



## Mrs. Linda Smith Shelton Grant

August 5, 1947 - March 1, 2015

Funeral services for Mrs. Linda S. Grant of Cassatt, SC will be held on Saturday March 7, 2015 at 1:00 p.m. from Abundant Life Fellowship Church, 804 Laurens Street, Camden, SC, with Dr. A. D. Givens, Presiding Prelate, Officiating. Interment to follow in Haven Of Rest Cemetery, Camden, SC. Public viewing to be held on Friday March 6, 2015 from 12 noon to 8:00 p.m. at Abundant Life Fellowship Church. Mrs. Grant entered into rest on Sunday March 1, 2015. A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel, 2548 Main Street, Columbia is in charge of these arrangements.

Mrs. Grant was born in Brooklyn, NY and was the daughter of Ora Lee and the late Claude Shelton. She worked as a nurse at Kershaw Medical Center and was a devoted member of the Abundant Life Fellowship Church.

Surviving are: her husband, Willie Grant; children, James Smith, Nina Jones, Kelvin Grant and Francisco Bourroughs; mother, Ora Lee Shelton; sisters, Barbara Dent and Joyce Barnes; a brother, Ronald Shelton and a host of other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Haven Of Rest Cemeteey

Highway 97  
Camden, SC

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

MAR 6. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Abundant Life Fellowship Church  
804 Laurens Street  
Camden, SC 29020

## Funeral Service

MAR 7. 1:00 PM (ET)

Abundant Life Fellowship Church  
804 Laurens Street  
Camden, SC 29020

# Tribute Wall

NM

“ Hi Family;

*We just got word of Linda's passing. My Mom, Elsie Shelton-McCravy sends her heartfelt condolences to Aunt Ora Lee, Barbara ,Joyce and Ronnie and all of her great nieces and nephews. Peace and Love to all.*

*Natonia(Toni) "Crybaby" Elery*

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**Natonia McCravy-Elery** - August 23, 2015 at 08:51 PM

CB

“ *My sincerest condolences to the family and friends of Linda. Thoughts and prayers. Linda was great Nurse and enjoyed what she did for others. She will be missed. May Ggive you the comfort and peace to help you through this hard tme.*



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**Cynthia L. Briley** - March 08, 2015 at 11:31 AM

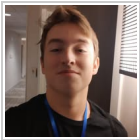
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“ *I know why the caged bird sings... The caged bird sings with a fearful trill of things unknown but longed for still and his tune is heard on the distant hill for the caged bird sings of freedom.*

*Mother Linda exemplified going through while yet singing praises to God for the little successes and not focusing on the ever present big circumstances life presented that were not favorable. Mother enjoy you eternal rest. No more weeping or whaling but giving god the praise.*

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**Elder Little** - March 07, 2015 at 12:12 PM



“ *One of the sweetest and kindest ladies I know. You will be missed.*

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**Jennifer Wiles** - March 07, 2015 at 07:37 AM

LW

“ *Lyle Walford purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Linda Smith Shelton Grant.*



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**Lyle Walford** - March 06, 2015 at 12:49 PM

TD

“ *The term "second mother" is used quite often, but in the case of Linda it was very true to me. I will always remember you for your love, advice and unequalled generosity. Always there to make a person feel better about themselves. To a wonderful person whom I was fortunate to know and love. Goodbye mom.*



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**Tommy D'Agostino** - March 06, 2015 at 10:16 AM

FA

“ *To Linda - - In Sorrow*

*Life's Volume Completed,  
A page turned, A life well lived,  
A rest well earned,  
Remembering the times we shared.*

*Jackie Smith, Corrine Battle, Karl Smith, Aunts, Uncles and Family*

*Charles City, VA  
Cambria Heights, NY  
Jamaica, NY*

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**Family** - March 05, 2015 at 07:31 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mrs. Linda Smith Shelton Grant.*



