



SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY

February 9, 1938 - February 8, 2026

On Sunday, February 8, 2026, Sylvia W. Hackley departed this life to live eternally with her Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. Born to the late Sylvester Sr. and Viola V. Green, she was a native of Arlington, VA, and lived her latter years with her daughter, Wanda, and son-in-law, Vernon, in Glenn Dale, MD.

Her professional years consisted of office work, where her warm and friendly spirit gained her several longtime friends. As a faithful Christian, she served God in various ways for many years. Most notably, she was a member of "The Inspired Voices of Faith" gospel singing group, and she was also a gifted soloist.

Sylvia was the precious dearly-loved mother of the late Wesley Courtney, Gale Taylor (Earl), Theodore "Teddy" Hackley, Wanda Thompson (Vernon), Warren Hackley (Dana), and Art Hackley (Angel). She was also a beloved grandmother and great-grandmother. They, and a host of other relatives and friends, shall forever cherish her memory.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Pope Funeral Service Pope Event Center
4701 Lydell Road
Cheverly, MD 20781

Funeral Service

FEB 28. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Pope Funeral Service Pope Event Center
4701 Lydell Road
Cheverly, MD 20781

Repast

FEB 28. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Pope Place Center - Magnolia Repast Suite
4701 Lydell Road
Cheverly, MD 20781

Interment

MAR 2. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Washington National Cemetery
4101 Suitland Road
Suitland, MD 20746

Tribute Wall



“ Pope Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY



Pope Funeral Homes - February 28 at 10:48 AM

TG

“ Tyree & Amari Green purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.



Tyree & Amari Green - February 28 at 04:47 PM

JB

“ I met two lovely sisters in 1970 Sylvia and Audrey. We worked together at Lab Corp for many years. We traveled together along with another friend Cynthia Wade. Sylvia was a kind and loving friend. We remained friends many years until time drew us apart. She will always remain on my mind and in my heart. Much love to the two sisters.. Jacquelyn Roberson Bailey

Jacquelyn R Bailey - February 27 at 01:49 PM

FF

“ From the "HIS" Church Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.



From the "HIS" Church Family - February 27 at 01:05 PM

TN

“ Trenita Nowlin planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.

Trenita Nowlin - February 27 at 07:17 AM

TN

“ Trenita Nowlin purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.



Trenita Nowlin - February 27 at 07:17 AM

LD

“ To the family of Sylvia Hackely. I would like to give my sincere condolences , and to say that the family are in my prayers. May God continue to bless each of you.

Deaconess Linda Dabney

Linda Dabney - February 26 at 05:55 PM

PS

“ On behalf of the Stratton family we extend our deepest condolences to your family during the loss of your beloved loved one. We want you to know you are in our prayers and thoughts. We send our sincere love.

Pastor Theresa Stratton

Pastor Theresa Stratton - February 26 at 09:44 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.



February 25 at 02:15 PM

AM

“ *Adia McCray* purchased the *Arrive in Style* for the family of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.



Adia McCray - February 25 at 08:53 AM

TD

“ *The Allen family Brenda Sam & Donald* purchased the *Crystal Cross Bouquet* for the family of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.



The Allen family Brenda Sam & Donald - February 23 at 03:56 PM

EH

“ I met Sylvia when her medication was delivered to my house and I opened it, we both had the same insurance. When walked down to deliverer to her, I met the sweetest person in a long time. That how we became friends, she reminded me so much of my grandmother although she wasn't old enough. I truly felt she was related somewhere down the line (😍) but we couldn't fine that line. I will miss Sylvia 's phone calls to check on me and her smile. She truly was a friend to me but I know God wanted her to rest now so until we me again Sylvia Rest In Heavenly Peace. ❤️❤️🙏🙏

Evelyn Holly - February 21 at 06:26 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.



February 20 at 01:47 PM

TN

“ We are deeply saddened by the loss of our beloved aunt Sylvia. Family our hearts and prayers are with you during this time of sorrow. Though words cannot remove the pain, we pray you find comfort in knowing that God is close to the brokenhearted and that Sylvia now rests in His eternal care.

The Bible reminds us:

“The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.”

— Psalm 34:18

And also:

“Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.”

— Matthew 5:4

May God’s peace, which surpasses all understanding, surround you and strengthen you in the days ahead. Hold tight to the memories, the love shared, and the promise that this separation is only temporary.

*With love, prayers, and deepest sympathy,
Larry and Trenita Hackley Nowlin 🙏💙*

Trenita Hackley Nowlin - February 18 at 06:05 PM

Ulf
Hedberg

“ We are deeply saddened to learn of Sylvia Hackley's passing and extend our heartfelt sympathy to Teddy as well. During our time living at the Oakwood complex apartments in Alexandria, VA, we often visited Sylvia's home to bring Teddy along to MWADB's events throughout the 1990s. After relocating to Maryland, we continued to see Sylvia occasionally at MWADB's social gatherings, like coffee chats and picnics. Sylvia always showed tremendous kindness and dedication to Teddy's well-being, going out of her way to ensure he could participate and connect with his DeafBlind friends. We are truly grateful for everything she did for Teddy and her family. Our thoughts and deepest condolences are with Teddy and his siblings during this difficult time. Blaise & Ulf



Ulf Hedberg - February 16 at 07:31 PM

BF

“ Brenda Allen and family lit a candle in memory of SYLVIA HACKLEY



Brenda Allen and family - February 16 at 12:45 PM

JR

“ James R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.

James R. - February 16 at 11:09 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.

February 16 at 07:47 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of SYLVIA WINIFRED HACKLEY.



February 16 at 07:47 AM



“ Prayers of condolence to all the family Darlene Robinson and Family

Darlene Robinson - February 16 at 06:14 AM



“ Sylvia was a kind and loving person. She was always willing to help whenever she could. She loved our family and always cherished our times together. She always opened her heart and her home to all of us who could come. I love and miss you Sylvia. But, I'm assured that we will be together for an eternity in heaven. All praises to our Lord Jesus Christ for the great things HE has done! ❤️💕

Debbie Gail - February 10 at 08:13 PM