



## Norma Stevens Westbury

April 24, 1944 - August 5, 2019

Myrtle Beach...

Mrs. Norma Stevens Westbury, age 75, passed away Monday, August 5, 2019 at MUSC.

Born April 24, 1944 in Conway, she was the daughter of the late Walter and Lessie Stevens. Mrs. Westbury was a member of Ocean View Baptist Church in Myrtle Beach, where she worked as a preschool teacher in the Teaching Learning Center for 11 years. She and her husband were actively involved in all aspects of Coastal Academy, where their children attended, and they never missed a game or function. Mrs. Westbury devoted her life to her children and grandson. She loved to cook country cooking and was always there to provide meals for family and friends and was an avid Atlanta Braves baseball fan. She loved to garden and share her vegetables with those she loved.

Along with her parents, Mrs. Westbury was predeceased by her husband, James "Jay" Kisler Westbury, Sr., her brother, Earl "Sleepy" Stevens, her sister, Clara Mae Stevens, brothers-in-law, Larry Westbury, Wendell Westbury, and Moses Smith, and her sister-in-law, Virginia Smith.

Surviving are one daughter, Stephanie Westbury Bell; one son, James "Jamie" K. Westbury, Jr.; one grandchild, Nicholas Bell; a sister-in-law, who is more like a sister, Jackie Stevens; two sisters-in-law, Catherine Westbury and Miriam Westbury; a special cousin, Laverne Gause; a special nephew, Keith Riley; her cat, Jerry; and many other nieces, nephews, cousins, and extended family.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Thursday, August 8, 2019 at Ocean View Baptist Church with Rev. Kirk Lawton officiating. Burial will follow at Hillcrest Cemetery.

The family will receive friends Wednesday evening from 5:00 PM-7:00 PM at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Carolina Forest Chapel.

The family would like to extend a special thanks to all the doctors, nurses, and caregivers that devoted their time to Mrs. Westbury during her sickness.

Memorial donations may be made to Ocean View Baptist Church, 7300 N Kings Highway, Myrtle Beach, SC 29572.

Please sign the online guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Carolina Forest Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Hillcrest Cemetery

1000 Hwy 544  
Conway, SC 29526  
(843) 347-4909  
<https://www.hillcrestcemetery.com/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 7.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Carolina Forest Chapel  
325 Hinson Drive  
Myrtle Beach, SC 29579

## Funeral Service

**AUG 8.** 11:00 AM (CT)

Ocean View Baptist Church  
7300 N. Kings Highway  
Myrtle Beach, SC 29572

# Tribute Wall

DH

“ So sorry to hear the sad news of Norma passing away.she was a sweet loving person.she loved her family dearly.her church.her cats and life.my thoughts and prayers are with her sweet family.norma will always be remembered.she was a gem.

Debbie hyland - September 10, 2019 at 10:31 PM

LG

“ Lavern Gause lit a candle in memory of Norma Stevens Westbury



Lavern Gause - August 13, 2019 at 07:44 PM

LG

Our loss, but Heavens gain. You will be missed by all.

Lavern Gause - August 13, 2019 at 07:50 PM

JC

“ Jamie And Eloise Hucks Children. lit a candle in memory of Norma Stevens Westbury



Jamie and Eloise Hucks children. - August 10, 2019 at 10:35 PM

GJ

“ So sorry to hear of Norma’s passing. She was a very sweet person.  
Praying for the family.



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**Glenda Johnson** - August 10, 2019 at 02:26 PM

DM

“ I lived two houses down from the Westbury's growing up and Norma was always a wonderful lady. I remember how devoted she was to her children. I also saw her on several occasions at the old Piggly Wiggly in Conway when she would take her mom there to grocery shop. Sweet spirit. So sorry for your loss

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**Denise Inman McRary** - August 09, 2019 at 10:59 AM

HF

“ *Stephanie*  
Sweet memories of your mom as we played,worked, laughed together with you Girl Scouts.  
May God give you and your family peace and happy memories as you grieve

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**helen parler and family** - August 07, 2019 at 04:13 PM

HP

“ Growing up with her children since Kindergarten, and her always being there for our class throughout the years. She was such a sweet lady. She will be missed. My thoughts and prayers to the family.

*Heath Platt*

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**Heath Platt** - August 07, 2019 at 01:33 PM

JO

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



John - August 07, 2019 at 12:00 PM

JO

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



John - August 07, 2019 at 11:58 AM

DP

“ May God give you comfort and peace as you deal with the loss of this very special Mom and CHS classmate of mine. You are in my prayers



Don Pridgen - August 07, 2019 at 10:01 AM

FH

“ Farris Hunt lit a candle in memory of Norma Stevens Westbury



Farris Hunt - August 06, 2019 at 11:40 PM



“ *A wonderful beautiful Lady always nice and pleasant.♥♥ Farris Hunt*

**Farris Hunt** - August 06, 2019 at 11:37 PM



“ *Jamie and Stephanie, I am so sorry to learn about Mrs. Norma's passing. I remember her wonderful cooking. If there is anything I can do please ask.*

*Lee McMillan*

**Lee McMillan** - August 06, 2019 at 08:53 PM



*A wonderful beautiful Lady, always nice and pleasant, ♥♥ Farris Hunt*

**Farris Hunt** - August 06, 2019 at 11:27 PM



*Stephanie and Jamie. So sorry to hear about Norma. Thinking of you both. Sue and Rodney Dodson*

**Rodney Dodson** - August 07, 2019 at 01:06 PM