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Savannah Souther

Dec. 25, 1926 - June 4, 2023

Savannah Souther, 96, of Morganton, NC, passed away Sunday, June 4, 2023.

Born in Yancey County, NC on December 25, 1926, she was the daughter of the late Cleophas Hughes and Dovie Mitchell Hughes.

Savannah was an active member of North Morganton Baptist Church. She loved to travel, especially with Christian Tours. She was a dedicated water aerobics enthusiast, attending Morganton Aquatic Center five days a week. Savannah was once an audience member for the Price is Right when Bob Barker was host.

Mrs. Souther is survived by special nieces, Rita Robinson and Joyce Allman; nephews, Scott and David Lane; and numerous other nieces, nephews, extended family, and beloved friends.

In addition to her parents, Savannah was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Ray Souther; and daughter, Patricia Roston.

The family will receive friends from 12 to 1 p.m., Wednesday, June 7, 2023 at Sossoman Funeral Home. The funeral will follow at 1 p.m. in the Colonial Chapel of the funeral home with Revs. Kenny Baker and Gary Garner officiating. Burial will follow in Burke Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to North Morganton Baptist Church.

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

Tribute Wall



Aunt Savannah was a sweet lady she was good to everyone. She was a fine Christian lady & Loved the Lord. Heaven gained a Special Angel.

-Norma & Randy Speagle

To Rita| Sorry sad to hear of her passing, but she is with her loving husband and daughter. No more pain, no more worries. Love You Anne

–Anne howell

We love you and will miss you. for your family.

–Donna Frances and little Savannah

So sorry to hear of Ms.Savannah passing .I knew her and the family a long time. daughter .Pat and I grew up together in the Morganton Freewill Baptist as children..prayers for the family..

-Joanne Shelton Arney



-Rodney and Sherrie Hughes



Sweet Savannah. Oh how you will be missed! But you are so happy now! We love you! Prayers to your family.

-Susan and Todd Peach

Mrs. Souther was like a second mother to me for many years. She and her husband were always so kind and loving May all who knew and loved her find peace and comfort. Until we meet again!

–Glenda Preswood Truax