



Susan Melinda Henderson

September 2, 1943 - March 31, 2020

Melinda Henderson, 76 of Asheville, NC passed away peacefully on March 31, 2020 at Brooks-Howell Home. Melinda is survived by her loving husband Tom; her son, Greg (Adrienne) and her six grandchildren, Matthew, Rachel, Ryan, Christopher, Jack and Emery. She is preceded in death by her son Brian (Jocelyn).

Born in Peekskill, NY, Melinda grew up and lived her entire life in Asheville, NC. Tom and Melinda were married for 56 years and both are devout members of Central United Methodist Church. Melinda enjoyed volunteering at the Church each week and attending Sunday services. She also enjoyed working in their yard at home and tending to her garden and flower beds. An avid animal lover, she cared for many dogs and cats through the years which she loved dearly. Melinda retired from The Grove Park Inn in Asheville after 32 years of service.

In lieu of flowers, please make a charitable contribution to Central United Methodist Church in Asheville or to the Alzheimer's Association. Announcement of a service for friends and family will follow at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ *Susan Melinda Henderson*

October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM



“ *Tommy, Pam and I just learned of Melinda's passing, and are immensely saddened. She was a wonderful person and neighbor to all of us on Woodbury. Please know we will keep you and family in our hearts and prayers.*

Mike and Pam Holcombe

Mike Holcombe - April 19, 2020 at 08:19 PM



“ *What a wonderful "friend's mother" was Mrs Henderson to so many of us - friends of Brian growing up in Asheville and frequently welcomed and hosted at The Henderson House in Beaverdam and prior off of Merrimon Avenue. She supported and looked after us from elementary school through high school. She inspired and cheered us on whether it be on the baseball field or soccer field, as well as in school. My mother and father always liked running into her at the GPI where she and my mom worked. The picture certainly captures her friendliness, spirit, unique smile, and beauty that I will always remember.*

Sending peace and strength to the family.

---David Sprague

David Sprague - April 10, 2020 at 05:57 PM

GC

“ Tom, I am very sorry to hear of Melanie's passing. My condolences to you and your family . Garry L Cole

Garry Cole - April 05, 2020 at 05:07 AM

JV

“ Joyce VanRyn-Haltorf lit a candle in memory of Susan Melinda Henderson



Joyce VanRyn-Haltorf - April 03, 2020 at 02:40 PM

DF

“ Diane Freeman lit a candle in memory of Susan Melinda Henderson



Diane Freeman - April 03, 2020 at 01:26 PM

DM

“ Dear Tommy and family,
Melinda was a big part of our exercise family at Training Partners. She was such a happy person and was always ready to cheer you up if you needed it. I know your hearts are broken right now. Please know that so many are saddened by her passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Donna Mann

Donna Mann - April 03, 2020 at 10:14 AM

TG

“ Tom, I was so sad to hear about Susan. She was so sweet & kind and always asked about Trevor. She was so easy to talk too. It was such an honor to know her for 18 years. You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Tamara xo



Tamara G. - April 03, 2020 at 12:31 AM