



Molinda Lovelace Karpman

Nov. 28, 1946 - July 31, 2023

Molinda Lovelace Karpman, 76, of Morganton, NC passed away on Monday, July 31, 2023. She was born on November 28, 1946 in Burke County, NC to the late Bly M. Lovelace and Rebecca Weeks Lovelace. Molinda served in the US Air Force at the Pentagon for four years. She was also an airline attendant with TWA.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. Harold Karpman; brothers, Billy and Clifford Lovelace; sister, Hazel Howell.

Molinda is survived by her step-son. David Karpman; grandchildren, Kai-Lily and Huston Karpman; step-daughter, Laura Karpman (Nora); grandson, Benjamin Karpman; brother, Kenny Lovelace; sisters, Hermina Davidson (Glen), Beth Cooper (Tommy), and Polly Mayo (Ralph); and a number of nieces and nephews.

A service will be held at a later date at Mt. Sinai Cemetery in Los Angeles, CA.

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

Tribute Wall



Polly we are so very sorry for the loss of your sister knowing your heart is breaking. We love you so much and know you are in our prayers special friend

-Randall & Jean Edwards



So hard to lose my dear sister , Molinda. We was always so close . Used to fly out to California with my husband Ralph to see her & Harold all the time . We had went to so many places when we was out there . Know I always drove her crazy wanting to get California t-shirts for my family & friends . She was special like the head of our family always getting things done . She might be gone but she will never ever be forgotten . One of a kind . Luv u forever Molinda . See you again when it is my time to go . Know you are with Harold your husband , our mom & dad , our sister Hazel , our brothers Cliff & Billy , your nieces Elin & Teresa , auntie Wanell & uncle Frank Etc .

-Polly Mayo



-Randy Medall



Hello. .. I got to know Dr. Karpman years ago when he came in to do pre-planning at Mount Sinai. Sweet man. I also

helped Molinda design his Memorial Tablet after he passed away not all that long ago. It'll be my privilege to assist you with hers in the coming months. Keep all the good times in your hearts and may her memory be a blessing. My condolences. Howard Cohen Mount Sinai hcohen@mountsinaiparks.org 818-489-3445

-Howard Cohen

She was a friend

-Ed Denton

My deepest condolences to the family of Molina. She was a lovely lady and a great wife to Dr Karpman. I knew her through being atheist assistant to Dr Bleifer for many years. May she be blessed at the side of her partner in life. Much love, Sue

-Sue Cohen

Polly and Beth, so sorry for the loss of your your precious sister Molinda. Sorry I missed the service we were on vacation. I got to meet her at your birthday party (Polly). I immediately fell in love with her. I'm praying for all you, praying for God to give you comfort and peace.

-Terry and Gina Holland



Polly so sorry to hear of your sister passing

-Doris Smith Pritchard

SISTERS...Forever...ALWAYS...LOVE>>PEACE..JOY..FAITH..HOPe GRATITUDE...Famiy a little world created by LOVE..

-Sparky Hermina



Molinda The love you gave to your family and friends, the celebrations you seamlessly put together were fantastic. You were always the life of the party. No one could ask for a better caretaker or friend. Molinda Karpman was truly one of a kind. A force that will sorely be missed!! Love Caralyn and Jeff Poskin

-Caralyn and Jeff Poskin

Rest in Peace Molinda {aka} SPORT I have been sit here, trying to wrap my head around this, it so hard Death may have taken you away from me. But it could never take the memories we have made, You will always be in my heart. We have had a lot of good time and sad time together, I have known you for 48 years Not only were you a great friend to me, you loved my family just as much and welcomed us always with open arms. Driving up the coast, going to Tahoe, all the company parties, and my wedding. I can go on about all the times we have shared together and will cherish them for the rest of my life. So long my dear friend Love ya, Scully

-Sharon Walter



Molinda was my second mama and my godmother. Her and my mama have been friends for 45+ years. She meant the world to me. She tried to make every event that happened in my life. We talked all the time when we can. She always taught me to be strong and always work hard and not give

her family. She always made time for me when I wanted to see her and visit. She was an amazing woman. Will miss our email conversations about life and everything else we

wanted to update one another on. Now your looking down on all of us and watching over us. I love you Sport and will miss you so much. Love, Julia Rose

-Julia Rose Closs

you will be missed, so sorry that I did not get to see again. May you rest in peace

-Brenda Spitalonis

you will be missed so much, wish I could have seen you one last time. Rest in peace sweet cousin

-Brenda Spitalonis



I've known Molinda and her husband Harold for 38 years and they were Somme of the most wonderful and kind people I've ever known, she will be forever missed and always remembered.

-George Walter

Linda was my best friend in the 3rd thru 5th grade, then we moved with my Daddy's job. He and and my Mother brought me to see her once because I missed her so much. Once on a trip to Las Vegas with my sisters, I think she was the stewardess on our flight. She was standing there as we exited and we made eye contact and smiled at each other. I've always wished I had asked, "are you, Linda", but she was busy. May God comfort you, her family

-Judy Norville

Love you Polly,

-Gina and Terry Holland

Molinda left a huge void in our family. She was always there for each of us.....no matter what the need. You, Molinda, will never be forgotten nor loved by all of us. With much love and devotion to all my cousins and prayers and comfort to fill the hearts of all who had the privilege to know this marvelous woman!!! Fran Morrow Hackney

-Fran Hackney



Molinda only met me a couple times as a kid at her sister Polly's house, but always kept my family in her thoughts. She even sent our girls clothes out of the blue that they absolutely loved. Our absolute most sincere condolences to Harold, all the Lovelaces and extended family. God Bless.

-Butch, Ryane, Cassidy & Charisma Greene



Sympathy extended to all the dear Lovelace family.

-Sunny Brown



Polly and family, so sorry for your loss.

-Mike and Revonda White

Polly, I'm so sorry to hear of Molinda's passing. She was such a sweet and precious lady. You and you family are in my thoughts and prayers.

-Jennifer Jones

My thoughts and prayers are with all of your family. You will be sorley missed. Fly with the angels my friend.

-margaret hamby



So very sorry for your loss She was a sweet lady. I'm glad I had the pleasure of meeting her.

-Angie Woody



Sis I will miss you for ever.Rest in peace. I Love you. Brother Kenny

-Melvin Lovelace

-Peggy Frank



I love you Aunt Molinda and I'm sooo glad we got to spend what time we had with you! I'm sure gonna miss having quiche with you on my mornings off! You will never be forgotten!

-Laura Hudson



-Curt & Freda Bowman



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May you rest in peace next to Harold

-Selvyn Bleifer



-curtiss L. Poteat

Molinda was my "second" Mom. There are not enough words in the English language to describe how much I loved her. Harold and her were always so kind and extremely generous towards me. I am completely devastated and heartbroken to learn of her passing... but I know she is no longer suffering physically and I know she is with God. My life is a better life because of her. I will miss her emails and phone calls and constant love more than words can describe. I will look forward to seeing her again on the other side. Rest in peace,

"Mom" and thank you for choosing ME to be the daughter you never had.

-Michelle Murlin