



*Elizabeth Deanna Buff*

**March 12, 1988 - March 24, 2024**

Elizabeth Deanna Buff, 36, of Valdese, NC, passed away unexpectedly on Sunday, March 24, 2024.

Born in Burke County, NC on March 12, 1988, she was the daughter of the late Terry Ray Buff and Mary Lou Hollifield Buff.

Elizabeth was a member of Poarch Chapel Missionary Methodist Church. She loved the Lord, loved to sing, and was devoted to her family. She enjoyed going out to eat, shopping, and spending time with her sisters. She was a kind-hearted person who went out of her way to help others.

Elizabeth is survived by two sons, William and Christian Thomas; sisters, Selena Avery (Jimmy) and Michele Day (Jason); and a number of extended family.

Services for Elizabeth will be held at a later date.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



I miss you very much mom I wish you was in the world longer because I wanted to tell you how much I loved you I wish heaven had a phone number so I could call you and tell you I loved you but I'm glad you are with grampa and grandma.

—christian thomas

So sorry about Deanna. Praying for all the family to find comfort in the Lord

—Toni Reece



Deanna will be truly be missed n she was very beautiful n always had a beautiful smile on her face n so sorry for your loss Selena and husband Michele n husband n her children n rest of her family . Love, Victor Walker

—Victor Walker

Selena we are so sorry for the loss of your sister. May God give you peace. Love Shasta and Dalton

—Shasta Buff Johnson



So sorry for your loss n she will be truly be missed n she always had a smile on her face. Deanna is always watching



always had a smile on her face. Deanna is always watching over her family and friends and just look she will be always be there as cardinal, sunshine, rainbow, rain, angel wings in the sky, Bee or a butterfly that comes to visit.

—Anthony Walker



My precious little sister Deanna. What a sweet loving soul you were. Always loved with your whole heart. You absolutely meant the world to me. I don't know how to go on without you. I'm just praying for the Lord to help me and Michele in the days ahead. I trust Him and I know He knew it was best to take you home. I know the heartache you felt on this earth and I'm so glad you feel that no longer. Jesus take care of my little sister until I see her again. I love you always baby doll, Selena.

—Selena Avery



—April



Deanna was a doll of a child at the Church of God in Morganton. I would always turn around to see her jumping and rolling around close to her mother and family on the back pews of the right hand side from the back of the church. She loved to cut up some back there and she had the sweetest smile. I would look back and she would see me and smile, then she would smile so big every time that she saw me. I thought she was the cutest baby and toddler

with her dark hair and big dark eyes . May she rest in peace . I am praying for this family. Lord they have been through a lot In this family , but you never fail us and you'll always be with us your word states. I pray you wrap these two sisters tightly and help them, and their sister Deanna's children during the days ahead . I pray that they all will cling to you and serve you until you return . We know there is hope in you lord . Father God be with them and help them daily. I pray lord that you'll fill them with your loving spirit daily, and give them peace lord . God is Love Isiah 41:10

–Crystal Stamey Frye



I'm so sorry for your guys loss,if anything we an do let us know it's been rough these last couple yrs,i was shocked when i herd the news, she loved her family unconditionally ,she was funny an always made you laugh.she was a good person,she loved her boys An gave everything her all,she will truly be missed!rp Deanna!

–debbiefowler



We are so sorry.She was very sweet.praying for you all.Jerry and Gerie

–Gerie west



Rest in peace Deanna Love you. I'm sure you're having a wonderful reunion time with your Moma and Daddy.

–Angel Branton



–Anonymous



I'm so sorry for the loss of a woman who fought many battles. She was always smiling when I've seen her out.. I went to school with her since Mull Elementary. I pray hard for the family going through this heartache.

–Samantha Freeman



Prayers for comfort. I love you all!

–Wilma Branch



Deanna you were a beautiful soul in and out. I loved the times we got to spend together throught the years. You would help anyone out you was kind hearted. You will be missed deanna R.I.P.

–Kimmy Dellinger



–Cody brown

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Deanna was a sweet young lady. She always wore a beautiful smile. She will be missed by many. May the Lord give you sisters and her boys sweet peace and rest comfort. Remember the good times. Love you all.

–Connie Smith (Susie)



Deanna was a wonderful person an a great friend we have talked so many times I can't believe your gone but now I have another Gaurdian angel looking over me your life was cut way to short I know how much u loved Jesus an how much u loved an helped everyone sending my condolences to your family and friends

–Myranda Trivette



No words that I write here can do enough to sooth the hearts that ache or relieve any of the pain that absence brings. Deanna smiled with her whole face. She loved with her whole heart & she left a void that can never be filled. May God part the clouds of sorrow with the radiance of His love. 2 Thessalonians 3:16 Lee

–Lee Traxler

My heart is breaking for your families..I am so sorry for your loss..I know it hurts...and all I can promise is that Our Great and Mighty God will not leave you comfortless..He will comfort you and I pray for peace.....li loved Deanna from the moment I met her...she was a very sweet sister in Christ and she will be greatly missed. Please know my thoughts are with you...I have all my sisters but live lost a lot of my brothers n my sweet Mother...and my husband ...I feel your pain...selens and Michelle....The fact of knowing we will see her again is a comfort... but it still hurts...I LOVE YOU All..

–clair childers



My precious baby sis. I will never get over losing you. You were my best friend and I will miss you forever. I love you and thank God for you. You had the biggest heart of anyone I've ever know. I love you and will miss you being with me and Selena. We applied you rotten and you always told us that. You were our little princess and I will miss you sis. I pray I see you again will Jesus calls me home. I love you!

–Michele Day



She was a a very sweet lady n always had a smile on her face n she will be truly be missed! So sorry for the loss of Deanna Buff n praying for her sisters Selena and Michele n her family.

–Tammy Walker

Deanna baby you left to soon. How I have prayed for you over the years and prayed for you to find the peace of God that passes all understanding. You may be gone but you will never be forgotten. I will miss our text and phone calls and all the times you made me laugh. I will miss your smile when you would see me at church because you would know how happy I was that you were there. I believe you were even proud of yourself for making it there. I hate you searched all these years for something and couldn't find it. I can only pray you have now my sweet girl.

–Debi Barker



Tyler and I share in your grief today. Praying healing for the journey.



–Pamela and Tyler Parsons

–Shannon Gragg



I will miss you so much. I love you and will see you again.

–Jessica DuBois



She was such a a sweet person. I'm so sorry for your loss.  
Continued prayers for her family.

–Belinda Cowick



Always so kind enjoyed when she would sing at church

–Faith Maloney



She was a sweet woman and also one of my good friends.  
She will be missed

–Ashley Trumble



Deanna was my niece I remember all the good times we had together my heart is  
broke I loved her so much fly high baby girl tell your mom I will see you all one  
day

—Zella causby