

J. Yvonne Lester

July 12, 1941 - March 7, 2021

North Augusta, SC – Graveside Services for Mrs. J. Yvonne Lester, 79, who entered into rest March 7, 2021, will be conducted Thursday morning at 11 o'clock in West View Cemetery with Pastor Bill Branch officiating. The family will receive friends at the graveside following the service. Those attending are required to wear a mask and social distancing will be practiced. The service will be streamed live on the Posey Funeral Directors Facebook page.

Mrs. Lester was a native of Augusta, GA, having made North Augusta, SC her home for the past 50 years. She was a dedicated member of Bath Pentecostal Holiness Church and was a true Christian woman who had a servant's heart.

Mrs. Lester loved everyone and never met an enemy. She was full of integrity, a dedicated and dependable worker, having retired from two careers, as the general manager with the Embassy Towers Hotel and as an operator at Kimberly-Clark. Mrs. Lester will be fondly remembered for her selfless, genuine love and devotion to her family. She was preceded in death by her husband, Theo Leon "Ted" Lester and a sister, Myrtle O'shields.

Survivors include a daughter, Rhonda R. (Todd) Blackwell, North Augusta, SC; a son, R. Travis (Joy) Lester, Aiken, SC; two brothers, James (Joyce) Odell, North Augusta, SC, William Don Spinks, Jacksonville, FL; two sisters, Shelia Renee (Felipe) Spinks, North Augusta, SC, Gloria Deborah Mammoli, Prato, Italy; five grandchildren, Sydney Oglesby, Evan Lester, Preston Gillespie, Karli Stokes, Hailey Blackwell; a great-grandchild, Bryer Jackson Elwell; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Billy Spinks, Tarus O'Shields, Benjamin Boots, Colt Parker, Chandler Parker and Travis Lester.

Memorials may be made to Bath Pentecostal Holiness Church, 3755 Jefferson Davis Highway, Graniteville, SC 29829

Posey Funeral Directors of North Augusta in charge of arrangements (803-278-1181). Visit the registry at [www. POSEYCARES.com](http://www.POSEYCARES.com)

Cemetery Details

Westview Cemetery

2051 Division Street
Augusta, GA 30904

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAR 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Westview Cemetery
2051 Division Street
Augusta, GA 30904

Visitation following service

MAR 11 (ET)

Westview Cemetery
2051 Division Street
Augusta, GA 30904

Tribute Wall



“ Posey Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of J. Yvonne Lester




Posey Funeral Directors - March 09, 2021 at 12:33 PM

RB


To my most precious and dearly loved mother words could not express the honor and gratitude I have for you my sweet mother you have been GODS most treasured gift to me upon this Earth there are no words to describe how lovely pure and kind your heart was toward me and your family your great love will live in our hearts forever you truly are a vessel in which the Lord used to extend love to all who had the honor to encounter you I know that God our Father truly blessed this family with the gift of such a sweet precious Pure Heart as you I am overwhelmed with they thought of never again on this side of Heaven feeling that most beautiful unconditional love and seeing you're most beautiful smile but I will hold it in the treasure box until I see you again, mother it has truly been an honor and privilege to have you as mother I rejoice in knowing that you heard the great Shepherd and you followed no doubts you have heard the words Thy good and faithful servant, and that precious one you truly were not just to me but to your entire family and those who had the privilege of knowing you, you will be tremendously missed but I know that you are happy in the king's presence and now rejoicing with your mother and your father and your lifelong best friend and sister ,my Aunt Myrtle , you were the beautiful tree with many branches of love extended to all, I love you so much my sweet precious mother I will rejoice in knowing that I will see you again with deep deep love and gratitude your Rhonda

Rhonda Blackwell - March 10, 2021 at 08:05 AM



“  SB lit a candle in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



 SB - September 04, 2025 at 11:58 PM




“ Aunt Bon, remembering you on your birthday and thinking how blessed we are that you were such an important part of our lives. We know you watch over us and are so very thankful. We love you and miss you very much!



 SB - July 12, 2025 at 08:10 AM



“ We Love you and miss you aunt Bon!  We have comfort in knowing you are with Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.



 SB - May 11, 2025 at 12:36 AM



“ J. Yvonne Lester

October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ Aunt Bon we are remembering you today on your birthday and wanting you to know that you are always in our thoughts. We Love you Always. 💕

👉SB - July 12, 2023 at 09:18 PM



“ 💕SB sent a virtual gift in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



👉SB - July 12, 2023 at 09:15 PM



“ Aunt Bon We love you and miss you! You are in our thoughts and we have many great memories of times spent together 💕



👉Sboots - May 14, 2023 at 09:07 AM

SB

“ We Love you and miss you.



