



## Sally Bass Flippen

April 6, 1936 - January 11, 2009

Heading: Sally B. Flippen

Dateline: Greer

Sally Bass Flippen, 72, widow of Robert Raymond Flippen, died January 11, 2009 at her home.

A native of Earle, Arkansas, daughter of the late Clyde J. and Myrtle May Miller, she was a retired employee of Piedmont Living Center and of the Baptist faith.

Surviving are four daughters and sons-in-law, Mary Elizabeth Bradberry of Greer, Marquerite Jeanean Gibson of Columbia, Sherry and Don Pittman of Greer, and Melanie and Ben Varela of Columbia, Tennessee; a son, Aldophus Howard Waddell, Jr. of Rutherfordton, N.C.; several brothers and sisters; twelve grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and four step-children.

Mrs. Flippen was predeceased by a daughter, Martha Louise Burns and a son Melvin J. Waddell.

The family is at the home.

A memorial service will be held 11:00 a.m. Saturday at the Wood Mortuary. Memorials may be made to the Greer Kidney Center, 211 Village Drive, Greer, S.C. 29651.

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

# Previous Events

## Service

JAN 17. 11:00 AM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL

300 West Poinsett Street

Greer, SC 29650

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# Tribute Wall



“ I am so sorry for your loss! My prayers are with all of you!  
Hugs  
Linda###imported-begin##Linda Peek###imported-end##

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January 20, 2009 at 12:14 PM



“ Sherry & Family, I just wanted to let y'all know that y'all are in my prayers. I enjoyed getting to know you and Ms. Sally. I miss her so much. She was always nice and had a smiling face. I can't believe I can't walk over to her chair and rock her foot to check on her! She will be greatly miss!!! God Bless Y'all! Jenny###imported-begin##Jenny Nobles###imported-end##

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January 18, 2009 at 05:14 PM



“ Sherry and Family,

*I believe you know how much your mother meant to me. She was a special person with a light in her soul. As you know I have no family here is SC and she always just grabbed me every morning gave me a hug and kiss and I felt I had family. I just want you to know that after Christmas I asked Sally what she had gotten good and she told me she had everything she always wanted, family and friends. She also said the two material things she wanted at this time he had gotten her helicopter ride and her Emerald ring. Ms. Sally I will miss you every day and know you will watch over us all. Sherry I love you and hope you will come see us often. We will put you to work. May god and Sally watch over you all and find peace. Love you all,  
Michelle (Greer Kidney Center)###imported-begin##Michelle Beardsley###imported-end##*

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January 17, 2009 at 10:12 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Hugs to you all.* **##imported-begin##Beth Ayers (farmgal)##imported-end##**

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January 16, 2009 at 02:17 PM



“ *All my best wishes to the family at this sad time. You know I love you all.* **##imported-begin##Donna Lippert##imported-end##**

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January 16, 2009 at 08:54 AM



“ *May God comfort you and yours, Sherry, Melanie, and 'Reet. (hugs) and prayers.* **##imported-begin##JudyG.##imported-end##**

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January 15, 2009 at 09:20 PM



“ *Sorry so for your loss. God got a new angel. If you need anything please let me know. Big hugs and prayers.  
God Bless,  
Angela* **##imported-begin##Angela Walling##imported-end##**

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January 15, 2009 at 07:54 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Sherry, and all of your family during this sorrowful time. I know personally how it feels to lose someone as precious as your mother. There is no replacement. Mrs. Sally was a very special person and will be surely missed at Greer Kidney.* **##imported-begin##Vanessa Williams##imported-end##**

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January 15, 2009 at 06:03 PM



“ I was deeply saddened to hear of Sally's passing. She was one of my "favorites" at GKC, and she and Sherry were ones I often thought of after I left GKC. I prayed Mrs. Sally was being cared for properly, as I was often protective of her and not just anyone could take care of my "baby". Sherry, I know you will be lost without your mama, but I know without a doubt she knew how much you loved her as you had proven it over the years as you cared for her and took the best care of her, and through your actions and care for her, we know how much she loved you. Melanie, though I never had the pleasure of meeting you, this past Christmas I proudly wore one of the many gifts you always made for us each year that Sherry surprised us with, in thankfulness for the care your mother received. My thoughts and prayers are with the entire family, as the earth has lost a precious friend, but heaven has gained a precious lady who will never experience pain again, especially now that she and Flip are together again.

Much love and prayers,  
Aimee McAlister###imported-begin##Aimee McAlister###imported-end##

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January 15, 2009 at 04:03 PM



“ Marguerite, Melanie, Sherry, Howard & Mary - I pray peace and comfort for all of you, Sally will be greatly missed.###imported-begin##Debi Kirkwood###imported-end##

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January 15, 2009 at 09:03 AM



“ Mrs. Flippen will be greatly missed at Greer Kidney. My condolences to you Sherry and your whole family. May God help all of you through this sad time.###imported-begin##Stacey Brown###imported-end##

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January 15, 2009 at 08:49 AM



“ *My sympathies to you and your family. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Diane D.##imported-end##*

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January 15, 2009 at 08:47 AM



“ *It will be the little things  
that you will remember,  
the quiet moments,  
the smiles, the laughter.  
And although it may seem  
hard right now,  
it will be the memories  
of these little things  
that help to push  
away the pain  
and bring the smiles  
back again.*

*My sincerest sympathies.##imported-begin##Shawn Nalband  
(Tiny)##imported-end##*

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January 15, 2009 at 07:52 AM



“ *May God be with you all.and comfort your pain. I loved Sally more than you could ever imagine,and my Mom loved her so very dearly . I wii miss her so much. My prayers and thoughts are with you.and your family.  
Peggy##imported-begin##Peggy Lister##imported-end##*

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January 14, 2009 at 05:33 PM



“ Melanie, Sherry & Marguerite, I am so sorry for your precious loss! I am sorry I never got to know Sally!

*Sally is in heaven now and at peace, with no more pain!*

*Rest in Peace Sally.*

*Melanie, Sherry & Marguerite, I truly hope you all will be able to start healing soon!*

*{}{}{}{}HUGSSSSSSSS{}{}{}{}##imported-begin##Judy Regallo##imported-end##*

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January 14, 2009 at 04:05 PM



“ Sincere condolences to you and your family. You are in my prayers!##imported-begin##Mary##imported-end##

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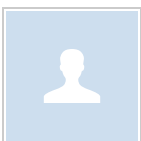
January 14, 2009 at 03:58 PM



“ My sympathies to you and your family!! You are all in my thoughts.##imported-begin##Diana B##imported-end##

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January 14, 2009 at 02:33 PM



“ My sincere condolences to you and your family, Melanie. May your memories console your tears.##imported-begin##gloriab##imported-end##

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January 14, 2009 at 02:29 PM



“ *I was blessed to have know Ms. Sally. She was a joy and a delight. I will sadly miss her. You are all in my thoughts and prayers at this time. Sally is now an angel watching over all of us. God be will you all.##imported-begin##Mary Chapman##imported-end##*

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January 14, 2009 at 08:49 AM