

Linda first appeared on stage in Gainesville as the “Widow Paroo” in the 1985 Gainesville Parks & Recreation summer production of *The Music Man*. She delighted in sharing the stage with her daughter Laurie in several summer productions and has appeared in the Gainesville Theatre Alliance productions of *Quilters*, *A Trip to Bountiful*, and *The Music Man*.

She is a founding member of the Georgia Mountain Players, appearing in *Nunsense*, *Steel Magnolias*, *The Curious Savage*, and annually as “Vera” in *Smoke on the Mountain*. She has directed *The Foreigner*, the *Opal* series, and *The Odd Couple*.

She thanks Almighty God for the blessings He gives daily; her husband David, and daughters Laurie and Jennifer for their constant love and support; all of the *Players* who are more like family than friends; and you, our patrons, who are more friends than patrons. God Bless All of You!

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