



## Shirley Rabon Martin

August 7, 1935 - September 1, 2010

Loris... Shirley Rabon Martin of Loris, SC entered her eternal home in Heaven on September 1, 2010. Shirley was born in Chesterfield County on August 7, 1935. She was the daughter of the late Bert and Alma Odom Perdue. Shirley was a member of Mt. Vernon Baptist Church and was an employee of Horry's Restaurant for 27 years. She was a loving wife and a devoted mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, and mother-in-law.

There to welcome her into her heavenly home was her wonderful husband, Rev. Franklin Rudolph Rabon. Together they shared 34 years of marriage, six children, fifteen grandchildren, and twenty two great grandchildren.

Shirley was twice blessed and leaves behind a loving and devoted husband of 6 years, Carlon Rudolph Martin and his children Geane (Sammy) Caines of Aynor, SC, Keith Martin of Loris, SC, Carlon Martin of Dillon, SC, and Michelle Martin of Myrtle Beach, SC.

She is survived by four children, Wayne Rabon of Patrick, SC, Margo (Tim) Cox of Loris, SC, Millie Smith of Loris, SC, and Locket (Tim) Ebbs of Loris, SC.

Shirley also leaves behind a sister and brother that she held very dear to her heart, Clara Mae Brown of Patrick, SC and James (Shelby) Perdue of Hartsville, SC.

She is predeceased by two children, Kendall "Rabi" Rabon of Hartsville, SC and Almajean "Amy" McDowell of Loris, SC. She was also predeceased by one brother, Floyd Perdue of Hartsville, SC, and one sister, Katie Linda

Perdue of Hartsville, SC.

The family will receive friends Saturday, September 4, 2010 from 6-8 PM at Ward Funeral Home in Loris.

Funeral services will be held 3:00 PM Sunday, September 5, 2010 from the Ward Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Freddie Martin and Rev. Rusty Brown officiating. Burial will follow in the Twin City Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be sent to Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, 4350 Red Bluff Road, Loris, SC 29569.

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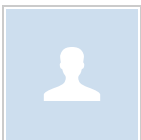
“ God, who came to earth in the person of Jesus Christ, knows the pain that comes when death separates you from a loved one. But this same Jesus Christ is here to assure you that this separation is not permanent, and He says to all who trust in Him, *Edwin & Barbara Strickland*”

July 18, 2011 at 04:32 PM



“ Rabon & Margo and family so sorry for your loss. Will keep all of you and my prayer. *Teresa Norris*”

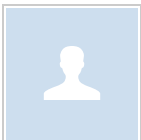
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“ I was very saddened to hear about this, but I know that she has suffered over the last few months. Her suffering is over now and I know you are all rejoicing in the knowledge that she is free of pain and in a better place.

*I will keep the family in my p Linda Phipps*”

September 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Meredith was more than a classmate, she was a friend who will be missed. God Bless her family. *Qiana McCree*”

January 14, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Dayna, I am truly sorry to hear about Meredith's passing, and you and your family are and will always be in my thoughts and prayers. Although I was never blessed with the opportunity to meet Meredith, I do feel lucky enough to have met you. You are such a wonderful person, and I know in my heart that Meredith was just as sweet and loving as you are. It really means a lot to me to know that my mom grew up with such special friends like you, and I am so thankful that the two of you are still so close. I look forward to seeing you again, and I will continue to pray for you and your family. Love, Katherine##imported-begin##Katherine Leventis##imported-end##

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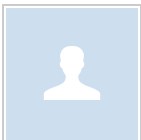
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“ To Dayna and your entire family, you are in our thoughts and prayers. We pray God will strenghten you as only He can. David and Wanda Jordan Jason, Rebecca and Kellen Jordan Jeana and Jamon Carroll Justin Jordan##imported-begin##Wanda Jordan##imported-end##

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January 06, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Scott and Dayna, I am so sorry for your loss. I did not have the honor to know Meredith very well, but I do remember her beautiful smile. You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers. God bless you##imported-begin##Tonya Reaves Clark##imported-end##

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January 05, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ I am praying that all of you will find the strength to get through this hard time.##imported-begin##Carrie Crolley Maseda##imported-end##

