



Karen Lavette Hopkins

January 6, 1957 - August 20, 2020

On the morning of August 20, 2020, the Lord decided to take to Heaven his loving daughter, Mrs. Karen Lavette Hopkins (63) of Winston-Salem, NC. She was born Karen Lavette Reese on January 6, 1957 in Munich, Germany, to Eldridge and Mary Ann Reese, who both preceded her in death. Mrs. Hopkins was married to Michael Hopkins. She is survived by three children: Daniel Rosa, Jr. (Laleeka) of Winston-Salem, NC; Tameka Nathan (Welensky) of Colorado Springs, CO; and India Rosa-Skerrett (Winston) of Accokeek, MD; and stepdaughter, Sabrina Hopkins of Walnut Cove, NC. She is also survived by her grandchildren Faith, Kymari, Marcus, Naiya, Tristan, Nehemiah, Emmanuel, Katriel, and Saquan. She was preceded in death by her sister, Joann Gist, and has three brothers: Rick (Brenda), Brian (Keren), and Eric (Cassandra). Mrs. Hopkins also leaves behind her nieces and nephews: Joel, Nicholas, Cameron, Brittany, Sivan, Eden, Noah, and Avery, as well as a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, sisters and brothers-in-law, and friends that were as close to her as family. Mrs. Karen Hopkins was known for her sweet smile and no matter what was going on, always said, "It's all good!" She was an avid reader and prolific writer. In addition to writing her first book, *I Will Do a New Thing in You*, Karen has created various written works, and even served as a publisher, where she helped others publish their books. She followed in her late mother's footsteps by dedicating her time to volunteer work in various areas. Arrangements Entrusted to Gilmore Memorial Funeral Services

Cemetery Details

Parklawn Memorial Gardens

2730 Peters Creek Pkwy
Winston Salem, NC 27127

Tribute Wall

RR

“ Love you big sister. Love and remember you always. Ricky

Rick Reese - September 29, 2023 at 06:12 AM

KT

“ Miss you my Sister! Love always

Kelly Transou - January 04, 2022 at 02:01 AM

LE

“ TO DANIEL AN FAMILY:

I WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER KAREN AS A STUDENT OF MY AT THE BIBLE COLLEGE AND AS A FRIEND. ANYTIME SHE NEED A FRIEND SHE ALWAYS CONTACTED ME. I AM SO SURPRISE TO SEE THAT YOUR MOTHER AND MY FRIEND IS IN A BETTER PLACE.



KAREN HAD A POSITIVE SMILE THAT MADE EVERYONE SHE MET SMILE ALONG WITH HER. SHE A GREAT SENSE OF HUMOR AND ALWAYS HAD A GREAT STORY TO TELL YOU. SHE ALWAYS WANTED TO WRITE FOR A PUBLISHING COMPANY AND GET MANY OF HER STORIES TOLD.

FROM PROFESSOR LINDY HARRIS-ELLIS

Lindy M Ellis - September 05, 2020 at 12:33 PM

RS

“ I cannot express fully the sorrow I feel at this time. No one can ever replace the amazing person that Karen was. The school years that I had with Karen, I will remember for the rest of my living years. (BEN) a joke between the two of us 💜 Her smile was infectious and her personality was as well. Karen will be in my heart forever. The memories that I have of her will be memories of treasure. Rest peacefully Karen, you are now with your beloved parents and sister Bobbie. Love 💕 you
Renee A. Stevens

Renee A. Stevens - August 29, 2020 at 02:23 PM

QU

“ Praying for God's divine peace and understanding during this time
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qushanta - August 26, 2020 at 11:20 AM

TL

“ Ms. Karen you will truly be missed. From the time I met you in Colorado you have always had a heart of a servant. You trusted God for everything. With your gift you were able to interpret my spiritual dreams that I had as a child that most ministers could not but God showed you and you explained it to me and I'm so grateful. Thank you for loving God and serving Him the way you did. I know you are present with Him now. I send my deepest condolences to your husband, to Meka, India, your son and your grandchildren as well as all other family and friends who mourn your loss. May God bring peace, comfort and strength during this your time of mourning.
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Tameka LeCount - August 25, 2020 at 02:11 PM

BE


“ Karen was a wonderful woman of God. I have very fond memories of our days together at St Matthews Apostolic Temple Church of Jesus Christ! She was one of the most consistent persons I have ever know. I will always remember her and her beautiful smile. My sincere thoughts and prayers are with her children, husband, grandchildren, siblings and all those affected by her loss.

Belinda - August 25, 2020 at 01:51 PM

BM

“ My deepest condolences during this difficult time.

Bernadette Macon-Bell - August 24, 2020 at 09:03 PM

 Daniel
Rosa

“ 1 file added to the album Karen Lavette Hopkins




Daniel Rosa - August 24, 2020 at 03:55 PM

CR

“ My deepest condolences for your loss. Rest In Peace.


Curtis Rose - August 24, 2020 at 03:46 PM

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Daniel Rosa - August 24, 2020 at 03:42 PM

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Daniel Rosa - August 24, 2020 at 03:35 PM

 Daniel
Rosa

“ *Mommy I will forever love and miss you, Thank you for your unending love and dedication to being the best mother ever. I will continue to follow your example so that Faith and Kymari can be the woman you also would be proud of. Love your eldest son, Danny*

Daniel Rosa - August 24, 2020 at 02:49 PM

RR

“ *Love you Sister Love, until we joined again. Your baby brother.*

Rick Reese - August 24, 2020 at 01:45 PM

TN

“ Mom,

Thank you for everything you did for us on this side. Can't wait to share jokes with you on the other side.

Tameka Nathan - August 24, 2020 at 01:11 PM

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“ Mommy I will miss you! I love you so much! Until we meet again!💕💕

India Rosa-Skerrett - August 24, 2020 at 01:04 PM