



## Rev. Sam T. Staggs

July 27, 1924 - October 20, 2014

Rev. Samuel Thomas Staggs, 90, of 19 Embry Street, widower of Eunice Kathryn Day Staggs, died October 20, 2014 at St. Francis Eastside.

A native of Phoenix, AZ, son of the late Clyde Seldon and Susie Lee Dale Staggs, he was a graduate of Bob Jones University and a WWII Navy Veteran. Rev. Staggs pastored five churches, two of which he founded, and was a member of Good News Baptist Church.

Surviving are a son, David Michael Staggs of Charlotte, NC; a daughter and son-in-law, Barb and Frank Woods of Phoenix, AZ; a daughter-in-law, Chris Staggs Flemming of Greer; seven grandchildren, sixteen great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Rev. Staggs was predeceased by one son, Samuel E. Staggs.

Funeral services will be held 10:00 a.m. Friday at Good News Baptist Church, conducted by Pastor Daniel Waters. Burial will follow in Wood Memorial Park. Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Visitation will be held 6:00-8:00 p.m. Thursday at The Wood Mortuary.

The families are at their respective homes.

# Cemetery Details

## Wood Memorial Park

863 Gap Creek Road  
Duncan, SC 29334

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **23**. 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

OCT **24**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Good News Baptist Church  
1592 South Highway 14  
Greer, SC 29650

# Tribute Wall

RW

“ roger paul white purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Rev. Sam T. Staggs.



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**roger paul white** - October 22, 2014 at 05:03 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rev. Sam T. Staggs.



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October 22, 2014 at 03:17 PM

SG

“ Shawn G. purchased the Sweet Remembrance Spray for the family of Rev. Sam T. Staggs.



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**Shawn G.** - October 22, 2014 at 10:52 AM

JW

“ *The world has lost a truly great man of God, but the Lord's people can have peace knowing that Pastor Staggs is now with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ; and has been re-united with his wife and son!*

*It was my privilege to grow up under Pastor Staggs' ministry at Colonial Hills Baptist Church in Taylors. For a number of years, I also attended the Christian school that Pastor Staggs helped to start. Later on, beginning in 1996, I had the privilege to have him as my pastor, once again, at when I joined Good News Baptist Church in Greer. It was a blessed time during the years that I was a member there. The Lord used this time to help get me back into His service. The memories that I will always have of Pastor Staggs are fond and many!*

*My own parents were good friends with Pastor Staggs, for many years. Dr. John H. Watts went to be with the Lord early in 2008. He was a preacher, too, and was a member of Good News Baptist Church during his last twelve years here. My mother, Marian I. Watts just passed away just a couple of weeks ago, on October 10 of this year. She had been a member of Good News Baptist Church since 1996.*

*The Watts family and friends express our sincere condolences to the Staggs Family and to the good members of Good News Baptist Church.*

*John Henry Watts*

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**John Henry Watts** - October 22, 2014 at 10:21 AM

CH

“ Dear Staggs Family,  
We were saddened to hear of the homegoing of Bro. Staggs. You will be in our thoughts and prayers. Bro. Staggs was a blessing to Tabernacle Baptist Church and All the Ministries here. God bless each of the family and we know God's Grace will be sufficient on today and every tomorrow.

Love and Prayers,  
Dr. Melvin Aiken & Tabernacle Baptist church and Ministries  
Dr. Charles Garrett & WTBI Staff

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Carolyn Headrick - October 22, 2014 at 10:01 AM

DH

“ Carpenter By Trade,  
Married By Choice,  
Preacher By Calling.

David and Martha Hill

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David and Martha Hill - October 21, 2014 at 11:04 PM

RM

“ My heart reaches out to you, the family, in your loss of this kind, caring man. My mama told me yesterday of his passing. Your father was a dear friend to my parents and we visited in the home of your parents when I was a child. Later my family moved to Greenville and he became "Pastor." The first thing I said to Mama was that he was getting to see his sweetheart again. Just to think of that reunion! May our Lord's comfort wrap you closely in this difficult time.

Rachel (Young) Morgan, Chester, VA  
(daughter of Katherine Young)

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Rachel Morgan - October 21, 2014 at 09:59 PM



“ *Gift of Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rev. Sam T. Staggs.* ”



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October 21, 2014 at 09:32 PM