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“ Words do fail us at a time like this, but please know that your family is in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Jason & Carrie Shearin Cerny##imported-end##

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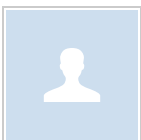
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“ To the Harrelson Family, We were saddened to hear of Meredith's passing. My God grant you the strength to get through this terrible time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Mike Davis and Marion Epstein Horry County Grants Administration Office##imported-begin##Mike Davis, Marion Epstein##imported-end##

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January 05, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ John and Laura, Our thoughts, prayers, and love are with you. You are on our mind constantly and we are praying for strength for you and your family. We love you. Lee and Nancy##imported-begin##Lee and Nancy Bollman##imported-end##

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January 05, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Family, I am so sorry to hear of Meredith's passing. I, too, remember her smile in high school. Please know that you are in our hearts, thoughts, and prayers. May you feel God's warmth during this sad time. God bless you.##imported-begin##Tammy Thompkins Moulden##imported-end##

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“ My thoughts and prayers are with you always.##imported-begin##Jenni James##imported-end##

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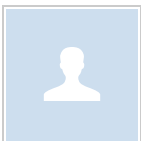
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“ Dayna, No words can ease the pain you are feeling right now with the loss of your beloved Meredith. Along with the pain, I hope you are feeling the pride of knowing you raised a child who walked with the Lord. Meredith's faith and strength of belief were truly an inspiration. She may have left this earth, but her spirit lives on in the lives she has touched and in the beautiful memories she has left behind. Our love and prayers go out to you and your family.##imported-begin##Lynette and Peter Leventis##imported-end##

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January 05, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Scott, It's been a long time since we have spoken, but Mom and Dad have been passing on prayer requests for you and Meredith for several years. Please know that we will continue to pray for you. I look forward to seeing you and Olivia the next time we are in Conway.##imported-begin##Kenny and Mickey Summerall##imported-end##

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January 05, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *Adrienne: It is difficult to find the words to express the sorrow felt at a time like this. Please know that you and your family are certainly in our thoughts and prayers. We love you.##imported-begin##Kelley and Cindy Huggins##imported-end##*

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“ *NULL##imported-begin##Jack Wayne & Rebecca Huggins##imported-end##*

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January 05, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *To the Harrelson and Winfield family- I just heard of Meredith's passing today, and words cannot express how sad I am. I remember how much fun we all had in high school. I haven't spoken with Meredith much since then, but I will always remember how fun, beautiful, and sweet she was, and that is the way she will always be, for she is with her Lord now. May God bless you and help you through this time of sadness and loss. Sincerely- Wendi A. Vaught CHS Class of 1993##imported-begin##Wendi Vaught##imported-end##*

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“ *May God bless your family at this very difficult time. You all in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##LISA RABON##imported-end##*

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January 04, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *John, Laura & Family, My thoughts and prayers are with you all. God Bless.##imported-begin##Charles Garren##imported-end##*

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January 04, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *There are no words to say. Just know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and will continue to be!##imported-begin##Krista Lewis##imported-end##*

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“ *Johnny and Dayna, I just wanted to say how sorry I was to hear of Meredith's death. Even though we do not see each other very often, I still feel a special bond with you and all of my friends from Conway. There was something very special about growing up in Conway; I really can not explain it, but it was special. And when my friends are hurting, I hurt with them as well. Please know that you and your families are in my thoughts and prayers as you go through this sad time in your lives. And always keep the good memories close at hand to help you through this transition. May God Bless You now and always. Love, Coke##imported-begin##Coke Floyd##imported-end##*

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January 04, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *NULL##imported-begin##lorrie 'norris' armstrong##imported-end##*

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“ You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. We know you are going through a difficult time as we experienced a loss recently. God bless you all.##imported-begin##Brenda Norris & Lorrie Armstrong##imported-end##

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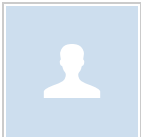
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“ I was very saddened to hear of Meredith's passing. My prayers are with each of you at this time of sorrow. I am sorry that I could not make it inside the funeral home. My back would not let me stand any longer. May you find comfort in God's words. He will be your strength at this time of mourning. I will remember each of you in my prayers. In Christ, Anne Taylor##imported-begin##Anne Taylor##imported-end##

