



## Anna Ruth Killen Helbert

December 11, 1940 - November 20, 2025

Anna Ruth Killen Helbert, age 84, of Richlands, VA, went to be with the Lord on Thursday, November 20, 2025, at her home. The Lord has been her refuge and ever-present help and source of strength in her life.

Anna was born on December 11, 1940, in Richlands, VA, and was the daughter of the late Ivory Killen and Pinkie Hess Killen. She attended Richlands High School but left before graduation because she got married and started a family. She later obtained her GED. After raising her family, at the age of 50, she enrolled in SVCC and received her degree. Anna worked as a caregiver in home health and her mission in life was to help people and be a blessing to others. She always quoted Psalm 129:8 to others "May the blessing of the Lord be upon you."

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sons, Daniel Helbert and David Helbert; brother, Ronnie Killen and his wife, Pam; son-in-law, Phillip Reynolds; and daughter-in-law, Pam Helbert.

She is survived by her:

Daughters:

Tamara Gayle Helbert of Richlands, VA

Sheree Annette Reynolds of Richlands, VA

Son:

Raymond Keith Helbert of Richlands, VA

Brother:

Franklin Killen and wife, Brenda of Richlands, VA

Grandchildren:

Greg Reynolds of Canandaigua, NY

Jennifer Reedy of Pounding Mill, VA

Karen Roland of Bristol, VA

Katy Elswick of Richlands, VA

Eli Helbert of Richlands, VA

Stefanie Coburn of Richlands, VA

Kayla Huffman of Richlands, VA

Great Grandchildren: Katelyn Reynolds, Amelia Reynolds, Emma Reedy, Piper Roland, Lexi Ward, Haley Coburn, Brayden Hurley, Henley Elswick, Madilynn Helbert; and a great great grandchild, Wyatt Ward due in February 2026.

Anna would want people to find comfort with her death through 1

Thessalonians 4:13-16:

“But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope.

For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him.

For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep.

For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first..

After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever. Therefore encourage one another with these words."

Funeral services for Anna Ruth Helbert will be conducted at 2:00 pm on Monday, November 24, 2025 at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, VA with Rev. Tex Sawyers officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens at Claypool Hill, Virginia. Relatives and friends will serve as pallbearers. The visitation will be from 1-2 pm on Monday afternoon at the funeral home. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia, is in charge of arrangements. Those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy  
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **24**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home  
1401 2nd Street  
Richlands, VA 24641  
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

## Funeral Service

NOV **24**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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1401 2nd Street  
Richlands, VA 24641  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Anna Ruth Killen Helbert



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - December 01, 2025 at 09:19 AM

AM

“ Anita McGlothlin-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Anna Helbert



Anita McGlothlin-Gibson - December 02, 2025 at 01:00 PM

RB

“ 2 files added to the album Anna Ruth



Rochelle Branton - November 29, 2025 at 11:54 AM

RB

“ 2 files added to the album Anna Ruth



Rochelle Branton - November 29, 2025 at 11:51 AM

TM

“ Tom and Dot McGlothlin lit a candle in memory of Anna Helbert



Tom and Dot McGlothlin - November 27, 2025 at 08:01 AM

JS

“ I will always remember Anna for her love of the Lord and a hunger for the spirit of God.



Juanita Sawyers - November 24, 2025 at 12:26 PM

SR

“ Sheri Rasnake lit a candle in memory of Anna Helbert



Sheri Rasnake - November 22, 2025 at 07:51 PM

LT

“ *Lisa tiller lit a candle in memory of Anna Helbert*



Lisa tiller - November 22, 2025 at 07:15 PM

CB

“ *God be with you all, your momma was always so sweet to me and I know she is with our Lord in life everlasting.*



Cassandra Bell-Alexander - November 22, 2025 at 01:08 PM

AM

“ *Anita McGlothlin-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Anna Helbert*



Anita McGlothlin-Gibson - November 22, 2025 at 12:17 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Anna Helbert*



TonyanEdgar Wicks - November 22, 2025 at 10:39 AM

JV

“ *Sheree, I am so sorry to read of your Mother’s passing. My deepest condolences to you and your family. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers.* ”



**Judy P VanDyke** - November 22, 2025 at 10:07 AM

DD

“ *Condolances and prayers for all the family and friends.* ”

**Delores Barbour ( Dee)** - November 22, 2025 at 09:19 AM

Many Men lose their Queen Bee messing around with these so-called Butterflies that were really Flying Cockroaches. "let us spray"

“ *Joy Fields lit a candle in memory of Anna Helbert* ”



**Joy Fields** - November 22, 2025 at 09:13 AM

SP

“ *Sandra J Plaster lit a candle in memory of Anna Helbert* ”



**Sandra J Plaster** - November 22, 2025 at 08:59 AM

CP

“ *My sincere condolences. Prayers to sell the family.*



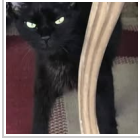
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**Carolyn Baldwin Pyles** - November 21, 2025 at 08:46 PM

CP

“ *My sincere condolences. Prayers for all the family.*



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**Carolyn Baldwin Pyles** - November 21, 2025 at 08:46 PM



“ *Davie Horton lit a candle in memory of Anna Helbert*



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**Davie Horton** - November 21, 2025 at 07:30 PM



“ *Love & Prayers*



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**Rebecca Street** - November 21, 2025 at 07:29 PM