



## Reva Lynne McDonald

October 11, 1959 - April 21, 2023

Reva "Lynne" McDonald, age 63, of Sharpsburg, passed away on Friday, April 21, 2023. She was born in Frankfurt, Germany on October 11, 1959, to the late Frank Slaughter, Jr. and Marjorie Ann Kelley Slaughter. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by her first husband, Gary Ballard.

Lynne was a dedicated member of New Heights Baptist Church where she was a secretary and also played the piano, prior to working for the church; for over 20 years she dedicated her days to at-home daycare taking care of so many children she loved. In her personal time, she was happiest anytime she spent together with her precious grandchildren, cooking, decorating, and going to lunch. (especially at The Fried Tomato Buffet)

She is survived by her loving husband, Darrell McDonald; children, Tara Ballard (Rob Lines), Lindsay Gartner (Michael), and Jaried McDonald (Amanda); grandchildren, Ryan, Andrew, Matthew, Conner, Brady, Elliana, Logan, and Jaried Jr.; sister, Teresa Norris (Ros); niece, Abby; nephew, Trevor-John; and the entire bonus McDonald family

The Funeral will be held at New Heights Baptist Church on Wednesday, April 26, 2023, at 2:00 PM with Pastor Jimmy Evans officiating. A memorial slide show will be played while guests are seated. Interment will immediately follow

at New Heights Baptist Church Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to March of Dimes in Lynne's name.

Condolences may be expressed at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com)  
McKoon Funeral Home and Crematory 770-253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## New Heights Baptist Church Cemetery

Hwy 154  
Sharpsburg, GA 30265

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

APR **26**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

New Heights Baptist Church  
2063 Highway 154  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Reva Lynne McDonald*



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**McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory** - April 28, 2023 at 11:06 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Reva Lynne McDonald.*



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April 26, 2023 at 11:20 AM



“ *Rhonda prayers for the Family love you*

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**Christine Martin** - April 25, 2023 at 08:15 PM

MA

“ Lynn was one of the sweetest and kindest people; I had the opportunity for she and I to play the piano together at my house one day and we both just thought it was great! She told me how she continued to teach herself to play and how much she loved playing for her Church family at New Heights! They were so Blessed to have her there. Many people can play the piano for Church but none with a sweeter Spirit for her Lord 🙏

Maryjayne - April 25, 2023 at 11:04 AM

JM

“ Tara & family,  
So very sorry for your loss. May your memories be of comfort in the days ahead. Hugs & prayers.

Judy McCallum - April 24, 2023 at 09:04 PM

FF

“ Tara and family are in my thoughts and prayers. May God comfort you during this difficult time.



Francis McGlenn Futral - April 24, 2023 at 02:42 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Reva Lynne McDonald.



April 24, 2023 at 02:10 PM

BM

“ *Beth Ellen Moore lit a candle in memory of Reva Lynne McDonald*



Beth Ellen Moore - April 24, 2023 at 01:57 PM

BM

*Love to you and your family, Tara.*

Beth Ellen Moore - April 24, 2023 at 01:59 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Reva Lynne McDonald.*



April 24, 2023 at 01:48 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Reva Lynne McDonald.*



April 24, 2023 at 01:46 PM

PS

“ *So very sorry for you loss.*

Peter & Jean Skrmetti - April 24, 2023 at 01:42 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Reva Lynne McDonald.* ”



April 24, 2023 at 09:59 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Reva Lynne McDonald.* ”



April 24, 2023 at 09:56 AM



“ *Kim Adams lit a candle in memory of Reva Lynne McDonald* ”



**Kim Adams** - April 24, 2023 at 09:42 AM



“ *Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers* ”



**Judy Rudbeck** - April 24, 2023 at 09:39 AM