



Judy Bonnell Jacobs

April 29, 1942 - February 13, 2016

Judith “Judy” Ann Bonnell Jacobs, 73, of Charlotte, died Saturday, February 13, 2016, at the Wilora Lake Care Center where she had been staying.

Judy was born in Haverhill, Mass, on April 29, 1942, the daughter of John Robert and Rosalie Noonan Bonnell. She grew up there, started college and moved to Charlotte in 1971 where she finished her degree in Early Childhood specializing in Special Education. She taught at the Carlton G. Watkins Center where she retired from in 2003. On November 12, 1971, she married Bruce R. Jacobs in Charlotte. He preceded her in death on July 14, 2011.

Judy loved to cook, sew, and was a member of both Lamp Light Church for 30 years and the Handprints Ministry, a sign language ministry group based in Concord, NC. She was very outgoing and loved spending time with people. Most of all, she loved spending time with her family and friends and she will be sadly missed by all who were blessed to know her.

Judy is survived by six children:

Mark (Ann) Jacobs of Charlotte

Margaret Lemmond of Indian Trail

Heather (Derrick) Cope of Clover, SC

Daniel (Kathy) Jacobs of Gastonia, NC

Laura (David) Booth of Albermarle , NC

John Michael Jacobs of Belmont, NC

Six grandchildren: Wesley Cope; Joshua and Kylie Jacobs; Brooke and Dakota Honeycutt; and Dylan Jacobs; an adopted grandson, Dexter Armstrong of Topeka, KS; and special friends Eileen Jones and Sameemah Wilburn, both of Charlotte.

Judy is further survived by brothers: John (Elaine) Bonnell of Berwick, Maine, and Michael (Elaine) Bonnell of Beauford, SC; and numerous other nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. She was preceded in death by her husband and her parents.

A celebration of the life, love and blessing of Judy will be held on Tuesday, February 16, 2016, at East Baptist Church, 6850 Monroe Road, Charlotte. The family will receive friends at 11 am followed by services led by Pastor Chad Cozad at noon. Following services, Judy will be taken in formal procession to her final place of earthly rest next to her husband Bruce at Sharon Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Judy's name would be appreciated to Pruitt Hospice, online at <http://www.pruitthealth.com/Hospice> or by mail to 902 West D Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659.

Judy's family has given the family of Lowe-Neddo Funeral Home the privilege of caring for them at this time. Please visit Judy's personal online memorial at www.LoweNeddoFuneralHome.com to share memories, photos and condolences or call 704-545-3553.

Cemetery Details

Sharon Memorial Park

5716 Monroe Rd
Charlotte, NC 28212

Previous Events

Gathering of Friends and Family

FEB **16**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

East Baptist Church
6850 Monroe Road
Charlotte, NC 28212

Celebration of Life Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Judy Bonnell Jacobs*

October 05, 2023 at 07:26 AM



“ *Judy Bonnell Jacobs*

October 24, 2022 at 08:52 PM

LB

“ Mom

Today we say goodbye to my mom. An amazing woman, wife, mother, grandmother and friend.

My mother was loved the most by my daddy. If you saw them together, they were always holding hands. My daddy believed the sun rose and set on her. You could see their love for each other just by watching them together. A wonderful example of love.

I am the youngest girl, the 5th of 6. I was a daddy's girl and if you ask my brothers and sisters I was spoiled and got away with more than they ever could. All that I am I've learned from my parents. I look like my father, smile like my mother but sadly I don't cook like her. Thankfully that talent was passed down to my daughter, who is awesome by the way.

Momma loved Christ and had all 6 of us in church every time the doors were open. She made sure we knew Jesus loved us more than she and daddy ever could.

My mother was the kindest person I've ever known. She wanted everyone fed. She baked for anyone and everyone. She never showed up to church without chocolate chip cookies and banana bread. If you were special you received lemon bars or wacky cake. If you were truly special you received whoopie pies. I got whoopie pies. No one went hungry with her around.

She loved to sign and was a member of Handprints for many years. She fed them also.

She had a passion for sign language and did her best to teach all 6 of us some basics. This passion I received. I try my best to honor her by learning all I can.

She has passed many things to us all, too many to list. If you met my mom, you were a friend for life.

She will be missed tremendously. I have peace that she is in daddy's arms walking the streets of gold. She is whole again and now can remember us all. We love you mom.

