



## Linda Whitehead Haywood

August 29, 1948 - April 10, 2021

Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch

Linda Whitehead Haywood, 72, of Olive Branch, MS passed away Saturday, April 10, 2021. A memorial service will be held on Friday, April 16, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Memphis. (200 East Parkway North, Memphis, TN 38112) Linda will be interred at Southern Palms Memorial Gardens in North Myrtle Beach, SC at a later date.

Linda was born on August 29, 1948 in Norfolk, VA and was a resident of Silvercreek Senior Living in Olive Branch. Linda was a member of First Baptist Church of Memphis and she enjoyed spending time with her family.

Linda is survived by her husband of 52 years, Ken Haywood of Olive Branch; daughter, Shelby Haywood of Olive Branch; son, Chris (Kelley) Haywood of Charlotte, NC; grandchildren, Emily and Wyatt Haywood of Olive Branch, Jack, Alex and Todd Haywood of Charlotte, NC; sister, Suzanne (Jeff) Levere of Yarrow Point, WA; nieces, Kerrick King of Fallbrook, CA, Julie Moretz of Lexington, NC, Jane Hall of Trinity, NC, Natalie Schweikert of Denton, NC and nephew, Justin White of Southern Pines, NC.

Linda Haywood was preceded in death by her parents, Emily and Claiborne Whitehead and sister, Patricia Ann Fleming.

In lieu of traditional flowers, memorials can be made in memory of Linda Whitehead Haywood to First Baptist Church of Memphis (General Fund) at [www.fbcmemphis.org](http://www.fbcmemphis.org).

Online condolences may be left on her Tribute Wall at [www.colemanfuneralhome.com](http://www.colemanfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

APR **16**. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Memphis  
200 East Parkway North  
Memphis, TN 38112

# Tribute Wall



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Linda Whitehead Haywood.*



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April 14, 2021 at 09:43 PM



“ *It is hard to forget someone who gave us so much to remember.! We will always cherish your friendship and sweet smile. Sadden by our loss, but rejoicing that you are now home with our Savior and no longer suffering. Sending our condolences, love, and hugs, Debbie & Butch Cline*

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**Deborah L. Cline** - April 13, 2021 at 10:10 AM



“ *Will always miss seeing ms. Haywood at Wyatt and Emilys birthday parties and her kind and kindred spirit*

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**Jack Codemo** - April 13, 2021 at 01:25 AM

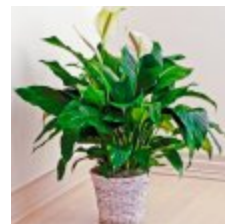
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“ I feel so blessed that Mrs. Haywood moved to Olive Branch. It was so wonderful to have a local mom that I knew I could count on. Heck, I could count on Mr. and Mrs. Haywood for anything. Some of my fond memories include them coming over on Christmas Day and sharing dessert with us when the kids were small. And when our kids were small, there was always one birthday party or another, and I always knew that I could count on seeing Mrs. Haywood there. When Shelby first went to the hospital, I remember her call telling me to come right over, and I did. I watched her fantastic mothering as she advocated for Shelby to get the best possible care, and I watched a mother's sweet love as she gently stroked Shelby's hair and whispered to her. Our family is blessed to have the Haywoods in our lives, and now we are mourning the loss of dearest Mrs. Haywood. She will always hold such a special place in our hearts, and she will never be forgotten. We find comfort now in knowing that she is in The Lords arms resting after such a long fight. We love you, Mrs. Haywood.

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**Matt and Jenny Codemo** - April 13, 2021 at 12:43 AM



“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Linda Whitehead Haywood.



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April 12, 2021 at 10:14 PM

DK

“ She was such a beautiful woman and I enjoyed working with her.

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**Diane King** - April 12, 2021 at 06:51 PM

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“ Linda and I spent many afternoons with our girls and Ms Mease - classes, rehearsals, trips to the Mosque in downtown Richmond. We were neighbors for a number of years in Olde Coach Village. I'm sorry to hear of her passing, and I send my prayers and hugs to the family. I know she will be missed.

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**Candy Rogers Young** - April 12, 2021 at 06:44 PM

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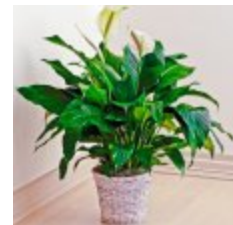
“ Will always remember Linda fondly. We worked together in the training dept. at JCPenney Telemarketing. With her beautiful smile, those cute dimples and great sense of humor, she made our workdays together special and fun. Prayers and warm thoughts to all the family she loved so much.

*Margaret Vincent*

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**Margaret Vincent** - April 12, 2021 at 06:15 PM



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April 12, 2021 at 05:29 PM

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“ Sending big hugs to the Haywood family. She was a wonderful person and special to all who knew her. Our hearts ache, but we rejoice that she is no longer suffering. Love to all!  
*Phillip, Lisa, Lissa, and Brandon Brown*

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**Lusa Brown** - April 12, 2021 at 02:54 PM