



## Linda R. Gilliland

May 7, 1947 - July 9, 2019

Linda R. Gilliland, age 72 of Bybee, passed away at her home surrounded by her loved ones on Tuesday, July 9, 2019. She was a member of Liberty Hill Missionary Baptist Church. She retired from BASF Corporation, formerly American Enka and was a substitute teacher for years at Centerview Elementary School up until her illness which kept her from the children she loved. She was preceded in death by her husband of 53 years, Wayne E. Gilliland; and parents Bradford and Hazel Reed. She is survived by her daughter Kimberly Shults of Bybee; daughter and son-in-law Angela and Steve Hudson of Newport; grandchildren Emily and Melody Shults of Bybee and Melinda and Michael Hudson of Newport; brothers Cecil Reed of Bybee and Charles Reed (Leslie) of Bulls Gap; sisters Anita Samples (Jerry) of Dandridge and Eyvonne Jenkins (Terry) of Bybee; sister-in-law Wanda (Bob) Eaton of Johnson city; several nieces and nephews and special friend Rick Buckner. The family will receive friends from 5:00-7:00 pm, Friday, July 12, 2019 at Manes Funeral Home. Funeral Services will follow on Friday at 7:00 pm in the Manes Funeral Home with Rev. Bobby Samples officiating. Burial will be at 11:00 am, Saturday, July 13, 2019 in Centerview Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery. Family and friends may sign the guest register online at [www.manesfuneralhome.com](http://www.manesfuneralhome.com). Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Linda R. Gilliland*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Im so sorry i remember her when i was young prayers*

**KAREN WILLIAMSON** - July 23, 2019 at 10:48 AM



“ *Keeping you in my prayers.*  
*Angie Gentry*

**Angie** - July 17, 2019 at 05:01 PM



“ *Praying for peace and comfort for your family.*

**Keshia Tallman and Family** - July 17, 2019 at 05:01 PM



“ *I'm so sorry, Kim. Keeping you and your family in my prayers.*

**Wendy Self** - July 17, 2019 at 05:01 PM



“ *Praying for you during the loss of your sweet momma*

**Stacey Allen** - July 17, 2019 at 05:00 PM



“ *Prayers for the family*

**mansfield mcmahan** - July 17, 2019 at 05:00 PM

JD

“ *Anita. So sorry for your loss. Prayers*

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**Jan Morgan from Dollywood** - July 17, 2019 at 05:00 PM

SM

“ *Prayers for your family.*

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**Sandy Freshour & Rodney Moss** - July 17, 2019 at 04:59 PM

RE

“ *Kim,*

*Our hearts are broken for you ...*

*Ronnie & I are praying hard some peace of mind for you & yours.*

*She was an incredible lady .... an amazing women.*

*Love, Susan & Ronnie Ellison*

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**Ronald L Ellison** - July 17, 2019 at 04:59 PM

HS

“ *We're so sorry, Linda was such a sweet lady, she helped so many people & she will be greatly missed. If you all need anything at all please let us know. We love you all.*

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**Henry Missy & Kassie Shults** - July 17, 2019 at 04:59 PM

MN

“ *Angela & Steve,  
I am so sorry for your loss. I am praying for you and your family. I'm sorry but I am out of town or I would be present. I love you all.*

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**Melanie Nolan** - July 17, 2019 at 04:58 PM

ST

“ Sorry to the family for your loss.

Steve and Loretta Taylor - July 17, 2019 at 04:58 PM

SR

“ Angela and Kim your Mom was so precious. I remember all the times we sat in the kitchen talking about our day or just random things. She always had such great wisdom and a love for Jesus. I am so glad to have known her and be a part of your family. I know in my heart I am better in having known her. So sorry for your loss.



Susan Reece - July 17, 2019 at 04:58 PM

TH

“ So very sorry to hear of the passing of another one of our friends and classmates. Sending sincere sympathy to Linda's family and loved ones. Matthew 5:4

Twila & Rex Hughes - July 17, 2019 at 04:58 PM

DO

“ Sorry for your loss.

Dustin Owenby - July 17, 2019 at 04:57 PM