



# Opal Norberg

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**O**pal Mae Hardister Norberg, 89, born on May 30, 1925, formerly of Cornelius, NC, went home to be with the Lord on June 14, 2014, in Concord, NC.

She joins her mother, Eliza "Ma" Hardister, her father, William Gurney, and her brother, Herbert Hardister. She leaves behind her devoted and loving husband, Willard "Bill", of 64 years, and three children, Jack (Debra) of Concord, VA, Gary (Stephanie Sue) of Bloemfontein, South Africa, and Janice (Roland) Stabley of Charlotte, NC. She is survived by eleven grandchildren; Sarah Stabley (John Vargosko), Jonathan (Diana) Norberg, Sharon (Matthew) Morken, Katherine (Fred) Campos, Devan (David) Bradeson, Danielle Norberg, Rebecca (Jason) Shanks, Carolyn (Jered) Lundeby, Alana (Chad) Petree, James Norberg and Holly (Sumner) Andrews and fifteen great grandchildren; Holland, Ethan, Finley, Chloe, Connor, Gianna, Piper, Jack, Michael, Gary, Sawyer, Oliver, Garrett, Will and Grace.

Opal retired after 27 years of government service. She was a faithful servant at Bethel Presbyterian Church in Cornelius and an avid homemaker, but her life centered around family and serving others.

Opal's memorial service will be held at Bethel Presbyterian Church at 11:00 am on Monday, June 23, following a private graveside service. Visitation will follow.

The family would like to offer thanks to her many friends at Bethel Presbyterian and Parkwood Baptist churches, as well as Hospice of Cabarrus County, who were all there to visit and comfort her.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Bethel Presbyterian Church, 19920 Bethel Church Rd., Cornelius, NC 28031, Hospice of Cabarrus County, 5003 Hospice Ln., Kannapolis, NC 28081 or The Alzheimer's Foundation, 322 8th Ave, 7th Flr, NY, NY 10001.

James Funeral Home of Huntersville is serving the family. [www.jamesfuneralhomeLKN.com](http://www.jamesfuneralhomeLKN.com)



## Tribute Wall

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KB

**Karen Burnette** posted:

We are so sorry for your loss. Such dear friends for over 45 years! We are so glad that God allowed our paths to cross. Love & Prayers go out to each of you!!

June 19 at 7:17 PM

JE

**John And Eleanor Emslie** posted:

Please accept our sincerest sympathy. Love to all of your family.

June 19 at 8:35 AM

KL

**Kimberly Cobb Linkey** posted:

So sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our prayers.

June 16 at 5:59 PM

KL

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June 16 at 5:59 PM

BF

**Boyd Family** posted:

We will miss our dear friend Opal. She was an inspiration and blessing to her family and many friends. She is now at peace in her heavenly home. May God continue to bless Bill and their entire family. David, Kathy and Joshua Boyd

June 16 at 7:32 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Opal by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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