



Melanie Jean Matthews

June 27, 1956 - March 22, 2022

Melanie Jean Canipe Matthews, 65, of Hiddenite passed away March 22, 2022, at her home after an extended illness. Melanie was born in Catawba County on June 27, 1956, to the late Joseph Canipe and Geraldine Misenhiner Canipe. She worked as a textile worker and was of the Baptist Faith.

Melanie was preceded in death by her husband Donald “Doc” Matthews, one sister Debbie Teague, one brother-in-law Kenneth Teague, and one brother Jeffery Canipe.

Survivors include one son Joseph Carroll Matthews and Tracey Edwards, one daughter Amber Nicole Matthews and Wayne Roberts, one sister-in-law, Mary Chapman. Four grandchildren Aaron Tyler Matthews, Alexis Lutz, and husband Andrew, Gabriella Rowe, and Daphney Harris, one great-grandchild Kyler Lutz, She had numerous nieces and nephews.

Arrangements are unavailable.

Chapman Funeral Home is serving the Matthews family.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Melanie was such a sweet lady in the few conversations we had. We were both going through things and prayed for each other. She is my friend and I miss her. Praying for comfort for her family and friends*

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“ *Melanie Jean Matthews*

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“ *My best friend in high school. I remember trips we took to the beach. Volleyball tournament trips with the YMCA, learning to sew gloves at Newton Glove Mill, double dates and sharing the ups and downs of teenage life. Her brother Jeff married my cousin. Though life struggles , heartaches and raising our families caused us to lose touch: later in life: we were so lucky to find our way back to each other : a few years ago. Her daily morning and evening messages were something I looked forward to. I will miss them and her. Melanie was a kind sweet person. I was blessed to share her friendship. She will be greatly missed.*

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