



Shirley Miller

April 3, 1948 - Oct. 19, 2025

Shirley Miller, 77, of Morganton, NC, passed away at home, peacefully, surrounded by her family Sunday, October 19, 2025.

Born in Peru, Indiana on April 3, 1948, she was the daughter of the late Clarence Snyder and Joanna Buble Snyder.

Shirley was a devoted Christian and a member of Rain Hill Wesleyan Church. Her faith was extremely important to her. Shirley loved her family and her church family, and she enjoyed working in her yard.

A loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, Mrs. Miller is survived by her husband, Frank Miller; son, Jason Miller (Jayna); daughter, Rhonda Miller; grandchildren, Amber McCarthy, Lucas McCarthy (Regan), Trever Miller (Gabby), Logan Miller (Lillie), and Colby Miller; great-grandchildren, Lynkin Miller, Ryver McCarthy, Ryleigh McCarthy, Eleanor McCarthy, Estelle McCarthy, Dani Miller, and Aurora Miller; and sister, Sharon David.

In addition to her parents, Shirley was preceded in death by a brother, Tommy Snyder.

The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m., Friday, October 24, 2025 at Gibbs Chapel Wesleyan Church. The funeral will be held at noon in the church with Rev. Kevin Brooks officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

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

Tribute Wall



Frank, So sorry about your wife. I used to love waiting on you all at The Depot. She was always so sweet. My heart just breaks for you. Sending lots of prayers and love.

—Kimberly Thompson (The Depot)

So sorry to hear this Frank. Praying for all of her family.

—Della Wright

Shirley was our Office Manager for 12 years prior to retirement. We were blessed to know and love this special Christian lady. She was loved by our many clients. She lifted the mood in the office with her sweet, caring nature. Sympathies for Frank and her beloved family. What a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother, and friend! John and Jan Branstrom

—John and Jan Branstrom

Shirley holds a special place in my heart. She shared her love of Jesus with my boys as their Sunday School teacher when they were young. She was an encourager to me as a young mother. I know that she is seated with Jesus now and forever

—Jeanie Hawkins

Shirley was a very special lady. Although we had been out of touch for a while, I thought of her quite often. The last time I saw her was several years ago at the Glen Alpine parade. Her and Frank gave me a big hug and it felt as if I was that junior high kid again and the love she always showered me with. I have no doubt I wouldn't be the person I am today with the influence of Shirley and her sweet family. I have never met someone so full of faith and love for our Lord Jesus and it shown through in her words, actions, and love my thoughts and prayers are with Frank, Rhonda, Jason, and the whole family

—Rhonda Crane Barnes

I am so sorry for your loss! She was such a beautiful kind lady that will be deeply missed. Prayers for your family

—Hannah Metcalf

Shirley Miller will be missed for years to come! She loved the Lord and was the closest to God as anyone I have ever known. She was the one who introduced me to Him and was my guide to staying with Him. I will miss her like crazy, but I know she will one day greet me at the Eastern Gate! I love you.

—Georgia Blossom

Shirley was my best friend in Elementary School and my Maid of Honor at my Wedding. We grew up together until she moved to Fortville I am so sorry to hear this. My condolences and prayers to her family and her sister Sharon.

—Sandy Hurlock Waterman



—Shannon Gragg

You were a great example of a Christian lady You are walking with God where you wanted Loved you

—Linda Johnson

Frank, I am so sorry to hear of Shirley's home going. One thing for sure is , the Lord does not make mistakes and he doeth all things well. I pray for healing and comfort for you and family which only the Lord can give in times like these.

—Tony Nichols



Sorry for your loss Good times in high school .

—Dixie Weir



Praying for you all. Mrs. Miller will always hold a special place in our hearts. Sending you all love and hugs.

—Chelsea Schwind

We love Shirley so so much and are saddened to hear of her passing. She was always so kind and loving. I'm not sure why, but when I think of her I always think of visiting her and hearing her whistle tunes throughout the house and her calming, sweet voice and spirit. She will be missed. Praying for Frank, the family and my wonderful mother-in-law, Sharon, who loved her so much.

—Phillip & Candy David & family