



## Dr. Joseph Adams Allen, Jr.

August 4, 1923 - December 27, 2009

Name: Joseph Adams Allen, Jr.

Dateline: Greenville

Joseph Adams Allen, Jr., 86, died December 27, 2009 at Richard M. Campbell Veteran's Nursing Home, Anderson, SC.

A native of Saluda, SC he was a son of the late Joseph Adams Allen, Sr. and Bernice Long Allen, a member of Fulton Presbyterian Church and a Doctor of Chiropractic. Dr. Allen was a US Army Air Corp Veteran, a Mason and was a graduate of Palmer College of Chiropractic.

Surviving are his wife, Betty Jan Hayes Allen, one daughter, Dixie A. Cooper (Trey) of Greer; four sons, William R. (Bill) Allen of Greenville, Dr. Joseph A. Allen of Greer, Wallace Dean Allen of Lexington, and Dr. Walter Scott Allen (Rachel) of Easley; a sister, Betty A. Thompson of Asheville, NC and 7 grandchildren.

Memorial services will be held 2 p.m. Thursday at the Wood Mortuary conducted by the Rev George Norris. Visitation will be Thursday from Noon until 2 p.m at the Mortuary.

The families are at their respective homes. Memorials may be made to Miracle Hill Ministries, P.O. Box 2546, Greenville, SC 29602 or Richard M. Campbell VA Nursing Home, 4605 Belton Hwy, Anderson, SC 29621.

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

# Previous Events

## Service

DEC 31. 2:00 PM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL

300 West Poinsett Street

Greer, SC 29650

(864) 877-3351

[woodmortuary@bellsouth.net](mailto:woodmortuary@bellsouth.net)

# Tribute Wall



“ I'm so sorry to hear that Doc has passed away. He will always hold a very special place in our hearts. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Love, Eleanor C. Bridwell, Marsha & Gracie Howell##imported-begin##Marsha Bridwell Howell & Eleanor C. Bridwell##imported-end##

---

January 06, 2010 at 09:19 AM



“ Dear Allen family,  
I am very sorry to hear of the recent death of your dear loved one. I send my deepest sympathy to the family.  
When the enemy death strikes, there are no words to describe the sadness, the pain, the grief that the family experiences. We may even feel as King David did when his son Absalom died.(2 Samuel 18:33)  
In the scriptures, death is clearly explained. The Bible not only reveals why we die, but also explains the condition of the dead and offers hope for our deceased loved ones. It also speaks of a time when "Death is swallowed up forever."  
Jesus was no stranger to death while he was on earth. He felt the grief of losing people around him. On one occasion, his friend Lazarus died. Jesus told his disciples that Lazarus was only sleeping. But his disciples did not understand. So finally Jesus told them that Lazarus had died. So Jesus likened death to sleep. Jesus made this analogy to show how easy it will be for him to raise people back from the dead.(John 11:11-44)(John 5:28-29)  
I can only imagine the pain that you are going through at this difficult time. It is my wish that these few words will bring the family comfort and hope for the future.

Sincerely,  
Sandra###imported-begin##Sandra###imported-end##

---

January 04, 2010 at 11:36 AM



“ We were sorry to hear of the "old" Doc's passing, but we shouldn't be sad that he has reached his heavenly reward. We are thankful to have known him. Dr. Joe, you and the rest of the family are in our prayers. Denny and Gail Morgan###imported-begin##Gail Morgan###imported-end##

---

January 03, 2010 at 09:29 PM



“ *Jan & Family,  
Letting you know you are in all of our thoughts and prayers. Dr.  
Allen was a blessing to so many of us and he will be truly missed.*

*All of our love,  
The Vaughn Family  
Martha, Dillard, Tim, Jeff, Ted, Cindy, Shawn, Summer, Michael,  
Teri, Alan, Barry, Carrie, Bryna, Bailey, Jonathan, Jessica and great  
grandchildren.##imported-begin##Martha Ann Vaughn##imported-  
end##*

---

January 03, 2010 at 02:58 PM



“ *So sorry I just heard of your loss.  
My thoughts and prayers are with the family##imported-  
begin##Jackie Waters Masters##imported-end##*

