



Ruby Wilson McCarter

August 22, 1921 - September 29, 2019

Ruby Wilson McCarter, 98, widow of J.W. "Cotton" McCarter, passed away September 29, 2019.

A native of Spartanburg County, she was a daughter of the late Tureen Newell and Irene Hawkins Wilson.

After marrying Cotton, they were able to travel the world and live in many places such as the Philippines, Hawaii, and several places across the United States. She attended Furman University and Draughn's Business School. After settling back in Greer, she became an active member of Fairview Baptist Church where she taught Sunday school for many years and enjoyed being involved with the library and the missions programs. Ruby worked at the Greenville County Courthouse until she retired and then volunteered with Greer Community Ministries for many years. Still driving at 97 years of age, her greatest pleasure was taking flowers to the "older" ladies in the church. She loved to shop, go on trips to the beach, play scrabble with friends, coordinate family celebrations, and she especially loved eating out at different restaurants. Ruby lived her life to the fullest based on her faith in God and love of family.

Surviving are her daughter, Marina Cobb (Alex) of Winterville, Georgia; granddaughter, Emily Harrison (Jason); grandson, Zachary Ford; two sisters, Mildred Farr and Velma Hayes; and many nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by one daughter, Sandra Gladys McCarter.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 1, 2019 at The

Wood Mortuary, conducted by Rev. Steve Evans, Dr. Eddie Leopard and Dr. Bob Atwell. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

Honorary escort will be the Caring Sunday School Class of Fairview Baptist Church.

Visitation will be held 12:30-1:45 p.m. Tuesday at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memory Gardens

14050 East Wade Hampton Boulevard
Greer, SC 29651

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 1. 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM (ET)

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

Service

OCT 1. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ We were saddened to hear of her passing. Her sister, Velma, is my Aunt by marriage through Leon Moss. Please know our prayers are with this family.

Cindy Lane - October 02, 2019 at 08:13 AM

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“ 1 file added to the album Memories



Linda Lowe - October 01, 2019 at 11:29 AM

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“ Linda Lowe lit a candle in memory of Ruby Wilson McCarter



Linda Lowe - October 01, 2019 at 10:49 AM

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“ Love, Linda & Henry Lowe purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ruby Wilson McCarter.



Love, Linda & Henry Lowe - October 01, 2019 at 10:48 AM

IC

“ Marina I was saddened to learn of your mother's death. I will have you, Zach and Emily and Jason in my thoughts and prayers. All that we love deeply becomes a part of us.

*Blessings
Iris*

Iris Campbell - September 30, 2019 at 07:55 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Ruby Wilson McCarter.



September 30, 2019 at 07:17 PM

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“ what a blessing to have known Mrs. Ruby. She will be greatly missed by many.

carole pearson - September 30, 2019 at 06:49 PM

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“ Marina and family,
We are very sorry for the loss of your mom. My dad was glad he got to visit her. We will be praying for you all in the days and weeks ahead. May God comfort you.
Allison Kellum, Rudy Ashmore, and family.

Allison Kellum - September 30, 2019 at 04:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ruby Wilson McCarter.*



September 30, 2019 at 04:28 PM



“ *Ruby was so active, she always had a smile on her face. She is as a good neighbor to my mother and sister .God bless her!*

Patricia Thackston - September 30, 2019 at 03:59 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Ruby Wilson McCarter.*



September 30, 2019 at 02:32 PM