



## Melinda Lee Gibbons

October 2, 1942 - March 14, 2026

Bluefield, WV – Melinda Lee Gibbons 83 of Bluefield, WV and formerly of Baltimore, MD died Saturday March 14, 2026 at Mercer Healthcare Center. Melinda was born October 2, 1942 in Baltimore, MD a daughter of the late Clarence W. Macken and Ruth Lactic Bouck. She lived a life devoted to her faith in The Lord Jesus Christ, literature and work. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her step son Stephen Gibbons; a brother Jon Bouck; and sister Lisa Broun.

Melinda was known for her kindness, gentleness and she was an avid reader. Throughout her life she enjoyed music, horses, volunteering at her church and studying the Bible. Moreover, her love for acting lead her to join The Spotlighter's Theatre in Baltimore, MD.

She is survived by her loving husband of 49 years Cecil (Gibby) Gibbons, Jr.; a daughter Sheri Davis (Son-In-Law Stewart Davis; grandchildren Ellen and Matthew; a great-granddaughter Isla. She is also survived by her step daughter Carole Gibbons; a sister Marsha McComas; and a brother Jeff Bouck.

Melinda donated her body to the WV School of Osteopathic Medicine in Lewisburg, WV

A private service will be held at a later date to memorialize her Christian life. Those wishing to share memories or condolence messages with the family may do so by visiting [www.MercerFuneralHome.com](http://www.MercerFuneralHome.com)

Mercer Funeral Home & Crematory is serving the family of Melinda Gibbons.



# Tribute Wall

PD

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Pamela Davis - March 18 at 11:22 AM

PD

“ It was always a pleasure to see Melinda and Gibby during family gatherings in Maryland and later on in Florida. She was a lovely woman, never said an unkind word about anyone. She will certainly be missed by many. Love to Gibby and Sheri from Pum (Sheri's sister-in-law)

Pamela Davis - March 18 at 07:25 AM

JV

“ Mrs Gibbons was the sweetest soul you'd ever meet. It was a pleasure to care for her and to have known her. My thoughts and prayers are with her husband and family.

Jessica VanDyke - March 17 at 06:00 AM

DF

“ Oh the memories...walking the halls of the WV Capital Building and visiting the legislators offices with her and Gibby. Always the lady. Always a smile. Always kind. So encouraging. And what a fine example of the Christian life. I will always remember her.

Donna Franks - March 16 at 10:55 PM

SD

“ *Melinda was a wonderful, loving mother to me. She easily shared her life experiences and I learned to be fiercely independent because of her guidance. Love you Mom! 🥰* ”

Sheri Davis - March 16 at 10:34 PM

BM

“ *Brenda Martin lit a candle in memory of Melinda Lee Gibbons* ”



Brenda Martin - March 16 at 10:20 PM

BW

“ *Brenda Martin, Mullens, WV lit a candle in memory of Melinda Lee Gibbons* ”



Brenda Martin, Mullens, WV - March 16 at 10:18 PM

SW

“ *My most favorite memories were her beautiful smile, her kissing my hand and always saying "I love you"! This lady will be missed by many. But I am grateful that she is now with her Lord and completely healed. This brings joy to my heart. I send my love and prayers to her many friends and family who loved her so much. May you finally rest in peace my friend. I was very blessed that God brought you and your family into my life.* ”

Sherry williams - March 16 at 09:38 PM

LS

“ Lisa Stewart lit a candle in memory of Melinda Lee Gibbons



Lisa Stewart - March 16 at 08:36 PM



“ G.L. Stewart lit a candle in memory of Melinda Lee Gibbons



G.L. Stewart - March 16 at 08:34 PM



“ Comfort & Sweetness Gift Crate was purchased for the family of Melinda Lee Gibbons.



March 16 at 07:47 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Melinda Lee Gibbons.

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