Laura Booth - February 17, 2016 at 07:40 AM

KI

“ I am so sorry for your loss Daniel. My heart felt condolences to you and your family.

Kiesa

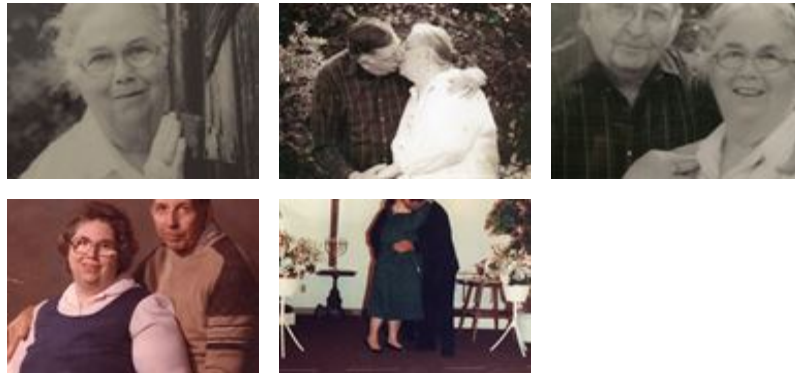
“What we have once enjoyed, we can never lose. All that we love deeply becomes part of us.” -Helen Keller

“Like a bird singing in the rain, let grateful memories survive in time of sorrow.” -Robert Louis Stevenson

Kiesa - February 16, 2016 at 07:45 PM



“ 62 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lowe-Neddo Funeral Home - February 16, 2016 at 07:20 AM

PM

Sorry for your loss. May God comfort you all.

Pamela Malky - February 16, 2016 at 10:51 AM

TG

“ Heather and Family,
Loss of a parent can weigh so heavily upon your heart. When you are a child they give you guidance, correction, and all the other things that you needed, most of all unconditional love. As an adult your parents give you the greatest cheerleading section of all times. We completely understand the heartache and emotions that come with losing a parent, we have experienced this in our families as well.
Much love and prayers to you and your family at this time.
May God bless and comfort you all.
Thomas and Kathy Greene

Thomas Greene - February 15, 2016 at 03:52 PM

HG

“ Sorry for your lost Daniel, your family is in our prayers

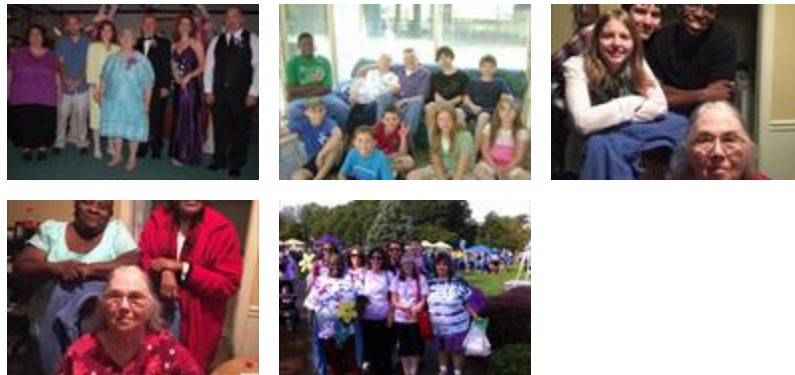
Harry and Jackie Goins



Harry Goins - February 15, 2016 at 01:11 PM

HC

“ 10 files added to the tribute wall



Heather Cope - February 15, 2016 at 12:55 PM

DC

“ *Judy is my mother-in-law and our relationship was the one jokes were written about. I can say this without any doubt, Judy was very sure in her relationship with our savior Christ Jesus. Her faith was evident in her words and deeds, and the fact that her family continued to come together on family occasions during the years of sickness after Bruce's passing is a testimony of her love of family and their love of Mama. This is just part of her heritage she passed on to her kids. I take great comfort in knowing she is experiencing the promised Glory we have in Christ, right now in paradise.*
In loving memory, Derrick Cope

Derrick Cope - February 15, 2016 at 10:46 AM

NI

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family Daniel.*

Shaara, Kym, Barbara and Gerry.



Nicksvet - February 15, 2016 at 09:04 AM

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“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Judy Bonnell Jacobs.*



February 15, 2016 at 08:03 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Judy Bonnell Jacobs.*



February 15, 2016 at 08:01 AM



“ *Laura Booth lit a candle in memory of Judy Bonnell Jacobs*



Laura Booth - February 15, 2016 at 03:00 AM