



## Vickie Sue McDaniel Neal

September 1, 1952 - April 11, 2021

MOCKSVILLE - Vickie Sue McDaniel Neal, age 68, passed away peacefully on Sunday, April 11, 2021, surrounded by her loved ones. She was born September 1, 1952 to the late William Henderson McDaniel, Jr. and Doris Whitaker McDaniel in Mocksville, where she lived most of her life. She was preceded in death by her parents; and her nephew, Philip Short. She is survived by her sister, Doris Short (Frank); her daughter, Heather Froelich (Ryan); three grandsons, Parker, Aidan and Evan Froelich; her niece, Whitney Hamrick (Stephen); a great-niece, Nora Jeanne Hamrick; and her beloved partner and best friend for the past 20 years, Sherman Arnold.

Vickie began her career as a hairdresser at the young age of 17, owning a business in Mocksville up until the time of her passing and her clients were on her mind until her journey ended. If you were her client, you know that you mattered. It is likely that everyone in Heaven has a new favorite hairdresser because she never was ready to step away from her passion.

In addition to being a hairdresser, Vickie held many titles she cherished, including Mother, Mother-in-Law, Sister, Aunt, and Friend. Without question, her favorite of these was "Nana." She would have moved the sun, moon, and stars for all those that she loved, and, at times, she did just that. While we all celebrate that she is feeling a long-deserved and well-earned rest and much peace, her absence leaves a void that will never be filled, for she was truly one-of-a-kind and anyone who ever met her knew it instantly.

A celebration of her life will be held Saturday, April 17, at 12 p.m. at Eaton Funeral Chapel in Mocksville, with Mr. Chuck Taylor officiating. The family will receive visitors during the hour prior. Social distancing protocols will be followed.

Vickie adored caring for her rescue dogs over the years and made donations to the Humane Society of Davie County as often as she could. The family is asking in lieu of flowers that we continue this tradition by honoring Vickie with a donation of pet food, pet toys, or a financial contribution in her name. Donations can be dropped off at or mailed to the Humane Society of Davie County located at 1469 North Main Street, Mocksville, NC 27028 or may be brought to the celebration of life service and the family will have them delivered on your behalf. Online condolences may be made at <http://www.eatonfuneralservice.com>.



# Events

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**APR**   **Memorial Service**   12:00PM

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Eaton Funeral Chapel

325 N Main St, Mocksville, NC, US, 27028

# Comments

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“ A tribute video has been added.



**Forbis & Dick Funeral Service** - April 16 at 04:59 PM



“ Beautiful, she was a beautiful lady.

**Mary Richardson** - April 24 at 12:36 PM

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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Vickie Sue McDaniel Neal.



April 16 at 07:21 PM

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“ 41 files added to the album LifeTributes



**Forbis & Dick Funeral Service** - April 16 at 04:04 PM



“ What a beautiful tribute to Vickie who is so loved.

**Tracie Neal** - April 17 at 12:07 PM

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“ My deepest sympathy to Vickie's family. I miss her smile and laughter very much. Such a good person. She was my hairdresser for 30+ years, was always willing to work with my schedule to get an appointment for me. Even when she felt bad, she would still be working.



**Kathy Whittaker** - April 14 at 10:25 PM

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“ Donna Stroud lit a candle in memory of Vickie Sue McDaniel Neal



**Donna Stroud** - April 14 at 04:06 PM

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“ Tom and I are sorry for all who knew and loved Vickie. Hopefully all those memories she shared during her journey here on earth will bring comfort for the days ahead. Kindest regards, Tom and Ann Stayer



**ann stayer** - April 14 at 03:00 PM

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“ I always enjoyed talking to Vickie when she came to the daycare when Aidan and Evan were there in Pre-K. She was so proud of all three of her boys. You all are in my thoughts and prayers. Heaven just gained a wonderful person and a great hair stylist. Vickie, rest in peace. Your journey is finished.



**Linda Drye** - April 14 at 11:24 AM

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“ Lisa Parks lit a candle in memory of Vickie Sue McDaniel Neal



**Lisa Parks** - April 14 at 11:08 AM

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“ Our prayers are with the family



**Larry and Gail Draughn** - April 13 at 10:31 PM

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“ Karen Kimrey lit a candle in memory of Vickie Sue McDaniel Neal



**Karen Kimrey** - April 13 at 08:53 PM

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“ Prayers for the family at this horrible time!



**Brenda Wyatt Hawks** - April 13 at 08:23 PM

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“ Annette Steele lit a candle in memory of Vickie Sue McDaniel Neal



**Annette Steele** - April 13 at 07:02 PM

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“ Peggu Dillon lit a candle in memory of Vickie Sue McDaniel Neal



**Peggu Dillon** - April 13 at 02:48 PM

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“ When we both got our drivers licenses Daddy brought home a 1965 Mustang 3-speed. We loved that car. But one day Vickie decided that the traffic on Bob Wilson Hill (Hwy. 158) was going too slow behind a school bus. She decided to pass 15 cars and the bus. Meeting an oncoming car, she slammed on the brakes and flipped the Mustang on its top. She and her passenger came out fine, even without seat belts back then. Daddy was very patient with her multiple incidents. One time he had just gotten a dent fixed in one of his cars that she had driven. When she got in the car and backed it down the driveway she hit his other car. He said "damn", she cried, so he apologized. She always had him wrapped around her little finger.

**Doris Short** - April 13 at 01:37 PM



“ That's so funny! I was always envious of the fact she could drive to the beach in her snazzy Mustang. Such a nice person

**Pam Penninger McDaniel** - April 13 at 06:08 PM



“ Vickie was my mother's hairdresser and mine. We adored her.

My condolences to her family and friends. Helen Ball Smith

**Helen Ball Smith** - April 16 at 08:52 AM



“ Great lady

**Kathy Hutchens** - April 16 at 02:10 PM



“ I'm so sad to hear of the passing of Vickie. I have so many fond memories with her and her parents. My heart goes out to Doris and Vickie's daughter and grandchildren. By the way, I was the passenger in that overturned Mustang on Bob Wilson Hill.

**Berni Gaither** - April 16 at 05:42 PM



“ Prayers for comfort for all the family! Love Carolyn Moore

**Carolyn Moore** - April 18 at 12:39 PM