SB - December 07, 2022 at 01:24 AM



“ J. Yvonne Lester

September 24, 2022 at 12:12 PM

SB

We love you and miss you.

SB - December 07, 2022 at 01:22 AM



“ Sister's together in life and spirit 🤍🤍🤗🤗



💔 Miss you Both 🤗🤗🤗 - May 11, 2022 at 10:27 PM



“ 🤍 Rhonda&SB 🌷 Mother lit a candle in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



💔 Rhonda&SB 🌷 Mother - May 08, 2022 at 11:12 PM



“ 🤍 Rhonda&SB 🌷 Mother sent a virtual gift in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



💔 Rhonda&SB 🌷 Mother - May 08, 2022 at 11:11 PM



“ Rhonda&SB Mother sent a virtual gift in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



Rhonda&SB Mother - May 08, 2022 at 11:10 PM



“ Today and every day you are loved and missed. Thanks for being a wonderful mother and aunt!

Rhonda&SB Mother - May 08, 2022 at 11:10 PM



“ SB lit a candle in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



SB - March 07, 2022 at 12:50 PM



“ We Love you and miss you.

SB - March 07, 2022 at 12:48 PM



“ We love you and miss you aunt Bon.💖



💖SB - February 13, 2022 at 11:46 PM



“ 💖Sboots lit a candle in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



💖Sboots - January 05, 2022 at 11:01 PM



“ We Miss you aunt Bon💖🙏



💖Sboots - January 05, 2022 at 11:00 PM



“ Miss you Nana💖



Miss you 💖🙏🙏 - November 28, 2021 at 03:38 PM

M?

“ Miss you aunt Bon 💕👼



Miss you 💕👼👼 - November 28, 2021 at 03:37 PM

M?

“ We miss you and Love you. Please continue to watch over us. 💕



Miss you 💕 - September 12, 2021 at 04:03 AM



“ 💕 lit a candle in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



💕 - September 03, 2021 at 12:34 AM

MY

“ We miss you and will be happy to see you again someday in Heaven. Continue to watch over our family. 👼💕

Miss You 💕 - September 03, 2021 at 12:32 AM



“ Miss You Aunt Bon sent a virtual gift in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



Miss You Aunt Bon - July 29, 2021 at 12:54 PM



“ Stacey lit a candle in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



Stacey - July 18, 2021 at 09:54 PM



“ Stacey B. sent a virtual gift in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



Stacey B. - June 27, 2021 at 10:35 AM



“ Rhonda Blackwell lit a candle in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



Rhonda Blackwell - May 10, 2021 at 08:00 PM

RB

A most precious and Beautiful Jewel has left this Earth I love you so much I miss you tremendously my sweet beautiful mother it is just Mother's Day it's everyday I can't wait to see you again my precious mother

Rhonda Blackwell - May 10, 2021 at 08:05 PM

M?

“ A Mother's Love is never forgotten. 💕💕🌸



Miss you 💕💕 - May 10, 2021 at 12:11 AM



“ 🌸💕🦋 lit a candle in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



🌸💕🦋 - April 30, 2021 at 07:16 PM



“ Miss you nanny💕



💕 - April 03, 2021 at 12:21 AM



“ Miss you and thinking of you.💕🌷Stacey



🕊️🌷SB - April 03, 2021 at 12:18 AM



“ We miss you.All our Love.💕



Family SB🕊️ - March 22, 2021 at 10:44 PM



“ Peace And Comfort💕SB sent a virtual gift in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



Peace and Comfort💕SB - March 16, 2021 at 06:32 PM



“ You Will Be Missed💕SB lit a candle in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



You will be missed💕SB - March 16, 2021 at 06:23 PM

BB

“ I'll never forget the first time I met you. You were so proud Stacey had found someone and you said, "You're such a good looking man and you got all your teeth." You always have been the rock for your family and we will all miss you dearly. We know you will continue to look over us and share your love as you always have. Rest in peace, we love you!

Ben Boots - March 11, 2021 at 03:50 PM

S&

Aunt Bon always knew how to make us laugh.💕

Stacey O.Boots 💎💎 - March 12, 2021 at 11:13 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Graveside Service



Posey Funeral Directors - March 11, 2021 at 12:48 PM

CT

“ We loved Aunt Bon, she was such a sweet, loving lady and will be missed by many. Thinking of her family at this sad time.

