



Rev. Bobby G. Waddell

January 6, 1935 - December 13, 2018

Rev. Bobby Gene Waddell, 83, formerly of Greer, husband of Ramona Potter Waddell, passed away December 13, 2018.

A native of Spartanburg County, he was born on Epiphany Day, January 6, 1935 to the late James P. Waddell, Jr. and Maude Greene Waddell. He was a graduate of Pfeiffer University with a Bachelor of Arts Degree and earned a Master's Degree from the Candler School of Theology at Emory University. Reverend Waddell served churches for forty-one years in South Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church. Churches he served were in Olar, South Carolina, Few's Chapel in Greer, Midland Park in North Charleston, Mt. Zion and Lawrence Chapel in Central, Wesley Church in Hartsville, Trinity in Greenville, Manning UMC in Manning, Grace in Union, and Beauford Street in Gaffney.

He served on many boards and many agencies including Trustee of the Methodist Oaks in Orangeburg, South Carolina and Trustee of the Methodist Center in Columbia, South Carolina. He was also a member of Lions International with years of perfect attendance.

Since his retirement in the year 2000, he was actively involved with Covenant United Methodist Church.

Bob will be remembered by many for his sense of humor and his warm smile. He believed in beautifying the earth, so he planted trees and flowers wherever he lived, making the world a better place-better than he found it.

Survivors in addition to his wife are three daughters, Cindy Waddell of

Greenwood, Susan Waddell Bynum of Seneca and Anita Waddell Brown of Seneca; one son, Bryan Waddell of Taylors; one brother, Jimmy Waddell of Greer and five grandchildren, Brittany and Jesse Bynum both of Seneca, Joshua Gallman of Seneca, and Emily and Kate Waddell both of Taylors. He was also predeceased by one brother, Milton P. Waddell and two sisters, Blanche W. Ford and Juanita W. Byars.

A service of Death and Resurrection will be held 2:00 p.m. Monday, December 17, 2018 at The Wood Mortuary Chapel, conducted by Rev. Linda Guthrie and Rev. George Riser. Interment will follow in Wood Memorial Park.

Visitation will be held 12:30 until 1:45 p.m. Monday at the mortuary prior to the service.

The family is at their respective homes.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice & Palliative Care of the Piedmont, 408 W. Alexander Avenue, Greenwood, SC 29646, or S.C. United Methodist Foundation, 2900 Millwood Avenue, Columbia, SC 29205, or Lions International, Dept. 4544, Carol Stream, IL 60122, or Parkinson's Research, Emory School of Medicine, Emory University 1400, 762 Clifton Road, Atlanta, GA 30322.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Wood Memorial Park

863 Gap Creek Road
Duncan, SC 29334

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 17. 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Service

DEC 17. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

HP

“ *Hospice & Palliative Care of the Piedmont wishes to extend its condolence to the family of Bobby Waddell. Hospice considered it a priviledge to care for Mr. Waddell during his illness.*

Hospice & Palliative Care of the Piedmon - January 01, 2019 at 09:56 AM

LV

“ *To the Waddell Family,*

my sincerest sympathy on your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to you.

Respectfully,

Laurie Varenhorst

Laurie Varenhorst - December 19, 2018 at 08:13 AM

MH

“ *What a wonderful man. He and all of you made such a difference in all our lives. We still call him by Joanna's name for him, farmer in the dell. She was so little when you all were at Trinity. I am so glad I knew him.*

Mike Hawley - December 16, 2018 at 08:53 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rev. Bobby G. Waddell.*



December 16, 2018 at 08:39 PM

ME

“ *Mary Alice Edmonds purchased the Pretty Pleas
e for the family of Rev. Bobby G. Waddell.*



Mary Alice Edmonds - December 16, 2018 at 04:15 PM

TM

“ *"Prayers and Sympathy in your loss.
Trudy B. Matthews, Leesville SC"*

Trudy Matthews - December 16, 2018 at 10:57 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Rev. Bobby G. Waddell.*



December 16, 2018 at 09:10 AM

ND

“ *Susan and Al and Family, It is with our sincere sympathy we pray
for our Lord's comfort for you at this time of loss. May the Lord bless
you with His love and strength through each day as you miss your
dad.*

Nancy and Truette Dobson

Nancy Dobson - December 16, 2018 at 08:34 AM

ND

“ Nancy Dobson lit a candle in memory of Rev. Bobby G. Waddell



Nancy Dobson - December 16, 2018 at 08:30 AM

PF

“ Mona & Family,
You have my deepest sympathy for your loss! I valued Bob's
friendship & council while you were with us in Manning.
Paul Floyd

Paul Floyd - December 15, 2018 at 10:47 AM

HB

“ Mona,
Condolences to you and your family. Glenna and my friendship
started with you and Bob when we both lived in Hartsville. I always
enjoyed hearing Bob's jokes and listening to your Georgia accent.
My best to you and your family.
Harry Bryant

Harry Bryant - December 15, 2018 at 09:13 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for
the family of Rev. Bobby G. Waddell.



December 14, 2018 at 02:29 PM