



## Mary Dempsey Allred

August 31, 1927 - February 14, 2016

Mary Dempsey Allred, 88, passed away on February 14, 2016.

Born in Spartanburg County, she was the daughter of the late Robert Lee and Ressie Cox Dempsey. She was a member of Aldersgate United Methodist Church where she was a member of the Christian Fellowship Sunday School Class and the Susanna Wesley Circle. Mrs. Allred was active for many years in the United Methodist Women and also served as a volunteer for Meals on Wheels for 35 years. She worked at Pacific Mills in Lyman and later became a homemaker. She will be fondly remembered for her bright smile, giving nature and kind personality. She and her late husband, Carl C. Allred, enjoyed traveling and they visited many destinations.

Surviving are her son, Richard Dale Allred (Sherri) of Greenville and five grandchildren, Lauren Allred, Matthew Allred, Bailee Allred, Jonathan Barber and Matthew Barber.

Mrs. Allred was predeceased by her loving husband, Carl C. Allred, twin sister, Martha "Mott" Blackwell and her sister, Willie Mae Frady.

Funeral services will be held 2:30 p.m. Thursday at Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 7 Shannon Drive, Greenville, SC 29615, conducted by Rev. Alex Stevenson. Burial will follow in Wood Memorial Park.

Honorary escort will be the Christian Fellowship Sunday School Class and the Susanna Wesley Circle.

The family will receive friends 1:00-2:20 p.m. Thursday prior to the service at the church.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 7 Shannon Drive, Greenville, SC 29615 or Meals on Wheels of Greenville, 15 Oregon St., Greenville, SC 29605.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Wood Memorial Park

863 Gap Creek Road  
Duncan, SC 29334

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 18. 1:00 PM - 2:20 PM (ET)

Aldersgate United Methodist Church  
7 Shannon Drive  
Greenville, SC 29615

## Service

FEB 18. 2:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

DJ

“ Dale and Sherri, We were very sorry to learn of your mother's death this week. We know this is a difficult time for you, but we are sure that you will find comfort in knowing that all of her suffering and trials are over. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Dave and Rita Johnson

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**Dave and Rita Johnson** - February 18, 2016 at 11:29 AM

AL

“ al & shawn Linthicum purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mary Dempsey Allred.



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**al & shawn Linthicum** - February 17, 2016 at 09:10 AM

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“ Dale, I'm sorry for your loss. I have fond memories of your mom's sweet smile that she always shared. I will be unable to attend her funeral on Thursday. Please know that Jean and I will be praying for you, Sherri, and the family.

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**Wally Harris** - February 16, 2016 at 08:53 PM

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“ Dale, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time of sadness.

We were very fond of both your parents and have many memories during the years we have known them. They were both great people.

*Bill & Gail Shirley*

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**Bill Shirley** - February 16, 2016 at 06:06 PM