



## Annie "Ruth" Sloan Newton

April 25, 1934 - October 5, 2020

Annie Ruth Parris Sloan Newton, 86, of Greer, went home to be with her Lord and Savior on October 5, 2020.

A native of Greenville County, she was the daughter of the late Raymond O. and Virginia Tucker Parris. She is the widow of Ansel Sloan whom she was married 39 years and her late husband, Rev. Kenneth Newton. She retired from Springs Industries and Walmart. She loved her church and was a long time member of Praise Cathedral Church of God.

Surviving are her adopted daughter and caregiver, Alice Wade Garretson of the home; daughter, Sandra Haun (Milton) of Taylors; grandson, Jay Ross (Katie) of Greer; granddaughter, Melissa Scruggs (Billy) of Fountain Inn; two great-grandchildren, Margaret Alice and Isaac Scruggs; one brother, James Parris (Steve) of Flowery Branch, GA and two sisters, Eloise Barton (Glen) of Lyman and Vickie Cooper (Gary) of Tryon, NC.

Mrs. Newton was preceded in death by one brother, Buddy Parris and one sister, Doris Wilson.

Funeral services will be held 3:00 p.m. Thursday, October 8, 2020 at Praise Cathedral Church of God, conducted by Pastor Jerry Madden and Ken Howard. Burial will be at Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

Pallbearers will be Jay Ross, Ron Blackwell, Shane Brown, Lance Barton, Michael Doster and Brandon Benton.

Visitation will be held 1:30-2:45 p.m. Thursday at the church.

The families are at their respective homes.

The family would like to thank Spartanburg Hospice, Mildred Wade, Angela Doster and Amanda DeYoung for all their love and caregiving.

Memorials may be made to Praise Cathedral Church of God, Children's Church, P.O. Box 287, Greer, SC 29652 or Kingdom Minded People, 257 Wansley Road, Taylors, SC 29687.

Online condolences may be made at [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Hillcrest Memory Gardens

14050 East Wade Hampton Boulevard  
Greer, SC 29651

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 8. 1:30 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Praise Cathedral  
3390 Brushy Creek Road  
Greer, SC 29650

## Service

OCT 8. 3:00 PM (ET)

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3390 Brushy Creek Road  
Greer, SC 29650

# Tribute Wall

DD

“ Ms Ruth was a sweet and kind lady. She will be missed. She was beautiful inside and out. May she Rest In Peace in God’s loving care. Prayers for all of the family.



Denna Dunning - October 12, 2020 at 08:25 AM

BC

“ My mother grew up Sara (Ross) Clay has shared that she and Annie "Ruth" were best friends growing up on Cannon Road. She has shared many delightful stories about her good friend Annie Ruth. Mom sends her condolences, and feels very lucky to have survived COVID-19.

Beth Clay

Beth Clay - October 09, 2020 at 11:41 AM

CM

“ I'm sorry in your lost. I worked with ruth at walmart and i remember her being a very sweet lady . was very blessed to known her . my prayers go out to the family. while the blessing for haven is here.



cheryl manginella - October 09, 2020 at 09:32 AM

GJ

“ I truly enjoyed Ms Ruths beautiful smile and sweet spirit as she greeted people at Walmart. She was special 🤔🌹 Sorry for your loss 😞

Gerrie Jefferson - October 08, 2020 at 05:28 PM



“ *I worked at Walmart with Ruth. She was the nicest, sweetest lady. She always gave me a hug and prayed with me. She will be missed. Prayers for her family.*



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**Sherry Gwinn** - October 07, 2020 at 10:58 PM

JR

“ *Sandy Haun  
Prayers for peace comfort for you and your Family  
May you cherish your love and memories of your Mom  
May Each of you feel Jesus  
Love  
Jevia-Lyn Robinson  
Greenville SC*

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**Jevia-Lyn Robinson** - October 07, 2020 at 10:08 PM

JJ

“ *Joy James lit a candle in memory of Annie  
"Ruth" Sloan Newton*



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**Joy James** - October 07, 2020 at 12:01 PM

JW

“ *Dear Eloise and Glen, praying for you during this time. Annie Ruth was such a nice, sweet lady. I love you both. Judy*

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**Judy Walker** - October 07, 2020 at 11:23 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Annie "Ruth" Sloan Newton.*



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October 06, 2020 at 09:07 PM



“ *SWEET and BEAUTIFUL , my precious friend RUTH ! Will miss her so much ! But I know where she is , and I am going to see her some day ! GOD BLESS her family and Alice !!!!*

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**Annette Cox** - October 06, 2020 at 02:17 PM



“ *Lots of prayers to the family*

*Don and Nancy RHoletter*

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**Don and N Rholetter** - October 06, 2020 at 01:24 PM



“ *Thoughts and prayers for the family at this time of your great loss.*



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**Judy Albert** - October 06, 2020 at 01:00 PM