



Mrs. Reva Jane Poore Stevens

May 8, 1930 - April 6, 2016

Mrs. Reva Jane Poore Stevens of Salisbury passed away peacefully and surrounded by family after a short illness on Wednesday, April 6, 2016, aged 85.

Born May 8, 1930 in Stuart, VA to the late Gracie Stovall Poore and Clarence Franklin Poore, she was a graduate of Sandy Ridge High School Class of 1948. Mrs. Stevens worked for 44 years with JC Penney before retiring in 2004 at the age of 74, where she was known to many as "Miss JC Penney". Mrs. Stevens developed and nurtured long lasting friendships with her many customers and work associates. Her love of God and family were always her priority. She was Mother, Grandmother, friend, confidante, or counselor to all who knew her. Many thought of her as their second mother. She loved her furbabies and had many throughout the years.

Mrs. Stevens was a member of and loved her Franklin Baptist Church family in Salisbury, NC.

Preceding her in death was her husband, Neville Wyatt "Joe" Stevens on March 12, 1994.

Surviving are her daughters, Linda Stevens Rutledge and husband Ronnie of Salisbury, NC and Janice Stevens of Charlotte, NC; granddaughter, Lynne

Miller Thompson and husband Twinnion of Salisbury, NC; and great-grandson, Steven Todd Koontz of Salisbury, NC; and special friends, Hazel Miller, Beth Adams, Ann Sides, and Ruth Robinson.

The family would like to express a special thank you to her caregivers Sylvia and Thaola of Comfort Keepers, Sylvia Walser, and Dr. William Brinkley of Carolina Oncology for their loving care and compassion during her short illness.

A funeral service will be held at 2 PM Saturday, April 9 at Franklin Baptist Church of Salisbury, conducted by Pastor Joe Thomas and Rev. Bruce Graham. The visitation will be held immediately following the service.

A graveside service will be held at 3 PM Sunday, April 10 at Snow Hill United Methodist Church in Danbury, NC.

Memorials may be made to Franklin Baptist Church, 3810 US 601 Highway, Salisbury, NC 28147 or the Glenn A. Kiser Hospice House, 1229 Statesville Blvd, Salisbury, NC 28144.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Stevens family. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Service

APR **9**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Franklin Baptist Church
3810 Hwy 601
SAlisbury, NC 28144

Graveside Service

APR **10**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Snow Hill United Methodist Church Cemetery
Danbury, NC

Tribute Wall



“ *Summersett Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Reva Jane Poore Stevens*



Summersett Funeral Home and Cremation Center - April 08, 2016 at 10:17 AM

TF

“ *Janice, Linda, I'm so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother and my Aunt Dot's (Dot Blair) co-worker and dear friend. I'm so grateful for their friendship. I'm sure they are enjoying Glory together. Prayers and blessings to your family, Terry Francis (Thema Elie's, daughter)*

Terry Francis - May 01, 2016 at 10:37 PM

LF

“ *Janice*

I am sorry for your loss. Your NAIFA friends are remembering you in our prayers at this time.

*Lewis Foreman
Bristol, TN*

Lewis Foreman - April 14, 2016 at 01:04 PM

YA

“ *Your Friends at North American Life & Annuity purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mrs. Reva Jane Poore Stevens.*



Your Friends at North American Life & Annuity - April 13, 2016 at 10:06 AM

KA

“ *Hi my name is Kayla and I am a local bible teacher. I am so sorry for the loss of your loved one. There is a very comforting scripture at Isaiah 25:8. It says that soon Jehovah will swallow up death forever and that he will wipe away all of the tears. So we can all look forward to a time when death will be no more. I hope that this scripture can bring some true comfort during these difficult times.*

kayla - April 09, 2016 at 09:31 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Reva Jane Poore Stevens.*



April 08, 2016 at 05:14 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mrs. Reva Jane Poore Stevens.*



April 08, 2016 at 03:37 PM

CC

“ *Janice - My deepest sympathy to you and your family on the loss of your Mother. Although I never met her, how blessed you were to have her as a Mom. She looks and sounds like such a lovely woman. My thoughts are with you. Charlotte Crandall*



Charlotte Crandall - April 08, 2016 at 11:19 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Reva Jane Poore Stevens.*



April 08, 2016 at 08:00 AM



“ *Loving Grace was purchased for the family of Mrs. Reva Jane Poore Stevens.*



April 07, 2016 at 07:39 PM

FM

“ *Fairway Forms and Printing-Chris and Michelle purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Mrs. Reva Jane Poore Stevens.*



Fairway Forms and Printing-Chris and Michelle - April 07, 2016 at 03:27 PM