

# Charlotte Levens

1928 ~ 2024



Married September 4, 1955



Together Again

December 8, 2024

*In Loving Memory*  
CELEBRATING A LIFE

### Funeral Service

Stockham Family Funeral Home  
McPherson, Kansas  
Saturday, December 14, 2024, at 10:00 AM

### Officiating Clergy

Pastor John Pattison

### Special Music

Recordings: "My Happiness" by Connie Francis  
"In the Mood" by Glenn Miller  
Solo: "How Great Thou Art"  
Megan Eisenbarth, vocalist / Mary Funk, pianist

### Casket Bearers

Jason Regier ~ Randy Regier ~ AJ Scott

### Final Resting Place

Crestwood Memorial Park  
McPherson, Kansas

### Memorial Donations

Memorial donations can be made to First Baptist Church, McPherson Opera House, Cat House McPherson, or Gentiva Hospice, all in care of Stockham Family Funeral Home, 205 North Chestnut, McPherson, KS 67460.

### Appreciation

Charlotte's family wishes to express their sincere appreciation for all your prayers and kindness, evidenced in thought and deed, and for your presence at this service.

Stockham Family Funeral Home



*In Loving Memory*  
**Charlotte D. Levens**

August 26, 1928 - December 8, 2024



*A Celebration of Life  
Charlotte Levens*

*Memories*



Charlotte D. "Charlie" Levens, 96, passed away on Sunday, December 8, 2024, in Salina, KS. She was born August 26, 1928, in rural Galva, KS, the daughter of Willis F. and Ida Marie (Christensen) Scott. She attended Grasshopper Country School and graduated from Galva High School in 1946. Upon graduation, she worked at the McPherson Woolworth from 1947 to 1955.

Charlotte was united in marriage to U.S. Air Force Staff Sergeant Joseph D. Levens on September 4, 1955, in McPherson, KS. Joe was from Alabama and stationed at Schilling Air Force Base. They were living in Salina when he died on May 8, 1963. She moved with their two children, Joseph, Jr. and Rita, to McPherson where she worked at Sid Bacon Motors for two years before spending 26 years at the McPherson Sentinel. She retired in 1993 as Circulation Manager.

Charlotte was a member of the First Baptist Church in McPherson, acting as the historian of the Y.E.S. Sunday School Class. She was also formerly a member of the V.F.W. Post #2715 Ladies Auxiliary. She spent much of her retirement working on the history of the Grasshopper Country School as well as the genealogy of the Scott and Christensen families.

Survivors include son Joe Levens and wife Diane of Pittsburg, KS, daughter Rita Cooper and husband Mike Foster of Salina, KS, and two nieces, Jolene Hilty and Jazell Bersuch of McPherson, KS.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, brother & sister-in-law Aldon "Scottie" and Retha Scott, son-in-law Jim Cooper, three nieces and two nephews.

*I'm Free*

*Don't grieve for me,  
for now I'm free.  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took His hand when I heard Him call.  
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day.  
To laugh, to love, to work, or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way.  
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,  
then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss.  
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow.  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My life's been full, I savored much.  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief.  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your hearts and share with me.  
God wanted me now,  
He set me free!*