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March 05, 2015 at 10:28 AM

MS

“ In 1997 Brutie and I traveled to Atlanta for a short vacation but made an overnight stay in South Carolina to visit and we stayed at Linda's house, we had the best time. She feed us, drove us around, introduced us to friends, told us family stories we had a great time. Her smile was contagious. Sending love, thought and prayers to you Skeeter and the famy,  
Brutie, Melissa, Trey and Maya

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**melissa smith** - March 04, 2015 at 07:27 PM

 Bobbi Jackson

“ Bobbi Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs.  
Linda Smith Shelton Grant



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**Bobbi Jackson** - March 04, 2015 at 03:58 PM

CA

“ I loved Linda's no nonsense, tell it like it is, spunky nature. She always knew how to put a smile on your face. I will miss having her help me at the clinic and the great discussions we always had and the great advice she gave. She had an infectious laugh and everyone here loved her. The world has lost a wonderful and caring soul and I am so happy to have had her in my life for as long as I did. I will do my best to honor her by caring for others with compassion and respect in the same way she did.

*I will miss you and never forget you,  
Carol Allen*

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**Carol Allen** - March 04, 2015 at 01:58 PM

SC

“ It is with a saddened heart that I share my memories of Linda. What a wonderful person and nurse! I never got the chance to tell Linda how much she meant to me and to all of the staff of KershawHealth. She was an angel on earth! Linda was ALWAYS so friendly and always smiling. Linda was a constant litmus test for me. Whenever I had a question about something or wanted feedback, I could always depend on Linda to be straight up and honest! I loved that about her.

*Linda will be deeply missed.*

*Stacy Collier, RN  
Chief Nursing Officer  
KershawHealth*

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**Stacy Collier** - March 04, 2015 at 11:30 AM

GL

“ KG, Willie, and James your family will be in my thoughts and prayers during your time of grief. KG your mama loved you with an enduring heart. She loved her baby as she told me many times and she didn't just say it, but she proved it daily. Her infectious smile, jokester nature, and laugh would make anyone having a bad day turn around quickly. She worked hard, but always found time to support her family in other ways beyond work. She was always there. I thank God for the time she blessed my life as we worked on you together during your "teenage" years. I live far away now, and I haven't gotten to share a laugh with your family in a long time, but your family and your mama will always be in my heart.

*God bless you all,*

*Gregg Lee (Coach Lee)*

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**Gregg Lee** - March 04, 2015 at 09:44 AM

JB

“ I cannot think of Linda without seeing her smile. She is the most giving, selfless person I know. Everyone who knew her loved her and its not hard to know why. Her children and her family were extremely lucky to have had her in their lives. She will be missed terribly and loved always. Rest well Linda you are loved. Judy

Judy Buford - March 04, 2015 at 07:40 AM



“ 2 files added to the album Tribute Wall



James Smith - March 04, 2015 at 07:31 AM



“ Linda was our mama on Med One. She was always there for us. You could go to Linda with anything and she would do what ever to help you. Linda would let me cry on her shoulder if i needed to and she'd put me in my place when i needed that to. She would playfully tell us she was going to cut us if we aggervated her lol. She loved us and we loved her. Our work family now has a angel to watch over us. Linda i will always love you my other mama!!! My you RIP Linda Smith Grant.

Sheryl Crenshaw - March 03, 2015 at 11:53 PM

LG

Great memories! She was like a mama to us. Love that special lady!

Lisa Geddings - March 04, 2015 at 08:08 PM



Chandra  
Thomas

“ *Linda,  
I don't know where to begin....I've never met anyone as beautiful  
and as free spirited as yourself. You have left a very long life  
impression on me and for that I LOVE YOU:):):) I remember when  
we had breakfast...lunch....and sometimes dinner together:):):) You  
always told me that I reminded you of yourself when you were  
younger:):):) You taught me some things that I never knew....GOD  
placed you in my life for a reason and I will be forever grateful:):):)  
Take your wings Mother and fly high....remember I will always LOVE  
YOU*

