



Shirley Hooper McAlister

March 9, 1935 - April 6, 2015

Shirley Marie Hooper McAlister, 80, of Travelers Rest, wife of the late Melvin "Mac" McAlister, passed away Monday, April 6, 2015 at the Emeritus at Greenville.

Born in Greenville County, she was a daughter of the late Allen Turner Hooper and Rosa Floretine Reid Hooper. Mrs. McAlister was retired from the University of Florida where she was a Nutrition Aide; she was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and a member of Renfrew Baptist Church.

Surviving are her three children, Susan Roberts, Melvin D. Roberts, Jr. (Mary Ann) and Stephen Roberts (Susan); a step-son, Gregg McAlister (Paula); 12 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

In addition to her husband and parents she was predeceased by a son Randall M. Roberts.

The family will receive friends from 6 until 7:30 PM Friday evening at The Howze Mortuary.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Saturday morning at Renfrew Baptist Church. Burial will be at Mountain View Memorial Park.

Cemetery Details

Mountain View Memorial Park formerly Grand View Memorial Gardens

7 Duncan Rd.
Travelers Rest, SC

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **10**. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369
Travelers Rest, SC

Church Service

APR **11**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Renfrew Baptist Church
951 Geer Highway
Travelers Rest, SC 29690

Tribute Wall

PH

“ I will miss you Shirley. We shared some good times together. I look forward to meeting you in heaven. Blessings and prayers to the family. Love, Peggy Hood

Peggy Hood - April 11, 2015 at 09:48 AM

TT

“ Prayers to you and your family Steve. I am sorry to hear about the loss of your mom. May God keep you and your family in comfort. Tammy Tucker

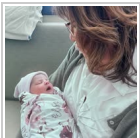
Tammy Tucker - April 10, 2015 at 11:59 AM



“ Quiet Expressions was purchased for the family of Shirley Hooper McAlister.



April 09, 2015 at 09:02 PM



“ There are those in ones life who touch your life in so many profound ways. Shirley was that person for me as I was growing up. She was like a mentor, a voice of reason, and a good friend, As a teenager she pushed and guided me in a Godly path. She helped me gain confidence by giving me my first job which was cleaning her house. She encouraged me in all my endeavors. She is deeply loved and will be missed. My sympathy goes out to her family.

Dian Trent (King)

Dian Trent - April 09, 2015 at 08:27 PM

SR

Thank you Dian - I know she really cared about you and your sister as if you were her own.

Stephen Roberts - April 14, 2015 at 09:59 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Shirley Hooper McAlister.*



April 09, 2015 at 07:58 AM

WH

“ *Wendy H. purchased the Heavenly Light for the family of Shirley Hooper McAlister.*



Wendy H. - April 08, 2015 at 09:32 AM

SR

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Stephen Roberts - April 07, 2015 at 08:36 PM

JK

“ *Condolences to all of Shirley's family. She will forever hold a place in our hearts as "Momma #2." Our mom loved her very much. They are together now, cooking up a storm in heaven and watching over us all.*

With love from JoAnne King and family

JoAnne King - April 07, 2015 at 08:12 PM

SR

Thank you JoAnne. I know that they are having fun now they are together in Heaven.

Stephen Roberts - April 08, 2015 at 03:06 PM

JK

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



JoAnne King - April 07, 2015 at 08:10 PM

GH

“ *To Mel, Stephen and Gidget, I am so sorry for the loss of your Mother Shirley was one of my favorite cousins and I will truly miss her. We could talk for hours on the phone, and I have missed the calls in the last couple of months. May God be with you at this time. My prayers are with you and your families Geraldine Hooper*

Geraldine Hooper - April 07, 2015 at 04:55 PM

KM

“ Karen Miller purchased the With Sympathy Gourmet Cutting Board for the family of Shirley Hooper McAlister.



Karen Miller - April 07, 2015 at 02:46 PM

RY

“ Shirley was my second momma when my mom moved away from Daytona. She set me straight a few times that I recall. Now I'm looking forward to our next meeting in heaven. God bless you Shirley!

Ricky Yebba - April 07, 2015 at 02:39 PM

Angie Bowers

“ Angie Bowers lit a candle in memory of Shirley Hooper McAlister



Angie Bowers - April 07, 2015 at 02:28 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album Shirley



Stephen Roberts - April 07, 2015 at 01:56 PM

KM

“ I will ALWAYS remember Steve your mom's wonderful Easter parties and events..So much love, fun times and awesome memories made..YOUR Mom will always be a VERY special person to OUR family..I know sis you will miss Shirley and all the ways she made you a special part of the Roberts' s clan..MANY HUGS!

Karen Miller - April 07, 2015 at 01:26 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Shirley Hooper McAlister.



April 07, 2015 at 01:18 PM

JD

“ Steve, Susan, and Mel, God Bless you and keep you during the days ahead. I'm so sorry to hear of the loss of Shirley, your mother. I knew Shirley many years ago when she and your dad were married and I liked her very much. I know she will be sorely missed, no one can take the place of a Mother. You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Jean Dawes

Jean Dawes - April 07, 2015 at 12:37 PM

SR

Thank you Jean.

Stephen Roberts - April 09, 2015 at 08:56 AM