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Reneé Loven Faircloth

Jan. 3, 1961 - April 17, 2023

Reneé Loven Faircloth, 62, of Morganton, NC, went to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, Monday, April 17, 2023.

Born in Burke County, NC on January 3, 1961, she was the daughter of Nina Faye King Loven and the late Sterling Loven.

Reneé was a member of Arney's Fairview United Methodist Church where she served on numerous committees. She worked for 28 years for the North Carolina Department of Corrections throughout the state. She finished her career as a Captain at Marion Correctional Institute. During her career she received numerous honors and awards.

Reneé was an avid animal lover. She enjoyed spending time with and caring for all the animals at Horseshoe Bend Campground, especially her beloved Boston Terrier, Maggie. She also enjoyed listening to her daughter, Shelley, sing and her son-in-law, R.W., play the piano.

In addition to her mother, Ms. Faircloth is survived by her daughter, Shelley Faircloth Hobbs (R.W.); granddaughters, Kara and Sadie Hobbs; brothers, John L. Loven and

Hobbs (R.W.); granddaughters, Kara and Sadie Hobbs; brothers, John J. Loven and Vance Loven; sister, Doris McMahon (Larry); and numerous nieces and nephews.

Reneé was preceded in death by her father and twin brother, Mike Loven.

The family will receive friends from 12 to 1 p.m., Friday, April 21, 2023 at Sossoman Funeral Home. The funeral will be held at 1 p.m. in the Colonial Chapel of the funeral home with Rev. Ed Stephenson officiating. Burial will follow in Fairview Church Cemetery. Honors will be provided by the NC Department of Corrections.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Burke County Friends for Animals.

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

Tribute Wall

I am sincerely sorry for your loss. Praying for you all.

—Lisa Shatley Gurley

Im so shocked to learn of my old friend and high school classmate passing. I send my condolences to the family and especially to Shelly. Renee and I were friends and high school classmates back when we were silly and everything was fun. RIP old friend.

—Robbin D Amick

I will miss you but now you have your wings

—Karleigh bartlett

Renee and I was hired on the same day with the Department of Correction, August 23, 1993, attended CO training together, shared a room together for 4 weeks, rode, ate, slept, laughed, shared secrets, talked about our kids, husbands, studied, and so much more. A Sister from a different mother, who's name happen to be Nina, too. My heart is heavy, but rejoicing and believing GOD is always in control. I will see her again. My condolences to her family and may you always know she is so loved by many. May God's love continue to comfort you.

—Nina Griswell

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While I never met Renee I do know her daughter Shelly. Shelly is a beautiful and talented young woman using her talent for the service of The Lord. What joy Renee must have taken in her and in knowing she brought up such a child. Rest in The Presence of Your Lord Renee - a well deserved rest...

–Linda Jacobs

I convey my most sincere condolences to Renee's family , friends and former co-workers. Our loving GOD has once again fulfilled HIS word as expressed in Ecclesiastes 3: 1,i.e. For every thing under the heaven, there's a season . Thank you GOD for allowing us to cherish fond memories of love ones gone to be with YOU. Thank you family for sharing Renee . She was always a wonderful person to work with that gave her very best in all endeavors. Heaven has gained an Angel. FATHER GOD please keep, bless and comfort everyone during this difficult time. Continuing in PRAYER, Anthony Hathaway, III Retired Superintendent

–Anthony Hathaway, III



Ms Faircloth was a blessing to know and a great co-worker . Sending prayers and condolences to family and friends.

–Lillie Ballance

Renee, we never met. But we will walk the streets of gold together one day. I work with Shelly, and she's pretty amazing which speaks volumes about you. So I'll just tell you what Jesus told you when you left us to be with Him. "Well Done!" And Renee, please save my seat in the mansion. Jimi Clemons

–Jimi Clemons



–The Brower Family



Alma Dean Cooper and family, Dwan, Joy, Fay, Suzy and Durwood, Jr. wish to express our condolences to family and friends. Renee' was a wonderful friend to our family and many others during her time living in Columbia. May God's love bring you comfort and peace as you share wonderful memories of times together!

—Fay Cooper Davenport



Renee has been a friend for over 40 years. She will be missed greatly.

—Arthur & Diane Swanner



Rest In Peace my beautiful friend to know you was to love you so kind and loving and that beautiful big smile will always be remembered

—Sandy Johnson

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—Durwood Cooper, Jr.





—Sandy Johnson



I'm so saddened to learn of your passing my friend. Thank you for always being so sweet and kind to me when we worked together and all these years later. Rest peacefully, Renee.

—Cynthia Nettles



I wish to express my sincerest condolences to the Loven Family. I remember Renee from my childhood, and she was a very kind person. May she rest in the arms of Jesus.

—Bertie Jones Morris

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Prayers and thoughts with the family especially Nina. Loved seeing Renee at horselessbend thru the years.

—Lisa and Stan Cutts



My dear friend, Renee, I know we will see each other again one day. You were one of my go to ears, and I appreciate every hour we spent talking. Go rest in peace where you and my sister can sit together and enjoy the peacefulness that you all once had. I will always treasure our friendship.

–Rhoda Cooper



–Virginia Carver

Renee, I know we will meet again one day in a place far from the worries, sorrows and evil of this world. Even though we didn't spend much time together, I enjoyed those times.... both on the shore of the ocean and in the beauty in the mountains. Thanks for the last words we shared

–Denise Liverman

–Darryl Liverman



My beautiful friend, Renee, you will be missed so much. You were a true blessing to us and we cherished your friendship and you. We will miss our dinners with you and our long talks together. Prayers for your family for comfort and peace during this sad time. We pray they find comfort in precious memories that you shared together. We love you so much. Fly high on wings of angels...

–Gary & Shelly Pritchard



Rest in peace my friend. Thank you for your service to our facility but most of all thanks for being our friend. You will be missed. Condolences to the family and thank you for sharing her with us.

—Duane and Debbie Terrell