Broken

You feel so empty now because someone so dear is gone, your heart has been broken, and you feel so all alone. But in the midst of your sorrow, in the midst of your pain, know that the hurt won't last forever, you will laugh again. God will take you in His loving hands and mend your brokenness; remold you and reshape you. He'll do what He does best. He will never leave you nor forsake you. He'll be with you all the way; that's because He is the potter, and we are all His clay.



With Gratitude

The family extends heartfelt appreciation to each of you who reached out to us during this difficult time, the phone calls, texts, emails, and visits helped ease our pain. We will be forever grateful for the wonderful outpouring of love, support and acts of kindness extended to us during the loss of one so dear. We ask that all of you continue to pray for us in the days, weeks and months ahead.

Thank you!



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October 31, 1970

Sunset April 22, 2025

Sunday, April 27, 2025 2:00 PM

ULYSSES D. MILLER FUNERAL CHAPEL 485 Poors Ford Road Rutherfordton, North Carolina 28139

Order of Service

Musical Prelude	
Processional	The Family
Opening Hymn	Amazing Grace
Scripture	
Old Testament	Father Roberts
New Testament	Co-Pastor Sharon Brown
	Full Proof Ministries, Tryon, NC
Prayer of Comfort	Bishop Timothy Brown
	Full Proof Ministries
Selection "Eye On The S	parrow"Rahjay Hines
Silent Reading of Obituary	
Reflections from Family and Friends	
Words of Comfort	Reverend Eleanor D. Miller
Recessional	

Interment Good Shepherd Cemetery Tryon, North Carolina

Floral Bearers and Pallbears Family and Friends



Her Journey

Deanna Laverne Steen entered into eternal rest on Tuesday, April 22, 2025 at her home. Deanna was born October 31, 1970. A native of Tryon, NC, she was the second oldest daughter of Geraldine Shields of Tryon, NC and Margaret Steen of Spartanburg, SC and the late Robert Steen.

In addition, she was the maternal granddaughter of the late Zannie Mae and Edward Littlejohn and the late George and Edna Mae Littlejohn all of Tryon, NC. She was the paternal granddaughter of the late William H. Steen, Sr. and Alberta Murphy Steen and Lucy Steen.

Deanna graduated from Tryon High School. Deanna was a dedicated employee of Polk Vocational Services for many years.

Surviving among her loved ones are her loving and devoted mother, Geraldine (Nathaniel) Shields; sisters, Anita Steen of Spartanburg, SC, Nakeya Steen of Columbia, NC, Sarah Shields of Black Mountain, NC; brother, Stacey (Courtney) Shields of Huntsville, Alabama, and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.