



## Sara Turner Branton

December 21, 1937 - December 7, 2019

Sara Turner Branton, 81, passed away December 7, 2019.

A native of Spartanburg County, she was a daughter of the late A.D. and Edith Howell Turner, a retired educator with the Greenville County School District and a member of Northwood Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, James "Jack" R. Branton of the home; one daughter, Regina Paunee Branton (Scott Peecksen); two sons, Phillip Christopher Branton (Mary) and James Derek Branton; and three grandchildren, Samuel Peecksen, Garrett Branton and Sara Kendall Branton.

Services will be held 2:00 p.m. Thursday, December 12, 2019 at The Wood Mortuary, conducted by Lamar Nichols. Burial will be private.

Honorary escort will be the grandsons.

Visitation will be held 12:30 p.m. until 1:45 p.m. Thursday at the mortuary prior to the service.

The family is at the home.

Memorials may be made to Northwood Baptist Church, 888 Ansel School Road, Greer, SC 29651.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 12. 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

DEC 12. 2:00 PM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL  
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# Tribute Wall

KR

“ Karen Robertson lit a candle in memory of Sara Turner Branton



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**Karen Robertson** - December 12, 2019 at 02:07 AM

MP

“ Jack. Dale and I are so sorry to learn of Sara’s death. She was a sweet lady and I remember her from days on Finley Ave. She loved my Dad so now she will see him again. You all are in our thoughts and prayers!

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**Mary Susan Pearson** - December 11, 2019 at 03:47 PM

CH

“ Jack & Family.....Our Compassus Hospice care team extends its deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one. As each day passes, may your pain lessen and be replaced by cheirshed memories.

*Chaplain Peter Tripp & Our Compassus Hospice Care Team*

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**Compassus Hospice** - December 11, 2019 at 02:51 PM

RS

“ We are saddened by Sara's passing. We have loved her for many years. Her friendship was special to us.  
We rejoice that she is going to be with our Savior. Our prayers are with Jack, her family and all who have known her. We will miss her greatly.

*Joyce and Roger Sibold*

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**Roger Sibold** - December 11, 2019 at 02:40 PM

JC

“ Jack , to you and the family we offer our love and prayers for the peace that only Jesus can give during this difficult time. Our lives are richer and fuller because we became friends with Sara - this precious friend who walked so faithfully through the days of her life here with her LORD JESUS - in good and difficult times. May we all be so faithful. Because we share her faith in JESUS we look forward to a glorious reunion!

*Joe and Charlotte Christenberry*

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**joe and charlotte christenberry** - December 11, 2019 at 07:49 AM

LB

“ Jack and family : May God bless you during this time. Love and prayers, Linda Barnette



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**Linda Barnetter** - December 09, 2019 at 09:17 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Sara Turner Branton.*



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December 09, 2019 at 04:29 PM



“ *Sara was a wonderful teacher and coworker at Woodland. I have great respect for her as a teacher who touched so many lives. One of my favorite memories of her was her amazing ability to recall former students names and their family histories. Whenever I recognized a face but would not recall a name, I would run and whisper to Sara. She would immediately name the student and speak of the family. Truly a special woman with a big heart.*  
*Sharon Johnson*

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**Sharon Johnson** - December 08, 2019 at 09:08 PM



“ *Faye Lindley. Fry lit a candle in memory of Sara Turner Branton*



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**Faye Lindley. Fry** - December 08, 2019 at 08:35 PM



“ *Jack and family heaven gained a wonderful angel. I enjoyed being called her friend. We taught Sunday school together and discussed the many trips you all took. Being called yours and her friend has been a privilege. Will keep you all in my prayer .*

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**Azalee Jones** - December 08, 2019 at 06:05 PM

LB

“ Louise Brockman purchased the Cheryl's Classic Gift Bundle for the family of Sara Turner Branton.



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**Louise Brockman** - December 08, 2019 at 04:46 PM

LB

“ I enjoyed teaching with Sara for many years at Woodland. I consider her one of my dearest friends. We worked hard, and had a lot of fun together. She was a wonderful teacher and friend. My thoughts and prayers are with you. I am so sorry for your loss.

*Louise Brockman*

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**Louise Brockman** - December 08, 2019 at 04:39 PM

SW

“ Sandra Wilson lit a candle in memory of Sara Turner Branton



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**Sandra Wilson** - December 08, 2019 at 04:08 PM

SW

“ Jack & Family, Heaven gained a precious angel Saturday morning at 8:40a.m., she was as beautiful inside as she was on the outside, she was kind hearted, giving heart, and last year when I was in the hospital called me twice a week to see how I was inspite of how she felt she was a caring Christian woman. She was my fourth grade teacher and I loved her she was just precious. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers today and in the days ahead. May God bless you!



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**Sandra Wilson** - December 08, 2019 at 04:07 PM