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**Chandra Thomas** - March 03, 2015 at 08:35 PM

“ *First and foremost, I would like to say that I am deeply saddened by the news of Linda's passing. She is by far one of the most genuine and loving people I have ever had the honor of calling a true friend. Of course, she was the perfect mother to her children, although only knowing James so well and love so much, she was a lovely lady. A dedicated nurse. A fearless leader. She was passionate to everyone. Each person she ever came into contact with, she greeted them in such a soft and gentle manner, that you loved her immediately. Linda and I worked together for many years and some of my greatest memories with the hundreds of nurses I have worked beside over the last 32 years, Linda was a constant source of "happy" for me personally. I always enjoyed talking with her about life, our children, faith, overcoming diversity in this cruel world, love, commitment, marriage, and our patients. She loved and respected each patient she had the honor to care for, her gentle words encouraged the sick to want to become well. I loved her laugh. I loved that she was such a great listener, and I will never forget how she always made time for people. Her spirit will forever be embedded in my heart. I pray that James, and all that love Linda so much will find comfort in knowing that she is resting easy, with the Lord, flying among the angels that absolutely watch and guide us daily. Please accept our sincere condolences and know that our thoughts and prayers are with all of you..... Tommy and Pam Nichols, Steven Branham.*

*I am so sorry for your loss.....and I weep selfishly in that my time with Linda on earth is over, but smile in that my eternal time with her is yet to come. Linda, you were one of a kind,,, no one comes close to being the amazing woman that you were to all that knew and loved you. I simply can not express how much I love you. RIP my friend.*

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**Pam and Tommy Nichols, Steven Branham - March 03, 2015 at 06:50 PM**

LG

*Beautiful words!! Very true!*

Lisa Geddings - March 04, 2015 at 08:04 PM

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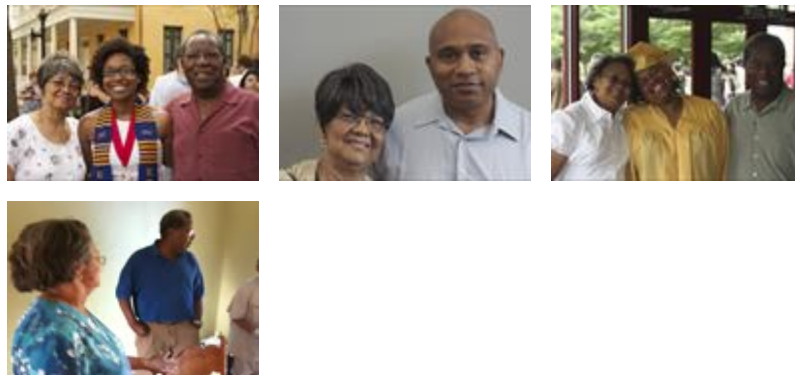
“ Linda,  
I want to thank you for everything you taught me in my early years!!!! Those lessons helped me to be the person I am today!!!! I remember one Christmas when you gave me and Carleen some electric hair rollers because we wanted to be like you. You helped us rolled our hair using these electric rollers and we walked around the house all day with them in our hair. When it was time to take them, Carleen had curls and my hair was straight. Everybody laughed except you. You told me that my hair is so thick that I needed more rollers. We both started laughing!!!! Sometimes we are just a little different!!!! I know that you will be a part of my SPECIAL ANGELS SQUAD and when you see my parents and my son tell that I said hi. Love Ya Lots!!!! Love Ya Always!!!!



Crystal L. Christian-Harris - March 03, 2015 at 04:55 PM



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James Smith - March 03, 2015 at 02:16 PM



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**James Smith** - March 03, 2015 at 02:10 PM



“ *She truly was one of the nicest lady i ever knew. She has called me her son since i have known her and she will always be Ma to me. She will truly be missed by everyone she has touched. We love and miss you Ma.*

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**Lester Hodge** - March 03, 2015 at 01:31 PM



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**James Smith** - March 03, 2015 at 10:11 AM