



## Betty Sudduth Sowell

June 15, 1930 - January 15, 2016

Betty Jane Sudduth Sowell, 85, widow of Rufus Eugene Sowell, died January 15, 2016 at The Cottages at Brushy Creek.

A native of Greenville County, daughter of the late Fred and Elsie Campbell Sudduth, she was a retired teacher and a member of Pleasant Hill Baptist Church. Mrs. Sowell was a member of Pilot International, United Daughters of the Confederacy and The North Greenville Alumni Association.

Surviving are one brother, Grady Sudduth (Kelly Ann) of Greer; a sister, Nettie Overton of Greer; two nephews, Harold Sudduth (Denise) of Greer and Michael Sudduth (Deanna) of Greer; a niece, Hilda McJunkin (Jerry) of Greer; and Nicki Dunn and Natalie Wallace who she loved as her own.

Mrs. Sowell was predeceased by one brother, Samuel Sudduth.

Funeral services will be held 3:00 p.m. Monday at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. Terry Greene and Dr. Randy Bradley. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Visitation will be held 1:00-2:45 p.m. Monday at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church. The family is at the home of her sister, Nettie Overton.

Memorials may be made to Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, 4899 Jordan Road, Greer, SC 29651 or Greer Community Ministries, P.O. Box 1373, Greer, SC 29652.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Pleasant Hill Baptist Church Cemetery

4899 Jordan Road  
Greer, SC 29651

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 18. 1:00 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church  
4899 Jordan Road  
Greer, SC 29651

## Service

JAN 18. 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

BH

“ *Betty was a teacher at Westminster High School beginning in 1954 and was such a wonderful person. Although she taught Home economics , she was also a good freind to all the students Boys and Girls alike. She use to give me goodie that the class had baked and enjoyed the fellowship we all had back in the 50's. God bless you Betty and you will be turly remembered.*

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**Bill Hilley** - January 19, 2016 at 10:16 AM

GM

“ *A beautiful service to honor a beautiful lady. A tribute to a life well lived. I'll never forget her and I know her memory will continue to guide many along life's path. Peace and comfort for the family is my prayer.*



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**Gail Morgan** - January 19, 2016 at 09:09 AM

RB

“ *so sorry to hear about mrs betty sudduth sowell she was one of my favorite teacher .we were learning to cook in her class she came to my house to get some pumpkin once. rest in piece mrs sudduth sowell you will be missed love ruby cobb barry*

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**ruby barry** - January 18, 2016 at 11:48 PM

CH

“ Betty will be missed by so many family and friends. God Bless her family.

*Charles, Chuck and Dawne Howard Landrum, SC*

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**Chuck Howard** - January 18, 2016 at 07:29 AM

CW

“ One of my best memories of Ms. Betty was when she & I traveled on a Greyhound bus full of other women to Longaberger Co. in Dresden OH. We had such fun. Shopping, eating and lots of oooohh's & ahhh's. She was a Godly Women who spoke her mind on the Right Way to live & pray. Thank you very much Ms. Betty for taking me in hand & guiding me thru the years. I will miss you my Wonderful Friend!

*Connie*

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**Connie Ward** - January 17, 2016 at 04:59 PM

BC

“ Ms. Betty was my Home Economics teacher back in the early '60's at Westminster High School, Westminster, SC. I learned so much from those classes. I loved and had great respect for her. She was a dear friend to my family. Rest in peace, sweet lady.

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**brenda Farmer Chalmers** - January 16, 2016 at 08:00 PM

WS

“ A dear friend and neighbor. Lane and I loved sharing meals and conversations with Betty and the many friends who loved being in her company. She leaves us with only fond memories.

*Elaine and Henry Stewart*

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**William H.T. Stewart** - January 16, 2016 at 07:07 PM

PL

“ I'm so sorry to hear about Betty's passing. She was my Home Economics teacher at Westminster High School and our class sponsor all through high school. I have a lot of good memories of learning to cook and sew in her classes.

*Pat Bryan Layer.*

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**Pat Bryan Layer** - January 16, 2016 at 05:31 PM

SF

“ I am so sorry to hear of Miss Sudduth's death. That is what we called her in Her home ec' and sewing classes. She was a sweet lady who taught us all how to set a proper table, serve a gracious dinner and sew a straight seam. I could do the dinner, but still can't sew a straight seam. Our class of 1956 will miss her. Sincere prayers and sympathy to the family. Sally Friedlander.

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**Sally Friedlanderr** - January 16, 2016 at 05:05 PM

MH

One of my favorite teachers. I learned so much from her. I did learn to sew a straight seam but some how didn't get the cooking piece. She taught me, a little country girl, poise, how to be gracious and so much more. Loved her very much. A sweet person and so proud to have known her. Rest in peace. Martha (McGuffin) Hall.

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**Martha Hall** - January 17, 2016 at 03:33 PM

KF

“ We love Miss Betty; she will be missed very much. She was a Godly example to our children. Love and prayers to all the family. Kevin and Pam Forrester

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**Kevin and Pam Forrester** - January 16, 2016 at 01:38 PM