



Nancy Ann Williams Biggers

June 25, 1935 - August 5, 2019

Nancy Ann Williams Biggers passed away in her home on August 5, 2019 surrounded by her loving family. She was born in the town of Winston Salem, NC on June 25, 1935. Her parents were Norwood and Elizabeth Williams. She was the oldest of four children, Janice, Eugene, and Jimmy.

As an infant, Nancy was baptized at Trinity Moravian Church in Winston Salem, NC. The family began attending Friedland Moravian Church, when Nancy was six. At age eleven, Nancy pledged her Affirmation of Faith and was confirmed. Friedland would be her church home for the next 28 years.

Nancy married Robert J. Burns in 1957. They were blessed with three daughters, Tara Lee, Deanna Elizabeth, and Bonnie Esther. The daughters were baptized as infants at Friedland Moravian Church.

Nancy was a stay-at-home Mother. Every day was a JOY as she cared for and watched over her beautiful daughters. "My three daughters have enriched my life and are a wonderful blessing. They are loving women and daughters and any Mother would be proud. I look on them with great pride," said Nancy.

In the early 1970s Nancy and her husband divorced. Nancy re-entered the business world. She attended CPCC, Queens College and the Carolina School of Broadcasting. It was a busy time, working full time, going to school, and handling the responsibility of three daughters.

Throughout her life, Nancy always put her family's needs before her own. Her love of them was unselfish. This same love and nourishing was bestowed on her grandchildren, Joshua Green and Moriah Belk and great grandson Levi Belk. Nancy lived the words: "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

Nancy's Christian Faith and her music were an important part of her life. Her favorite music was Classical and the Moravian Hymns. Nancy sang in the church choir, and played piano, and a pump organ for Sunday School, for many years.

She is preceded in death by her mother Elizabeth Ann Williams and father Norwood Williams, brother Eugene Williams, and her sister Janice Quisenberry.

Nancy is survived by husband of 41 years Alan Biggers; her daughters Tara B. Green (Michael Green), Deanna Burns (Phillip Handsel), and Bonnie Covington; her brother

James Williams; grandson Joshua Michael Green and granddaughter Moriah Hannah Belk and great grandson Levi Walker Belk. In lieu of flowers or gifts donations may be made to Little Church on the Lane, Charlotte, NC.

Events

AUG **Graveside Service** 03:00PM

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Sharon Presbyterian Church Cemetery
5201 Sharon Road, Charlotte, NC, US, 28270

Comments



“ 1 file added to the album Mother



Bonnie Covington - August 11, 2019 at 11:59 AM



“ Dearest Mother,

It is with sincere gratitude that I reflect on your life and its significance. I am very proud to have been your daughter. Know that you were loved by me all of my life and that you were also my best friend. I hope that the events of your graveside service succeeded in showing you the proper amount of honor and respect you so richly deserve.

A lot of this message was written several years ago and fortunately you read most of these words at an earlier date. The experience of a perfect day was the inspiration and symbolic reminder of the perfect love you showed to me all the days of my life. Now, this message is fitting tribute to a great lady and my beloved Mother.

The bright blue sky above reminds me of your beautiful blue eyes – ever looking out for me when I was too young to know or recognize danger. Those eyes were still looking my way years later, showing a Mother’s interest and concern that lasted all of my life.

The gentle breeze blowing reminds me of the awesome presence of you. As a breeze refreshes, you refreshed me by teaching me many important things that I needed to know. You introduced me to faith in our Lord Jesus Christ and to the Moravian Church, its honored traditions and music. You freely gave me many things to smile about over the years - and now they will become cherished as special memories – enough to last a lifetime.

The sun above in the sky above reminds me of the awesome warmth you bestowed upon me. That special warmth from you was a vital presence in my life. It will live on.

Finally, all the plant life in the garden reminds me of the gift of life and that it was you my dear Mother who brought me here. As plants thrive in the garden given the proper care, you also carefully nurtured me from childhood to adulthood with proper tending and your presence.

Truly, an indescribable sweetness has now departed this earth.

Love Always,
Bonnie

Bonnie Covington - August 11, 2019 at 11:48 AM



“ Mom,

I have so many words thoughts ideas and moments to share with you there's merely not enough time or paper or space on this obituary page. What an amazing and terrific mother you were raising three daughters. We never had a care in the world. Seems like you took care of everything to make our little world so happy and creative and fun. There was so many lessons that you taught us so many things you knew and again, we felt so safe being with you and your loving arms. As a young child I couldn't wait to get home to tell you all about the things that have happened during my school day. You took great interest in all the events. Also, that backyard elementary school Halloween party was so memorable. You just knew how to do so many things in an incredible way. Easter was sure to kick off another seasons collection of your handmade pastel and lace beautiful dress with white patent leather shoes. There was so many of them over the years too. I was proud to wear your handiwork mom. Let's not forget the beautiful handsewn velvet Christmas dresses, wow!.

Throughout my life I know you've always been there. I take comfort in knowing how you loved my sisters and I so very very much.

Thank you for the 84 years of time on earth. You will be missed more than words can say.

Rest in peace my dear mother.

With all my love, your middle daughter,
Deanna



Deanna Burns - August 07, 2019 at 04:30 PM



“ Thoughts and prayers are with the entire family in the loss of your beloved mother. (From Dottie Stowe - former co-worker of Bonnie's)

Dottie Stowe - August 08, 2019 at 08:44 AM



“ I miss you my precious Mother. My heart is breaking. I will always treasure you, your wisdom, times we shared together and your love to me. Now you are with the Lord and safe in the arms of Jesus. And God's promise to all who put their trust in Jesus is that we will be together again with Him. For the Bible promises in 1 Thess 4:13-18, "But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him. For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep. For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord. Wherefore comfort one another with these words."

Love to you now and always my dear Mother.
your first born daughter,
Tara



Tara Green - August 07, 2019 at 01:09 PM



“ God's Word...

Think of it carefully, study it prayerfully,
deep in thy heart let its oracles dwell.
Ponder its mystery, slight not its history,
none can ever love it too fondly or well.

by S. F. Logsdon

You were a remarkable sister! Love, Jim

Jim Williams - August 07, 2019 at 04:05 PM