

Helen Mae Meadows

February 6, 1929 - August 22, 2021

Helen Mae Waugh Meadows of Mooresville, NC - Her life was well lived, and she was well loved! The Lord called her home in a peaceful manner at Inlet Coastal Resort assisted living, on Sunday, August 22, 2021 in her 92nd year. Helen was born on February 6th, 1929, in Iredell County to the late John Clinton and Eula Waugh. As an older child of the ten in her family, Helen had early exposure into what it would take to pursue her life's passion of helping and serving others. Helen's birth mother passed away at a young age and she was heavily relied upon to help with her siblings.

In 1947, she married the love of her life, Luther Meadows. They lived together for almost 70 years. Luther spent a career on the road as a trucker while Helen was committed to staying behind and building a loving home for their four boys. Being the consummate host and homemaker extended well past when the boys left. Even as an empty nester, Helen always enjoyed hosting Sunday lunches for her family after church where you were guaranteed a glass of some of the best sweet tea, homemade biscuits, and memorable stories - many of which inevitably lead to lots of laughs. You didn't have to be family to feel the warmth of Helen's heart. She always had a special knack for making you feel like you were part of her family.

In her later years, you could always find her on the go - whether it was her faithful involvement at Shearer Presbyterian Church in Mooresville, traveling with friends, or one of her regular stops at the flea market in search of a great deal. Helen truly enjoyed her Church family, she loved helping and doing for

others and Shearer Presbyterian Church created a wonderful opportunity to do just that while sharing the love of the lord. She had a long-standing relationship with God and was very blessed with his faith to her dying breath. Family was the pivotal essence of Helen's life. She was proud and honored to be the matriarch, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother to our large family. She has been a major presence in the lives of her children and grandchildren. Helen was a good mother who always took care of her children and did the best she could to teach and guide them, a loving grandmother and "Mamaw" to many.

This gentle, loving, caring and wonderful woman has left a permanent mark etched on our hearts and will be supremely missed by her family.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Luther Hobson Meadows. A son, Mitchell Todd Meadows; great grandson, Arthur Hobson Meadows; brothers Robert "Buck" Waugh and Jack Waugh; sisters Betty Jean Hester, Peggy West, and Evelyn Caldwell.

Helen is survived by sons, Steve Meadows and wife, Grace of N. Myrtle Beach, SC, Barry Meadows and wife, Kim of N. Myrtle Beach, SC, Jeffery Meadows and wife, Lew Ann of Mooresville; daughter-in-law, Jennifer Meadows Holt; twelve grandchildren and twenty-four great grandchildren; brothers, Jimmy, Johnny, Jerry and Larry Waugh, and sister Vera Jarvis.

A graveside service will be held at 10:00 on Saturday August 28, 2021 at Shearer Presbyterian Church with Dr. Steve Stout officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Shearer Presbyterian Church, 684 Presbyterian Road, Mooresville, NC 28115.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory is serving the Meadows family.

Condolences may be made to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

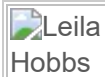
Previous Events

Graveside Service

AUG 28. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Shearer Presbyterian Church Cemetery
684 Shearers Road
Mooresville, NC 28115

Tribute Wall

 Leila
Hobbs

“ *Condolences to the family.*



Leila Hobbs - August 27, 2021 at 08:13 AM

DF

“ *I was so sorry to read of Mrs. Meadows passing. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Sending lots of love. I understand how bad it hurts.*

Donna Ferraro

Donna Ferraro - August 27, 2021 at 06:01 AM

TM

“ *Blessings to the family. I guess Helen is someone I've known my entire life. I remember her as a sweetheart*

Teresa McDaniel - August 26, 2021 at 09:36 PM

MR

“ *Helen was a long time heart friend. Always enjoyed being in her company. Many memories to cherish. Love and prayers to her special young men and their families.*

Martha & Harold Robertson

Martha Robertson - August 26, 2021 at 08:49 PM

RO

“ She was such a sweet and gentle soul. I don't think I ever saw her when she wasn't smiling. She will be missed by many. My condolences to Steve, Barry, Jeff and all those who loved her.

Rick Owens - August 26, 2021 at 06:02 PM

DB

“ I know Luther will be happy to see you:)
RIP!

Ron n Donna Barnette



Donna Sue Barnette - August 26, 2021 at 05:40 PM

MD

“ Helen was truly a lovely lady. She loved her family, and was a great person. She will be missed but she is celebrating with her Lord, and is healed. Her faith was strong! I am sure Luther and Mitch met her at the gates! I loved her because she was always positive, and gave her heart freely to those she encountered. God speed!

Melanie Day - August 26, 2021 at 11:36 AM

HM

Wonderful lady who was loved by many
Godspeed dear one

Helen F Mundy - August 26, 2021 at 08:51 PM

CW

Recently friends from Shearer visited Helen, she spoke of my Dad... when growing up I always asked Dad if Helen was his girlfriend. I asked this because if Helen had to make a banana pudding for any event, she made an extra & delivered it to the house always saying "This one is for Parks." Helen will forever continue in the hearts of everyone who grew up on Shearers Chapel Road.

Cindy Martin Wiggins - August 26, 2021 at 11:24 PM



Once again I am reminded how blessed we kids were to grow up in Shearer Presbyterian Church. The adults were more than teachers, they were examples of living a life of service to God. The light of Helen's love of her Lord shone through all of her life. She was a faithful servant in so many ways. I will always be grateful for Helen's visits to my mama in the nursing home.

How appropriate that Helen went home on Homecoming Sunday. I'll never forget how even after her boys grew up, they were sitting with their mother on Homecoming Sunday. Luke and Helen raised fine young men and they loved their parents and always treated them with honor and respect. May God's love surround them and their families as they celebrate the life of such a beautiful soul. Helen will be missed but she will always be in the hearts of all the people whose life's she touched.

Janet Barnette - August 28, 2021 at 06:14 AM



Helen was a very special person. We had a monthly lunch bunch and she always had a tale to tell. We also went to Hawaii together (13) of us and what a fun trip we will never forget. Helen RIP. We all love you

Irma Swing - August 31, 2021 at 01:04 AM