward — a reminder that the bonds we build in life endure beyond our years. Her family will continue to honor her by living with the same kindness, strength, and devotion that she embodied.

Marilyn K. Wright (Bailey) will be deeply missed, but her spirit will remain a guiding light for all who loved her.

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

MAY 23. 4:00 PM (ET)

West Orange Christian Church  
7325 Conroy Windermere Rd  
Orlando, FL 32835

# Tribute Wall

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“ *The Smolik Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Marilyn K. Wright (Bailey).*



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**The Smolik Family** - May 22 at 01:42 PM