



## Helen Turner

September 19, 1932 - May 11, 2010

Heading: Helen Stokes Turner

Dateline: Greer

Helen Stokes Turner of Berry Mill Road, Greer, departed this life to spend eternity with her Savior on May 11, 2010.

Helen was born to Alvin and Pauline Mason Stokes on September 19, 1932, and graduated from Jordan High School in 1951. She was a lifelong member of Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church. She was a Worship Greeter and member of the Willing Workers Sunday School Class. As a young adult, she was a telephone operator for Southern Bell and later retired from State Auto Insurance Company.

An avid gardener, she loved working in her flowers and giving tomato plants that she pampered from seeds to anyone who stopped by. She was an inspiration to many. Some of her favorite times were family gatherings, visiting with friends and shut-ins.

Many people loved her dearly. William L. (Bill) Turner of Berry Mill Road, husband of 58 years; two daughters and sons-in-law, Phyllis and Sammy Campbell and Pam and Rob Hammock of Greer; two sons and daughters-in-law, Rick and Sheril Turner of Greer and Tim and Rhonda Turner of Landrum, survived her.

She dearly loved her seven grandchildren; Cacie Campbell Davenport and her husband, Eric, Kyle Hammock and his wife, Mandy, Lauryn Hammock, Tristan Turner all of Greer, also Brooke Turner, Blake Turner and Christina Nyberg of

Landrum. Her great-grandchildren Campbell, Carlin and Caroline Davenport, Gunnar Williams of Greer and Jaxson Turner of Landrum brought her great joy.

Also surviving are three very special sisters Carolyn Arms of Spartanburg, Jean Lynn of Greer, and Cheryl Perry of Victoria, Texas, as well as many nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Turner was predeceased by her parents; sister, Aldean Stokes Cantrell; and grandson, Chad Campbell.

The family will receive friends from 11:00 am until 12:30 pm before a 1:00 pm service at Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church on Friday, May 14, 2010.

Memorials may be made to Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church designated for Mt. Lebanon Bus Fund, 572 Mt. Lebanon Church Road, Greer, S.C. 29651.

The family is at the Turner home.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 14. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Mount Lebanon Baptist Church  
572 Mount Lebanon Church Road  
Greer, SC 29651

## Service

MAY 14. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ I am so sorry for your loss. I will always remember the love and kindness that Helen showed to me and my family as well as to so many others. Please know that my prayers are with each of you during this very difficult time.##imported-begin##Tammy Staton Thompson##imported-end##

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May 17, 2010 at 11:21 AM



“ Phyllis & Sammy & Family: Just a note to let you know that you are in our thoughts and prayers during this most difficult time. We're so sorry for the loss of your mother, Phyllis.....Bo sends you one of those big "bear" hugs and lots of love---Kathy & Bo Sullivan##imported-begin##Kathy Sullivan Center##imported-end##

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May 16, 2010 at 10:35 PM



“ I am so sorry to learn today of your Mother's passing. I have dreamed of her for several days, so I checked this site, hoping not to see her listed. I didn't think she would go so quickly, but am sure that God took her so she didn't have to suffer any more than she already had. She was a warm, lovely lady, who was always smiling. I loved her very much, as I do all of your family. I'm sorry I missed the service. My thought and prayers are with you all.  
Diane##imported-begin##Diane Pearson Dye##imported-end##

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May 16, 2010 at 11:53 AM



“ We are so sorry about Helen. We didn't know about her until yesterday and we are out of town.. She was really a sweet person and we loved her dearly. She will be greatly missed. Bill, you and all your precious family are in our thoughts and prayers. Please let us know if there is anything we can do. We will be back in town Tuesday. We love you.##imported-begin##Martin and Shirley Chandler##imported-end##

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May 15, 2010 at 10:12 PM



“ The Family,  
I am truly sorry for your loss, and what a loss it is. I am so sorry I was not able to come to the funeral but a stomach virus had me at home. All of you will be in my prayers as the days ahead will be most difficult. God bless and carry you.##imported-begin##Dot Mills##imported-end##

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May 14, 2010 at 08:35 PM



“ Helen will be missed by all who came in contact with her. I played Basketball with her my first yr at Jordan hi and remember how she encouraged me thru the years. She was an encourager to all she met.  
Azalee Jones##imported-begin##Azalee Jones ##imported-end##

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May 14, 2010 at 09:46 AM



“ Phyllis and family,  
I am thinking of you in this time of loss.  
My deepest sympathies,  
Meg##imported-begin##Meg Bowers Newhall##imported-end##

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May 13, 2010 at 01:29 PM



“ To the family of Helen, I was saddened to learn of her passing. I worked with Helen and Jean at State Auto. Helen was a very kind and loving christian lady and an inspiration to others. I am glad that I had the pleasure of knowing and working with her. May God comfort you at this sad time. I know that you will miss her greatly. With deepest sympathy. Shirley Benton.###imported-begin##Shirley Benton###imported-end##

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May 13, 2010 at 08:47 AM



“ Dear Phyllis,Pam,Rick & Tim: I was so sorry to hear about the passing of your mother. I remember Helen always with a big smile. I know what you are going through, cause I just lost my mom in Feb. Nothing can take the place of a mothers love. I will remember you and your famly during this difficult time. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Love, Shelia E. Penland, Franklin NC###imported-begin##Shelia E. Penland###imported-end##

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May 13, 2010 at 08:46 AM



“ To all of our family in Greer, please know we love you dearly. We will miss Aunt Helen very much, but we know she's with our Lord now. There's lots of family to greet her and I know she will be smiling when she sees them all. No words can take away the pain you feel, but please trust that God's plan is perfect. He will see you through.

Love

Dale and Libby

Johnson City, TN###imported-begin##Dale & Libby Arms###imported-end##

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May 12, 2010 at 08:00 PM



“ *I will always remember & treasure the memories that were made with Helen at State Auto. I feel blessed to have known her. May God cradle you in his arms and bring you the comfort & peace that only he can bring. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this time. Sheila Ann~##imported-begin##Sheila Ann Bomar Ross##imported-end##*

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May 12, 2010 at 02:28 PM