



Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy

May 8, 1946 - January 15, 2016

Sherry Prater Murphy, 69, wife of Rev. Wesley Murphy, of 405 Rick Kelley Lane, Seneca SC, went home to be with her Lord, Friday, January 15, 2016, at her home surrounded by her family.

A native of Batesburg, SC, Mrs. Murphy was the daughter of Mrs. Grace Minick and the late Rev. James Milton Prater. She was a secretary and homemaker and was a member of St. Luke United Methodist Church.

In addition to her husband and mother, Mrs. Murphy is survived by her daughters: Ashli Johnson (John), Christi Williams (Jonathan), and Chanda Pye (Tim); brother: Rusty Prater (Deborah); sister: Kim Hunt (Jeremy), and six grandchildren: Will Henry, Tori Johnson, Grace and Eric Williams, and Tristan and Trevor Pye.

In addition to her father, Mrs. Murphy was preceded in death by two grandchildren: Michael Murphy Williams and Timothy Brian Williams.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM, Monday, January 18, 2016, at St. Luke United Methodist Church in Walhalla, SC.

The family will receive friends from 12:30-1:30 PM, prior to the service, at the church.

Flowers are accepted or memorials may be made to: St. Luke United Methodist Church, PO Box 339, Walhalla, SC 29691.

The family is at the residence.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy.*



January 18, 2016 at 07:57 AM



“ *Joyce Murphy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy*



Joyce Murphy - January 18, 2016 at 03:13 AM



“ *GBC Wisdom Seekers Sunday School Class, Prattville, AL purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy.*



GBC Wisdom Seekers Sunday School Class, Prattville, AL -
January 17, 2016 at 08:59 PM

JE

“ J.R. Earle lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy



J.R. Earle - January 17, 2016 at 06:06 PM

RC

“ Rose Kilgore and Ken Chiavone purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy.



Rose Kilgore and Ken Chiavone - January 17, 2016 at 04:11 PM

BS

“ I AM SO SORRY TO READ THIS. LOVE TO ALL OF YOU. PLEASE TELL GRACE I AM THINKING OF HER. BETTY SHEALY SALUDA, SC GOD BLESS YOU ALL.

BETTY SHEALY - January 16, 2016 at 09:20 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy.



January 16, 2016 at 05:19 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy.*



January 16, 2016 at 03:59 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with your family.*

Debbie Ward - January 16, 2016 at 03:45 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy.*



January 16, 2016 at 02:57 PM



“ *Sherry's dad and my mom were twins (Rev James Milton Prater and Iona Mildred Prater Grandy). Growing up, my favorite thing to do was to spend a couple of weeks each summer with Sherry. Each night we did devotions, made fudge and popcorn. We went to the movies, played on the trampoline and sometimes baby sat for Kim, Sherry's sister. At night we would get in bed have long girl talks and tickle each other's back to 100. I went on vacations with the family several times. I have so many memories of all the fun we had. She was always funny, sweet and kind and boy could she cook and make the best biscuits. I will never forget you, Sherry.*

Colette Watson - January 16, 2016 at 02:02 PM

RA

“ Rod, Katherine, & Kristy Albertson lit a candle
in memory of Mrs. Sherry Prater Murphy



Rod, Katherine, & Kristy Albertson - January 16, 2016 at 11:48 AM

TB

May the wind comfort you in this time of transition, listen CLOSELY and you will hear Sherry's soft spoken words; and remember, she is always near.

Three heavens:

1: AIR

2: STARS

3: UNSPOKEN GLORY

"She's just wandering around waiting on her family, tunneling 'you' through to the second gate." HALLELUJAH AMEN

Tina Richey Bogan - January 16, 2016 at 01:09 PM