---

January 03, 2010 at 11:48 AM



“ *My prayers are for all the Allen family. from Dean's  
Clemson/Lexington/Brazilian missionary friend##imported-  
begin##David E. Davis##imported-end##*

---

January 03, 2010 at 12:05 AM



“ My deepest sympathy & love to the entire Allen family. I loved Dr. Joe very much & will miss him greatly. He was a great friend to my father, Dr. J. W. Jones, Jr. & our family as a whole. He was a wonderful chiropractor to so many during his career. As my family now is experiencing the loss of our youngest brother, our hearts are still in tune with your family's loss. Nathan loved Dr. Joe deeply and it was vice versa. Many prayers will continue to go out on your behalf asking for God to give you the grace you need during this time of grief. Dr. Joe is now enjoying the presence of the Lord & who would begrudge that...our loss is his gain. Bless you all.##imported-begin##Loretta Bell##imported-end##

---

January 02, 2010 at 01:47 PM



“ I was sorry to hear of your loss.##imported-begin##Marlene Kelly##imported-end##

---

December 30, 2009 at 11:10 AM



“ Our deepest sympathy to you all. Cousin Joe Allen was a friend, as well as family, to all of us. He was Godfather to my sister Mary Lynne Morgan Landrith and close friends with my late parents, Evelyn(Peggy) and James Boyce Morgan. He was a wonderful man and was well loved by all who knew him. Our prayers and love to all of you in this time of sorrow.  
Your cousin, Peggy Joyce Morgan##imported-begin##Morgan Peggy Joyce##imported-end##

---

December 29, 2009 at 05:13 PM



“ To Jan, Scott, and the Allen Family,  
My deepest sympathy to you and your families. Also, my love and prayers are with you and your whole family during this very difficult time. May you feel God's strength and comfort with you at this time. Love, Aurore Comire and family###imported-begin##Aurore Comire###imported-end##

---

December 29, 2009 at 02:53 PM



“ Dr. Joe and family,

Jeff and I are thinking of you at this sad time. So sorry to hear about your dad. He was a great man and always good to us as a doctor. I know you will miss him greatly. Peace be with you.

Susan###imported-begin##Susan Green###imported-end##

---

December 29, 2009 at 02:47 PM



“ I wish to convey my condolences to the family of Joe, especially Betty, his sister. We were all friends in Saluda SC in the 30's and Joe and I were classmates from the first grade and through Grammar school and that is when his family moved to Greenville. Most of the male students of that class are now gone; ie, the ones I still know about. I sincerely regret to see of his passing###imported-begin##Horace D. Padgett###imported-end##

---

December 29, 2009 at 02:30 PM



“ Dr. Joe, our thoughts & prayers are with you and your family.###imported-begin##Dave & Becky Knapp###imported-end##

---

December 29, 2009 at 11:04 AM



“ Dea, Lynn & I offer our deepest sympathy in the loss of your father. May God provide His comfort during this tough days. Love, Fred & Lynn###imported-begin##Fred Motley###imported-end##

---

December 29, 2009 at 09:50 AM



“ Mrs Allen, Bill and family  
I know the Lord will guide you and the family in his loving hands during this time. I think about you all and miss Simpsonville and the people that I love there and you all are among those. Love and prayers for each of you.###imported-begin##Sonya Hallman###imported-end##

---

December 29, 2009 at 09:31 AM



“ DR. ALLEN WAS A GREAT PERSON & DOCTOR. HE LOVED HIS FAMILY & FRIENDS. THE FAMILY WILL BE IN MY PRAYERS & THOUGHTS. MAY THE LORD BLESS EACH ONE OF HIS LOVED ONES AT THIS TIME. MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL.  
LESLIE BARRETT; RELIANCE, TN.###imported-begin##LESLIE BARRETT###imported-end##

---

December 29, 2009 at 01:51 AM



“ Dean,  
Please accept my sincere sympathy at the death of your father. Please know that John and I have been thinking and prayer for you and your family. May God bless you.  
Love, Ann###imported-begin##Ann Sessions###imported-end##

---

December 28, 2009 at 05:15 PM