Connie Teasley - March 10, 2021 at 10:13 PM



“ 3 files added to the album Life Tributes



Posey Funeral Directors - March 10, 2021 at 12:28 PM

JC

“ Dearest Rhonda & Sydney...
My heart is broken over the loss of "Miss"
Yvonne... She had such a wonderful, bubbly
personality which only she could have... How
fortunate I am to have known her and how
Blessed I am to have had her friendship through the years... My
thoughts and prayers continue for you & your family.. With love &
hugs, Janet Oglesby Canady



Janet Oglesby Canady - March 10, 2021 at 10:25 AM

TG

Rhonda, I know you are heart broken and will be for a time but knowing
Yvonne is now in her heavenly home with Jesus will be a comfort and
peace for you and her family in a while --Loved her much and she will
be so missed. Love you loads and prayers are ongoing

Trish Gunter - March 10, 2021 at 04:22 PM

JC

“ Janet Oglesby Canady lit a candle in memory
of J. Yvonne Lester



Janet Oglesby Canady - March 10, 2021 at 10:17 AM

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Janet Oglesby Canady - March 10, 2021 at 10:03 AM

RB

“ To my most beautiful precious mother words will never describe the honor and gratitude I feel for you, you truly were God sent for me and family and all who had the privilege to encounter such a pure loving heart you truly were a vessel of Honor for the Masters use No Doubt you have heard the words Thy good and faithful servant, your unconditional love for me will always encourage me in this life to love and be kind, my heart is overwhelmed with knowing that on this side of Heaven I will no longer look upon that beautiful smile and that loving pure Heart but I do rejoice in knowing that you are in the presence up the king and our rejoicing now with your mother and father and your lifelong best friend and sister my precious Aunt Myrtle, we will miss are strong tree with all the branches of love it's extended to her family and all until I see you again my sweet dear precious mother with deepest love honor and gratitude your Rhonda

Rhonda Blackwell - March 10, 2021 at 08:28 AM

AB


“ Austlin O'Shields I Will Miss You Aunt B♥ lit a candle in memory of J. Yvonne Lester



Austin O'Shields I will miss you aunt B♥ - March 10, 2021 at 02:19 AM

SB

“ My dearest aunt Bon, I will miss your warm kindred spirit and beautiful soul. You have always been the matriarch of our family dedicated to making sure our family was provided for you worked very hard to help support family. We all have looked to you as our family advisor, provider, leader by example, and friend. You were always there for us no matter what and I am so very thankful and appreciative for you being such a big part of my life. I feel Blessed for all the true love, care, support and comfort you have given me over the years. God truly broke the mold when he made you, it is so rare to find so many wonderful genuine qualities. I will miss you dearly my heart aches that you are gone. I know God has a plan and he will give our family strength and comfort to help us through this very difficult time. I know you are with my mom now, you two had such a strong bond. When I find myself struggling with the grief of missing my loved ones I will pray for comfort and peace in knowing you are with God and all our family members who have passed. I will rejoice in the Glory of our God and Savior and pray we will all be together again someday in his wonderful kingdom. I will think of you often and cherish all my very fond memories of you. I know you are watching over us with your beautiful smile and you will give us strength, peace and comfort. Thank you for always being a wonderful, loving aunt.

Sincerely,
Stacey Boots 

Stacey O. Boots - March 10, 2021 at 02:14 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of J. Yvonne Lester.



March 09, 2021 at 04:13 PM

DM

“ My Dear Sister Yvonne, My heart is broken. There is no need for words. God and you know my heart. I will grieve in silence. I Love you so Much. Give a big kiss to all of loved ones until we see each other again. Your sister. Deborah

Deborah Spinks Mammoli - March 09, 2021 at 03:24 PM

P&



Praying for your peace and comfort.SB 💎💎 - March 10, 2021 at 12:16 AM

S&

Aunt Debbie ,Alessio I am so deeply saddened by the passing of Renzo.I know the grief can be unbearable at times but I pray you will both stay strong and positive.I know our God and Savior has a plan for all his children to join him in his glorious kingdom and we just never know when he will call on us.Try to find some peace and comfort in knowing he is watching over you and he will always be cherished in your heart.I will cherish my happy memories of him .He was a very good man always very generous,caring, fun and loving.I will miss him.I Love you and will continue to pray for our family to stay Strong through these very difficult times.Sincerely, Stacey O.Boots 🍷🥰

Stacey O.Boots 💎💎 - March 10, 2021 at 03:17 AM

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Deborah Spinks Mammoli - March 09, 2021 at 03:24 PM

KF

“ *Kramer Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of J. Yvonne Lester.*



Kramer Family - March 09, 2021 at 02:25 PM