



## Rebecca Susan McClung

December 26, 1951 - August 28, 2012

Rebecca Susan McClung of Hillsville, Va., formerly of Huntington, W.Va. passed away August 23, 2012 at Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center in Winston-Salem, N.C. Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 28, 2012, at Henson Mortuary, Huntington, W.Va. with the Reverend Judy Fisher officiating. Interment will be at Ridgelawn Memorial Park, Huntington. The family will receive friends from 6 to 9 p.m. Monday, August 27, 2012 at Henson Mortuary. Becky was born December 26, 1951, in Huntington, W.Va., daughter of the late Harold Gorden and Louise Ekers McClung. She is survived by her sister Elizabeth "Libby" McClung of Huntington, her long time companion Werner Tobler of Hillsville, Va., several aunts, uncles, cousins, and many friends. Becky was in the 1968 graduating class of Barboursville High School. She continued her education at Marshall University, in Huntington, with a degree in French and Library Science, and at Radford College in Virginia, where she received a Master's degree in Education. Mademoiselle McClung retired from the Carroll County School System in 2002, having taught French at Carroll County High School for thirty years. She also served in the position of Assistant Treasurer for the Carroll County School Employees Federal Credit Union for seventeen years. Becky loved languages and was a proud alumna of Marshall University. She enjoyed her hobbies: making crafts and attending craft shows as part of the duo "Golden Needles-Seams Like Home", watching "Andy Griffith" and "I Love Lucy", working in her flowers, collecting Coca-Cola memorabilia, and watching the wildlife of Carroll County, especially the deer and hummingbirds. She appreciated all types of music, loved to laugh and sing, and had a wonderful sense of humor. Condolences may also be expressed to the family at [www.hensonmortuary.com](http://www.hensonmortuary.com).

# Comments

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“ I am not for certain if anyone in the family checks this anymore but I wanted to leave a note anyway. I had a dream that Mlle McClung was in. I went to check today to see if I could find out how she was doing. I was saddened when I saw that she had passed. I was her French student for three years at CCHS. We had a small class that stayed with her until French 5. We didn't even have books seeing as how it stopped at French 4. She was my favorite teacher. I remember she helped us make a quilt to enter in the foreign language festival. She was greatly loved. I am disappointed in myself that I never stopped by after graduation. I will always remember her fondly.

**Polly Simmons of Cana va** - February 19, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Becky and I attended high school and had a couple classes together. She was always a positive and happy girl. After high school I never saw her again, but remember her as a wonderful person. RIP Becky.

**Betty Fife Cashdollar** - April 26, 2013 at 10:25 PM

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“ I graduated with Rebecca in 68, had French class with her too. She was always a joy to be around. Praying for her family and friends. Gone too soon.

**Betty Cashdollar (Fife)** - September 05, 2012 at 06:12 PM

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**Bobbie Henley of Radford, VA** - September 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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**Carroll County Retired Teachers** - August 30, 2012 at 12:15 PM

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**Carroll County Retired Teachers of Hillsville, VA** - August 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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**Heather Hundley** - August 28, 2012 at 08:02 PM

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**Melissa Mullins** - August 28, 2012 at 11:52 AM

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**Samantha Richardson** - August 28, 2012 at 08:33 AM

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**Tilda Mullins** - August 27, 2012 at 10:14 PM

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**Tina Wilcox** - August 27, 2012 at 09:36 PM

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“ I remember when my sister and Rebecca used to go to school together. She was a wonderful person. My prayers are with you Libby. Syhe will certainly be missed.

**Ronald Wetherholt** - August 27, 2012 at 08:17 PM

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“ With deepest sympathy. we are so so sorry for your loss.

**Marilyn & David Howells** - August 27, 2012 at 07:56 PM

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**Mary Jane Espravnik** - August 27, 2012 at 07:12 PM

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With all our love, Libby,  
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**Hilbert Campbell** - August 27, 2012 at 04:02 PM

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**Debbie Clark** - August 27, 2012 at 03:56 PM

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**Judy Horton Lintecum** - August 27, 2012 at 03:44 PM

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**Travis Vass** - August 27, 2012 at 02:32 PM

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“ Thinking of you and your family and sending our deepest sympathy.

**Ruby Blankenship** - August 27, 2012 at 12:20 PM

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Jeff, Elaine, Ryan, and Lana Bower

Jeff Bower - August 27, 2012 at 11:52 AM

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Robert, Dorothy and Sharon Utz - August 27, 2012 at 10:54 AM

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**Dan Bower** - August 26, 2012 at 11:59 PM

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**Debra Nester** - August 26, 2012 at 11:18 PM

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**Linda Reynolds** - August 26, 2012 at 09:17 PM

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**Janet Robinson Dorsett** - August 26, 2012 at 09:07 PM

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**Ed, Trish, and Trevor Adams** - August 26, 2012 at 07:39 PM

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**Kathy McLain** - August 26, 2012 at 07:07 PM

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Libby,  
May God bless you with strength and peace at this very sad time. Becky is with your mom and dad, and they are all wrapping you with love.  
All our love and prayers to you and Werner. Bev and Bill

**Beverly & Howell McClung** - August 26, 2012 at 02:50 PM

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**Patty Ball** - August 26, 2012 at 09:12 AM

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