



## Brenda Moore Small

October 20, 1940 - September 20, 2021

Brenda Carolyn Moore Small, 80 beloved wife adored mother and cherished Grammy and MeMe went to be with the Lord on September 20, 2021 after a short illness.

Brenda grew up in Manning, South Carolina with adoring parents, wonderful friends and lots of travel to see her many Aunts, Uncles and cousins. Family was her most treasured focus from an early age.

She met the great love of her life; Michael B. Small in December of 1961 and they were married on December 1, 1962; celebrating 59 years of blissful time together this year. Their example of what love and commitment to each other looks like has been the shining symbol for anyone who met them. All that she did was for God, Mike and her beloved family.

She had many gifts, talents and loves that she shared with us and nothing was out of bounds. From making bows and crafts to helping with homework, she was always there for us. She adored ACC basketball and could not believe she got to attend the Tournament one year. Brenda received her degree; BS in Nursing from the University of South Carolina (1962). Her class was the first 4 year Nursing degree for the school. She and many of her classmates kept in touch over the years.

Her heart was in helping and educating children. Her substitute/interim teaching years gave her great joy. She loved the piano and played for church whenever asked or needed until arthritis stopped her. She loved completing puzzles with Mike and going up to their mountain house for visits. Her house was the gathering place for family and she was always open to having celebrations and parties; never happier than with her Mike and her kids. She adored Christmas and was well known for her Dept 56 Christmas Village set up. Her excitement over each piece and how it represented our family truly made our holidays special. Our biggest fan, cheerleader and staunch supporter has gone home and we will miss her terribly until we see her again.

Brenda leaves behind her husband Mike; her daughter Catherine Gann (Fred) of Salisbury, sons: Daniel (Debbie) of Matthews, Mike (Ginger) of Mt Holly, David (Stacey) of Elgin, SC, and Jonathan (Noelle) of Charlotte. Grandchildren: Jacob (Monica), Ben (Moriah), Rachel, Gracie, Caleb, Ethan, Everette, Charli, Isaac, Gabriel and Analiese.

A celebration of her life will be held at Christ Community Church on Monday, October 4, 2021 beginning at 1:30. The family will have a private graveside service afterward.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Christ Community Church: Childrens ministries fund or the Missions fund.

James Funeral Home, of Huntersville, is serving the family and obituary lovingly written by the family.

# Events

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**OCT**   **Funeral Service**   **01:30PM**

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Christ Community Church  
16301 Old Statesville Rd., Huntersville, NC, US, 28078

# Comments

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“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Brenda Moore Small.



October 04, 2021 at 09:24 AM

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“ My heart goes out to you and your family Dan. I never met your mother but just looking at her photo tells me that she was a very happy, loving and caring woman that will most assuredly be sorely missed. Please accept my love and condolences. I'm so very sorry for your loss.

Michael Price



Michael Price - October 03, 2021 at 11:55 PM

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“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Brenda Moore Small.



October 01, 2021 at 10:56 PM

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“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brenda Moore Small.



October 01, 2021 at 09:32 PM

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“ Dellinger Building Supply purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Brenda Moore Small.



**Dellinger Building Supply** - October 01, 2021 at 08:09 AM

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“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Brenda Moore Small.



October 01, 2021 at 06:58 AM

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September 30, 2021 at 12:28 PM

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“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Brenda Moore Small.



September 29, 2021 at 08:16 PM

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“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brenda Moore Small.



September 29, 2021 at 04:21 PM

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“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Brenda Moore Small.



September 29, 2021 at 04:04 PM

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“ Small Family, I am so sorry for your loss. Brenda left a wonderful legacy, and impacted many lives. You all are in my prayers. Terry VanZant

**Terry VanZant** - September 29, 2021 at 03:59 PM

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“ Small Family - I was saddened to hear of the passing of Brenda. I have fond memories of all the Small family. You will be in my prayers.  
David Lockwood

David Lockwood - September 27, 2021 at 09:38 PM

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“ Mike and Family,  
So sorry to hear of Brenda's passing. So many memories all the way back to Mike & Brenda dating, Coulwood, etc. May the peace of God be with you during the days ahead. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.  
Rob and Kay Simmons

Kay Simmons - September 27, 2021 at 09:44 AM

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“ Mike and Family,

We were shocked and saddened to learn of Brenda's death. So many memories from our Coulwood days with swim team, ballgames, and boys playing in our backyards. Please know we have your family in our hearts and on our minds. We pray all of you can find comfort and peace in the days ahead.

Richard & Mollie Baker

**Mollie Baker** - September 23, 2021 at 11:15 PM



“ Mike and Family Don and I are so shocked to learn of Brenda's passing. Lots of memories when our Children were young. Your Family is in our Prayers for comfort during this hard time

**phyllis & Don Monteith** - September 25, 2021 at 03:04 PM



“ Mike and Family, we were so saddened to learn of Brenda's passing. Your Family is in our thoughts and prayers daily. May God be with you during this difficult time

**phyllis & Don Monteith** - September 25, 2021 at 03:05 PM



“ Mike and Family,

Beth and I ,as well as my whole staff are deeply saddened to hear of your loss.

We always enjoyed your visits and could count on Brenda's happy demeanor and her concern for you as well as her pride in your children and Grandchildren.

Beth and I will always remember having dinner with you on your fiftieth anniversary.

Brenda will be missed by all of us and we keep you in our prayers.

Dr J and Beth

**Emerj Johnston** - September 27, 2021 at 09:14 PM



“ Jonathan and Family! SO very sorry to hear of your Mom's passing! Will always remember her encouragement given to my boys when they swam under your direction! God bless her soul!

**Anne Shipton** - September 29, 2021 at 04:51 PM



“ Mike & Family,

Mike and I mourn along with you at the loss of Brenda. We have nothing but fond memories of our Coulwood Days. Brenda had a hand in teaching all three of our children at Paw Creek. She was so involved in the community. We spent many swim meets, ball games, and so many other happy times together. We enjoyed going to their mountain house and will forever cherish our hours long dinners. Brenda gave the best advice and the best hugs. We lost a dear, dear friend that will be greatly missed. Sending many prayers and much love to our Smalls.

**mike and Debbie Chapman** - September 30, 2021 at 12:24 AM

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“ So sorry to learn of Brenda’s passing. Praying for peace and comfort for all of you.

**Elizabeth Bolick** - September 22, 2021 at 11:12 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you Mike and all your family!

**Frances Lyerly** - September 24, 2021 at 10:25 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. Love and sympathy to all of your family. Anne & Tommy Miller

**Anne & Tommy Miller** - October 02, 2021 at 09:59 PM