



Mary Sherrill McDaniel

October 19, 2024

Mary Sherrill McDaniel, a devoted wife, loving mother, doting grandmother, and cherished sister, passed away on October 19, 2024, after bravely facing Parkinson's Disease. Born and raised in Davidson, North Carolina, Mary had a gift for bringing warmth, grace, and kindness to everyone she met. Her sense of humor brought joy and laughter to those around her. She and her husband, Sherrill McDaniel, built a beautiful life together in Murrells Inlet, South Carolina, where they raised their two daughters, Alexandra Myers and Bliss Barfield. Her family was the center of her world, and her unwavering dedication to them defined her life.

Mary is survived by her husband Sherrill; her daughters Alexandra and Bliss (Alexander); her siblings Linda Jackson (Ken) and Tom Sherrill (Jeannette); and her treasured grandchildren, Maxwell, Maybre, and Henry, who filled her life with joy. She also leaves behind many beloved nieces, nephews, and cousins. She was preceded in death by her parents, Frances and Carl Sherrill.

Mary's legacy of love, resilience, and generosity will endure in the hearts of all who knew her. Her faith provided strength and comfort throughout her life, guiding her actions and offering solace in her final days. As we honor Mary's life, we celebrate the many ways she touched those around her. Her kind spirit, boundless love, and gentle presence will continue to inspire and comfort her family and friends.

A service to celebrate Mary's life will be held at Goldfinch Funeral Home in Murrells Inlet on October 26, 2024, at 11:00 a.m. with inurnment to follow at Belin Memorial United Methodist Church Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations be made to All 4 Paws in Pawleys Island, honoring Mary's love for animals and her cherished dog, Little Bit.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

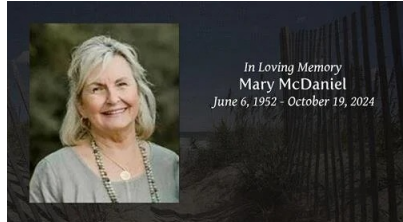
OCT **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel
11528 Highway 17 Bypass
Murrells Inlet, SC 29576
<http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com>

Tribute Wall



“ Goldfinch Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Sherrill McDaniel



Goldfinch Funeral Home - October 25, 2024 at 09:55 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mary Sherrill McDaniel.

December 29, 2024 at 08:43 PM



“ Hank ,Zachary, Luke , Robbie Gant purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mary Sherrill McDaniel.



Hank ,Zachary, Luke , Robbie Gant - October 23, 2024 at 11:34 AM



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Hank ,Zachary, Luke , Robbie Gant - October 23, 2024 at 11:34 AM

MZ

“ Wrong, it was 2022....



Melinda Zimmerman - October 22, 2024 at 03:41 PM

MZ

“ Mary was my roommate last year of college at St Andrews Presbyterian College-SAPC, now St Andrews University. I reconnected with her last year thanks to Facebook. Me: is that Mary Sherrill? OMG, it is, and flew down last summer to visit her and Sherrill for a few days, after nearly, not quite, 50 years! That's when I learned of her Parkinson's diagnosis. She was still Mary, generous, hysterical, giving, sarcastic, a southern tongue wagger in the funniest of ways
I'm very shocked and sad for her family as she definitely appeared to be the glue. Her spirit was great and my wish is for it to sustain you all now, when most needed, and forever.

Melinda Zimmerman - October 22, 2024 at 03:22 PM

IG

Sherrill and family, nothing I can say will ease your pain, Mary was always such a sweet person, but I am forever sorry for your losing someone so special.

Ina Rae Gray - October 22, 2024 at 04:19 PM

TC

Sherill , Allie , Bliss, and the rest of the family Mary was so very special to a lot of people, including me and we are all family ! Love you all !

Tricia collins - October 22, 2024 at 04:59 PM

RH

Mary is just like a sister to me. We are all going to miss that sweet smile and unselfish, kind spirit. I am thankful that she had a joyful life with her wonderful family.

Rick Hoke - October 22, 2024 at 08:00 PM

LC

“ *Hi I'm Laura, I babysit for two of Mary's grandchildren. She would come over to be with Maxwell and Maybre as often as she could out of nothing but devoted love for her children and grandchildren. Her grace and welcoming kindness was ever present within her, and she was always an utter joy to be around. I will miss our times of taking the kids to the pool, a playground, get pizza, listen to the Beatles in the car, or any of the other little adventures. The imprint she leaves is a testament to her pure, genuine, and selfless heart. We love you Mary!*

Laura Casella - October 22, 2024 at 02:48 PM

SW

“ *You will be missed the smile, the talks and the love you gave will forever shine.*

Sheryl Williams - October 22, 2024 at 02:45 PM

AV

“ *Mary and Linda were out babysitters! My sister and I thought we had the prettiest baby sitters ever!!!*

Mary's Dad, Carl, built my childhood home. After they sold that house to my parents, they moved beside the Hokes on Lake Norman so I was able to continue seeing the Sherrill's most of my young life.

I am so sorry for your grief. It's a huge loss for sure.

Anne Alexander Veleke - October 22, 2024 at 02:00 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mary Sherrill McDaniel.*



October 22, 2024 at 01:41 PM



“ *Mary and I connected through our children and became fast friends. She loved me and "our" "Haleybelle" through many teenage years. She was lovely inside and out and I will always be grateful for our friendship. Rest well sweet friend. You will be greatly missed by family and friends alike. Sending lots of love and hugs to Bliss, Allie and Sherrill and her extended family. Janice Thomas*

Janice Thomas - October 22, 2024 at 11:34 AM