



## Donna Poston Craven

May 2, 1947 - July 18, 2017

Donna Poston Craven, 70, of Concord, passed away on Tuesday, July 18, 2017 at Duke University Hospital. She was born on May 2, 1947 in Mooresville, to Martha Williford Poston and the late Roy Poston. She loved to take care of her family and was very supportive of her grandchildren and their activities. She was a caregiver for many years for her parents and husband before his passing. Donna played piano for many years, loved sports, especially NC State sports. She enjoyed taking road trips with her husband, and loved the beach and had hopes to move there one day. She was dedicated to her career of 34 years and retired as a customer service manager for an International Conveyor Belt Company in 2009. She then went on to help her daughter open her bridal shop in Concord, where she worked part time for the last 7 years. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ronnie Carroll Craven. In addition to her mother, she is survived by her children, Leah Donaldson (Charles "Winky"), Scott Craven (Kathey), Angela Newsome (Watty); brother, Kim Poston (Dawn); grandchildren, Chadwyck Newsome, Gabrielle Craven, Kendele Donaldson, Braxton Newsome, Riley Craven, Lani Donaldson, Zak Overall, Nikki Watson; great grandchildren, Sawyer and Eli Mitchell; and numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, July 22 at Shiloh United Methodist Church in Concord. Burial will follow the service in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends following the committal service in the church. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Neurosciences Research at Duke

University Hospital c/o Duke Health Development, 710 W. Main St, Durham, NC 27710. The family asks in Donna's request please no carnation flowers. Cavin-Cook Funeral Home, Mooresville, is serving the Craven family. Condolences may be made to the family at [www.cavin-cook.com](http://www.cavin-cook.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Donna Poston Craven*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Donna Poston Craven*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Donna Poston Craven*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *Donna and I were best friends in High School. I am so sorry to hear of her passing. I will not be able to attend the services since I live in Colorado in the summer. My prayers are that you find joy in her passage to be with the savior, Jesus Chsist.*

**Kathryn M. Bartley** - July 24, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *I was blessed to work with "DC" at Scandura for many years. We shared many memories and for that I am grateful. Angie, Leah and Scott you had an wonderful Mom and she will be missed. RIP DC, thanks for the memories that I will share forever.*

**Candy Coleman** - July 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ So sorry for your loss of such a great person! Love you guys!!  
Prayers for all!

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**Starr Parson (Adams)** - July 20, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ It was a privilege to have known and worked with Donna for the last 7 years. She was a wonderful woman who will be greatly missed. Angela, Leah, and Scott...my deepest condolences to you and all the family. Love you all.

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**Anita Honeycutt** - July 20, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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*Starr Parson,*

*Kannapolis, North Carolina*

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**Starr Parson** - July 20, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ Leah, William, Kendele, and Lani, We are so sorry for your loss. Praying for all of you in the days to come. Love, Tara and Pressley

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**Tara Cashion** - July 19, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I am truly saddened to read of your loss. Donna was such a sweet and lovely person whose friendship meant so much to me. We were fellow students all through school, and I cherish fond memories of her.*

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**Susan Readling Kelley-Brown** - July 19, 2017 at 12:00 AM