



## Verlin Turner Blackwell

December 30, 1931 - June 2, 2018

Miriam Verlin Turner Blackwell, 86, widow of Thomas Harold Blackwell, passed away on June 2, 2018.

A native of Startex, daughter of the late Willie Marvin and Comila Mae Smith Turner, she was a retired employee of Springs Industries and a member of Tucapau Baptist Church.

Surviving are two daughters, Karen Barnett (Gary) of Lyman and Joyce Tuck (Sid) of Moore; one son, Lemuel Blackwell (Kelli) of Pickens; two brothers, Joseph Turner (Mary) of Lyman and Preston Turner of Spartanburg; seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Blackwell was predeceased by three brothers, Gordon Turner, Robert Turner and Boyce Turner and four sisters, Bernice Padgett, Faye Allen, Wilma Powell and Frances Turner.

Funeral services will be held 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 6, 2018 at Tucapau Baptist Church conducted by Dr. Bill Pate and Rev. Jeff Eubanks. Burial will follow in Wood Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Jeff Tuck, Ryan Cothran, Matthew Blackwell, Zac Corn, Paul Boggs and Gary Barnett.

Honorary escort will be the Golden Circle Sunday School class, Frances Blackwell, Fay Fisher and Sara Hennery.

Visitation will be held 1:00-2:45 p.m. Wednesday at Tucapau Baptist Church.

The family is at the home.

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

JUN 6. 1:00 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Tucapau Baptist Church  
5 Chestnut Street  
Startex, SC

## Service

JUN 6. 3:00 PM (ET)

Tucapau Baptist Church  
5 Chestnut Street  
Startex, SC

# Tribute Wall

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“ *The Blackwell Family,  
Loosing Miss Verlin has brought us emptiness in all of our lives. She  
was one of our best friends. We have lots of good memories to  
remember. May God give you the strength to cope with the days  
ahead. Our love deepest sympathy,  
The Shillingburg Family*

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**Dennis Shillingburg** - June 09, 2018 at 09:33 PM

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“ *Melvin Duncan, Charles and Cindy Thomas  
purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the  
family of Verlin Turner Blackwell.*



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**Melvin Duncan, Charles and Cindy Thomas** - June 06, 2018 at  
10:20 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of  
Verlin Turner Blackwell.*



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June 06, 2018 at 07:46 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Verlin Turner Blackwell.*



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June 05, 2018 at 12:18 PM



“ *PAM & DONNIE SOLESBEE purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Verlin Turner Blackwell.*



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**PAM & DONNIE SOLESBEE** - June 04, 2018 at 04:39 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Verlin Turner Blackwell.*



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June 04, 2018 at 12:23 PM



“ *Debbie Cook lit a candle in memory of Verlin Turner Blackwell*



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**Debbie Cook** - June 04, 2018 at 12:04 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Verlin Turner Blackwell.*



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June 04, 2018 at 10:04 AM



“ *I love Aunt Verlin and am thankful for all the precious memories of our families communing. From going to the Dairo, movies, Bible School, Camp Meeting and church to all those Christmas dinners and musical nights with Tommy and Dad playing and Verlin and Mom singing. Our mothers were sisters always close right to the end. We are blessed by our fine Christian upbringing. Thank you for the good times Aunt Verlin and the whole family. Love, Marcia Powell Shew*

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**Marcia Powell Shew** - June 03, 2018 at 07:56 PM



“ *The Boyce Turner Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Verlin Turner Blackwell.*



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**The Boyce Turner Family** - June 03, 2018 at 06:28 PM