



## Ethel Burrell

May 15, 1919 - September 1, 2016

Ethel Inez Hayes Burrell, 97, widow of Carroll Burrell, died September 1, 2016 at White Oak Manor.

A native of Spartanburg County, she was a daughter of the late Ernest Charles and Ella Mae Green Hayes, a retired employee of JP Stevens, Apalache Mill, and the oldest living member of Apalache Baptist Church. Surviving are a daughter, Gail Gowan of Inman; two sons, Gene Burrell (Beverly) of Lyman and Ricky Burrell (Grace) of Inman; two brothers, Franklin Hayes of Lyman and Ernest Hayes of Greer; six grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren.

She was also predeceased by a son, Dan Burrell, two grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held 3:00 p.m. Sunday, September 4, 2016 at Apalache Baptist Church. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

Honorary escort will be the Golden Hearts of Apalache Baptist Church.

Visitation will be held 6:00 until 8:00 p.m. Saturday, September 3, 2016 at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home of the daughter, Gail Gowan.

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

SEP 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

SEP 4. 3:00 PM (ET)

Apalache Baptist Church  
1915 Gap Creek Road  
Greer, SC 29651

# Tribute Wall

DB

“ So sorry for your loss, the family are in our prayers. Barbara, Dot, Junior and Doyle Littlefield.




**dot brown** - September 04, 2016 at 08:16 PM

JP

“ Ethel was truly a dear friend to me personally and to senior dining at GREER Community Ministries. She volunteered for many years in different positions. Sympathy to the family on the loss of a special lady.

**Judy Ponder** - September 03, 2016 at 08:27 PM

 Christopher Wilson

“ Gene & Family, So sorry to hear your Mother's passing your family will be in our thoughts and prayers today and in the days ahead, May God bless each of you! Craig, Sandra, Keishia & Chris Wilson



**Christopher Wilson** - September 03, 2016 at 07:33 PM

WD

“ To the famil of Ethel Burrell, sorry for your lose, Mildred and WT Duncan.

**William Duncan** - September 02, 2016 at 06:49 PM

LR

“ Dear Frank, Jr., and Family:  
Our heartfelt sympathy to you in the loss of dear sweet Ethel. I have not seen her in a long time but have fond memories seeing her when we visited at your Mom's and Dad's home when I was a little girl. Our visits were so fun with Hank and the both of you - my family always looked so forward to each visit. Those were good days - long gone. May God's grace give you peace and comfort during this sad time and may your many happy memories keep her close to your heart. May God bless each of you.  
With my love and prayers,  
Linda Coggins Roberts



Linda Coggins Roberts - September 02, 2016 at 05:43 PM

ST

“ Shelby Thomason lit a candle in memory of Ethel Burrell



Shelby Thomason - September 02, 2016 at 04:17 PM



“ C Renee Swangler sent a virtual gift in memory of Ethel Burrell



C Renee Swangler - September 02, 2016 at 02:28 PM

SR

“ Susan Rogers lit a candle in memory of Ethel Burrell



susan rogers - September 02, 2016 at 01:44 PM

PQ

“ Mrs. Ethel was a part of senior dining at Greer Community Ministries for many years She was a special friend to many and loved by all. One of her special times with us after she became unable to attend was for Frank and Charlene to bring her for her birthday party or to see Santa!! Senior Dining extends sincere sympathy to the family.  
Sending love and prayers. Patsy and all senior diners.

patsy quarles - September 02, 2016 at 11:18 AM

CL

“ Cindy Loftis lit a candle in memory of Ethel Burrell



Cindy Loftis - September 02, 2016 at 11:18 AM

DG

We hold special and precious memories of Ethel when we served as her pastor at Apalache. She loved the Lord and her church and was always faithful in her attendance and serving in the nursery. Our thoughts and prayers are extended to her family.  
Love, Henry and Georgia Johnson

Dr. Johnson & Georgia - September 02, 2016 at 08:26 PM