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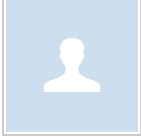
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“ Scott, You are Definatly in our prayers and, I said a special prayer for you and Your Family at Church this morning. May God bless you during this time of grief!!! Our Love to You. Jim, Nicole and Joseph##imported-begin##Jim, Nicole, & Joseph##imported-end##

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January 04, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Scott, Gail and Benji: I am so sorry for your loss. My daughter and I came to the funeral home tonight but there was such a long line we did not stay. We had her 9 month old with us so we missed seeing you. I hope that everything goes well for you and your daughter. I know we will all miss Meredith, but we know she is in good hands. If you ever need anything please do not hesitate to call on me or any of my family. Love Danny and Cindy##imported-begin##Cindy H. Calhoun##imported-end##

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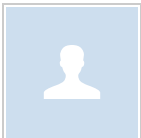
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“ Dear Scott, My son, Mike Ladd, went to school with Meredith. I heard her name many times through those years and Mike spoke fondly of her. One night, Mike asked me to type a report for him. It was about Meredith and Lupus and the difficult time that she had with her disease. Meredith was an inspiration to my son, as I am sure she was to so many people. Mike is living in Maine now and I called to tell him the sad news. He sends his condolences and we all will have you and your family in our prayers. I hope that time and the memory of your beautiful wife, will ease the pain that you are feeling now. Sincerely, Linda Ladd, Mike and Brandi##imported-begin##LINDA LADD##imported-end##

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January 04, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. May time, cherished memories, and your faith gently ease the loss you bear as the comfort and understanding of others help your sorrows fade away.##imported-begin##Dianne S. Harrell##imported-end##

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“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. May time, cherished memories, and your faith gently ease the loss you bear as the comfort and understanding of others help your sorrows fade. With Heartfelt Sympathy, Dianne S. Harrell###imported-begin##Dianne S. Harrell###imported-end##

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“ We were so sorry to hear of your loss. May God grant you strength to endure the coming days. Marsha Singleton Graham, Meredith Singleton Tournay, and Ricky & Nancy Tindall###imported-begin##Ricky & Nancy Tindall###imported-end##

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January 04, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Scott, Olivia, Dayna and Family - We have you all in our thoughts and prayers. We have watched Meredith blossom from a sweet little girl into an intelligent, wonderful Christian young woman. Meredith was a favorite teacher of our son, Brad, and we know that her influence on many young minds will last for years. May God bless and comfort all of you. We love you. Cherry and Phillip Thompson Brad Thompson###imported-begin##Cherry and Phillip Thompson###imported-end##

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January 04, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Adrienne, Although you have been in our lives for so many years as Chuck's "better half", I have only come to know Meredith since August when Olivia and Fallyn were placed in the same dance class. One could know immediately how sweet a person she was by her ever-present smile, but I could never have guessed the struggles that I have since learned she faced. Be sure that God is enjoying her beautiful smile now. We will keep you and all her family in our prayers. Tell Olivia hello for Fallyn. Please let us know if there is anything we can do!! Love and prayers, Kerry, Frenchie, Tanner, Bradey and Fallyn Harrelson###imported-begin###Kerry and Frenchie Harrelson and family###imported-end##

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January 04, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Scott, Olivia, Dayna and Family, I was so very sorry to hear of Meredith's passing. God has a new beautiful angel by his side. We all loved teaching with her at Conway High School and missed her when she could no longer teach because of her illness. Meredith's spirit will live on in the life of Olivia and in all the students whose lives she has touched. May God help to heal your broken hearts. Know that you and your family are in the prayers of many who care for you all. In His love, Debbie###imported-begin###Debbie Johnson###imported-end##

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January 04, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Scott, Our love and thoughts are with you. We will be praying for you and Olivia. Love, Lisa and Clayton###imported-begin###Lisa and Clayton Simmons###imported-end##

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January 03, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Scott, My thoughts, prayers, and love are with you. You were such a good friend to me while I was living in Conway and the faith you and Meredith have always shown has been such an inspiration to me. You and Olivia and all of your family will continue to be in my prayers. Love, Beth##imported-begin##Beth Bass Turner##imported-end##

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January 03, 2004 at 12:00 AM