



*Linda Avery Caldwell*

**Aug. 13, 1953 - March 17, 2024**

Linda Avery Caldwell, 70, of Morganton, NC passed away on Sunday, March 17, 2024. She was born on August 13, 1953 in Burke County to the late Gilmore Avery, Jr. and Annie Harrison Avery. Linda was a member of Green Street Presbyterian Church where she played the organ and was a member of the choir. She was a fun-loving and caring wife who loved, and was loved by, her husband, daughters and family. She was a Godly person, a beautiful singer and a very family-oriented person. Linda retired from J Iverson Riddle Developmental Center after eighteen years of service.

She is survived by her husband, Steve Caldwell; children, Felicia Chambers, Andrea Suddreth (Yul), Tina Hayden, Consuelo Chambers, Aurora McIver (Christopher), Joy Dephue, Steve Caldwell, Jr., and Christopher Caldwell; siblings, Angela Avery and Ray Avery (Jean); thirteen grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her uncle, Raymond Harrison; and her grandparents.

The family will receive friends from 2-3pm Sunday, March 24, 2024 at Green Street Presbyterian Church. The funeral will begin at 3pm in the church with Rev. Dr. Marla Patchel and Rev. Yul Suddreth officiating. Burial will follow in Burke Memorial Park.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

Mrs Linda was always so nice and soft spoken I will always remember that beautiful voice when she used to sing in the choir at. St John Holiness Church  
Rest in paradise beautiful

—Cynthia Watkins

Rest In Heaven Linda. My most sincere condolences to Steve and Daughters along with all other Family members. You will never be forgotten Sweet Beautiful Linda. Prayers and thoughts to all !

—Linda Tips n

To my cousin Steve, Linda's daughters and all the family, I sincerely enjoyed every visit I had with Linda. Her faith in God always inspired me as well as her positive disposition. She finished well! May the true and living God of all comfort, hope, peace, provisions and consolation fill your hearts and homes with His presence during this time of bereavement and loss of someone so special to you all. Our prayers and thoughts are with you as well as our love. Connie Williams Watson & your Atlanta Family

—Constance Watson

I'm so sorry Andrea & family in your loss. God has His loving arms wrapped around you in comfort & healing. Keeping you in prayers, & sending love & hugs to surround you. I'm so sorry I was not able to attend the service.

—Amelia Fox



Praying God's comfort and peace to the entire family.

—Greg Means

My condolences to the family.

—Jacqueline C. Kanipe



—Marsha

Steve, I am so sorry to read about the passing away of your wife Linda. She was a very sweet person and I will always remember the good times we shared together as couples. May God bless you and your family during this difficult time.

—Sheila Butler



In Jesus' Mighty Name, praying God's perfect peace that passes all understanding to guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus at this time and always. I thank God for His Promise to comfort all who mourn. Let His Divine love blanket your family knowing that for those that die in Christ are in the future of the loved ones left behind that reside in Christ.

—Deatra Harbison

My condolences to the family

—Wilhelmina H Davidson



A beautiful person condolences to the family RIP Linda

—Jimmy Powell



Ms. Linda, To be absent from the body is to present with Christ. Thank you for always making me feel welcome, loved, and accepted. It meant so much!

—Nicole



—Edna Suttles



—Sharon Corpening

Sending My Condolences and Prayers to Andrea and her family. May God give you Comfort during this time. Angela Robertson & Family.



My sincere condolences prayers of comfort for the family, what good times we had at Western Carolina Center what memories I will cherish

—Gracie Fullwood



My sincere condolences to Linda's family. May God bless each of you during this most difficult time in your lives.

—Diann Thomas Tate

My condolences to the family.

—Jacqueline C. Kanipw



My condolences to the Avery and Caldwell family.

—Vanya Mcelrath



—Anonymous



Steve, I am so sorry to hear of your loss and I pray that God will bless you and your family during this difficult time in your life. You all will remain in my thoughts and prayers.

—Greg Walker

Linda you would truly be missed I remember when we work together at j Iverson riddle me you Gracie and Debbie girl those was the good days and fun days you always try to keep me out of trouble still today I stay in trouble but I can never ever find a good friend and you yes you were truly be missed love you Linda your friend Renay Reid rest in peace my friend until I see you again

—Renay Reid

Steve, I am very saddened to hear about your loss. I pray for peace and comfort for the entire family.

—Don Peach Sr