



## Deanna Niemeyer

November 9, 1958 - May 4, 2025

Deanna Kaye Witham Niemeyer, 66, passed away May 4, 2025.

A native of Spokane, Washington, daughter of the late William Allen and Patricia Ann Hansen Witham, she was a homemaker, crochet queen, loved crocheting baby blankets for needy mothers, a member of Morningside Baptist Church, Greenville, South Carolina and was also involved in breeding AKC Golden Retrievers.

Surviving are her husband Terry Eugene Niemeyer of the home; four daughters, Rebekah McCartney (Shawn) Taylors, South Carolina, Naomi Graham (Bryan) of Santa Clarita, California, Anna Whitmore (Joe) of Taylors, South Carolina, and Elisabeth Rogers (Jeremy) of Dallas, Texas; a son, Paul Niemeyer (Imelda) of Barstow, California; a sister, Garyanne Witham of Vallejo, California; and ten grandchildren.

Mrs. Niemeyer was predeceased by a brother, James Witham and a sister, Audrey Witham.

A memorial service will be held 11:00 a.m. Saturday, May 24, 2025, at Morningside Baptist Church, Greenville, South Carolina conducted by Pastor Tony Miller and Rev. Paul Fields.

Visitation will be held 10:00-10:45 a.m. Saturday, May 24, 2025, at the church. A private burial will be held at M.J. Dolly Cooper Veterans Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Piedmont Women's Center, 1143 Grove Road, Greenville, South Carolina 29605.

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



# Cemetery Details

## M.J. "Dolly" Cooper Veterans Cemetery

140 Inway Drive  
Anderson, SC 29621

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 24. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Morningside Baptist Church  
1115 Pelham Road  
Greenville, SC

## Memorial Service

MAY 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Deanna was part of our Y family and she will be missed. May you all find peace and comfort knowing her body is healed and she is resting gently in the arms of our beloved Father in heaven. Cheryl Ruhe



cheryl ruhe - May 24, 2025 at 12:51 PM

LE

“ It's hard a woman such a kind and sweet loving person. She had five children and when I was in college would watch my four. We shared many dinners together, church and camping. She and Terry love the Lord.. Although we're crying we know that God's peace is still present.

Lynnette Eaton - May 21, 2025 at 12:52 AM

LE

“ Lynnette Eaton planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deanna Niemeyer.

Lynnette Eaton - May 21, 2025 at 12:46 AM

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“ Lynnette Eaton purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Deanna Niemeyer.



Lynnette Eaton - May 21, 2025 at 12:46 AM

FE

“ From Mallyn Eaton purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Deanna Niemeyer.



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**From Mallyn Eaton** - May 20, 2025 at 11:55 AM

MF

“ Deanna became a special sister friend. I visited with her when she was laid up with recovery from surgery. Later on, she began to have some problems with keeping her thoughts and how to express them. I encouraged her to keep coming to class, because we all would understand and have patience with her. Then Paul and I visited her in her home and we talked some. But it became harder for her to get around with the walker. But she always had a wonderful smile on her lips. My last visit was when Terry said that if we want to visit her we should come. I held her hand but I don't think she recognized my voice. We are praying for Terry and for all the children who have said their goodbye's until they meet again in heaven. I will see her again one day in God's presence. Marla Fields

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**Marla Fields** - May 18, 2025 at 08:52 AM

DR

“ Debra R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deanna Niemeyer.

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**Debra R.** - May 17, 2025 at 07:18 PM

CW

“ Charles&Jovita Wood planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deanna Niemeyer.

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**Charles&Jovita Wood** - May 17, 2025 at 06:48 PM

CW

“ Charles&Jovita Wood purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Deanna Niemeyer.



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**Charles&Jovita Wood** - May 17, 2025 at 06:48 PM

KA

“ My first memory of Deanna was when I called her about getting a golden retriever puppy. My goodness we talked for an hour. At the end of our conversation, she told me she's put on her list for a puppy around Oct the following year, because all her puppies were taken for the litter due in a few days. Long story short, she had a cancelation and called me. I was so happy. She gave me the honor of 3 pick in a litter of 12. If you knew what goes into having a litter of puppies, that's a BIG deal. She taught me a lot about goldens and puppies. A lot of work. We began talking and soon we began a closer friendship in Jesus. Deanna is the sweetest, kindness, giving soul, and I miss her terrible. I find comfort knowing she's in the hands of our love Lord.

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**Kathy** - May 14, 2025 at 11:18 PM

DR

*I can't remember the first time I met Deanna Niemeyer. It was 40 years ago at Calvary Baptist Church in Fairfield California. We became very close friends. We did a paper route together for a long time. I always went to her house when Terry had devotions with my kids, they went to the same private school, and I was heartbroken to see her Fairfield, but she prayed me out to Barstow encouraged me even after my divorce then when my daughter passed away, she took care of my dogs, and when she had breast cancer, I took care of her golden retrievers. She was there when I needed her the most, and I hope I was there when she needed me the most I will miss her a great deal whenever she had a problem or just wanted to talk I was always there and whenever I had a problem and I needed help she was always there the sweetest friend that stick us closer than a brother.*

Debra Ramey - May 17, 2025 at 07:14 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Deanna Niemeyer.



May 11, 2025 at 01:22 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Deanna Niemeyer.

May 11, 2025 at 01:22 PM

ZM

“ *Deanna was not only a remarkable grandmother but also an incredible mother, raising some of the finest individuals I have ever met. I feel truly blessed to be a part of such a wonderful family. With her tender love and care, Deanna always had an abundance of love to share with everyone who came into her life.*



*She greeted us with warmth and offered the best hugs, brightening everyone's spirits the moment she walked into a room. Deanna will be deeply missed and will forever hold a special place in our hearts.*

*Rest in peace, beautiful soul. Your love will continue forever throughout everyone you impacted.*

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**Zachary Martin** - May 07, 2025 at 07:50 AM

PM

“ *Deanna was such a sweet, kind, quiet soul. She was loved and will be missed. Praying for you all! Pamela Matthia*

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**Pamela Matthia** - May 06, 2025 at 02:46 PM