



Melinda Jeanette Stevens

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July 31, 2016, a beautiful summer day, heaven's gate opened wide to welcome Melinda home. She was a patient at UVA Transitional Hospital, Hospice Unit since June 7, 2016. Prior to UVA she resided with her sister and brother in Culpeper, VA. Melinda was born October 9, 1944 in Chambersburg, PA.

She attended the Philadelphia School for the Deaf from 1946 till 1963. She returned from school and resided with her parents.

Melinda was a special person in many ways. She loved babies most of all, and her first question was can they hear. She was a friend to all those she met. Everyone was equal and special to her. She spent many days at The Place, a senior center, where she put puzzles together, played cards, greeted and made many new friends. She attended Reformation Lutheran Church in Culpeper, VA. She knew everyone's birthday and started sharing the information at least a month ahead of time so no one could forget. She made her own cards and always placed two dollars inside.

Melinda was preceded in death by her father Glenn Stevens, her mother Thelma Provard Stevens, a nephew Douglas L. Stevens, and a brother Richard L. Stevens. She is survived by her sister Marilyn Speelman-Rankin, brothers Glenn, Carl and Marc Stevens. She is also survived by her half sister Marie Agostinelli, many nieces and nephews.

As we continue on life's journey without Melinda, the void she leaves will be filled with memories of a brave and beautiful soul, her courage and her love for all. We miss you Melinda, but we know you are with those who have gone before and most certainly in the arms of our Heavenly Father.

The family will hold a memorial service on Saturday, August 20, 2016 at 11 am at Reformation Lutheran Church, 509 S. Main St., Culpeper, VA with Pastor Brad Hales officiating.

A family and friends gathering will be held on Saturday, September 10, 2016



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beginning at 3 pm at the Williamson Community Center in PA followed by burial at 4 pm at Spring Grove Cemetery. Michael T. Myers will be officiating.



Events


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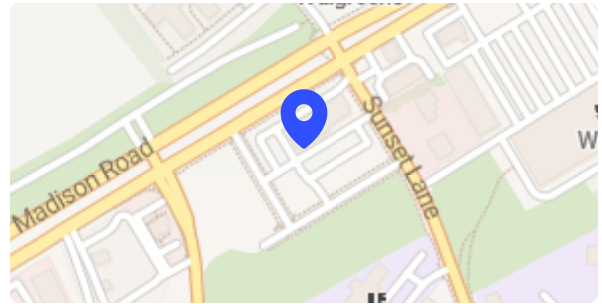
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Memorial Service

 **Saturday**, August 20, 2016

 11:00 AM ET

 **Reformation Lutheran Church**
601 Madison Rd., Culpeper VA 22701





Tribute Wall

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KW

Kathy (Kerlin) Wetzel posted:

I always liked Melinda. I thought she was pretty cool. My condolences to all the family.

August 7 at 11:29 AM

MA

Marie Agostinelli posted:

Melinda was always such a caring soul. She cared for her siblings as only she could. Doing whatever she could for them. She was an animal lover also. She loved people and they loved her. In Heaven, there will be no pain and suffering. She is whole again.

August 7 at 7:26 AM

PC

Pam Clatterbuck lit a candle in honor of Melinda.



August 6 at 4:09 PM

PC

Pam Clatterbuck lit a candle in honor of Melinda.



August 6 at 4:06 PM

BR

Barbara Rhodes posted:

RIP Melinda, you are a loving, caring, giving soul. You were ALWAYS the first person to welcome me to The Place during my visits. We are going to finish your puzzle and hang it on the wall. My love and prayers go out to the family. Barbara Rhodes

August 6 at 3:25 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Melinda by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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