



## Zilah Jean Sauvola

October 14, 2002 - May 16, 2024

Zilah "Yiyah" Jean Sauvola, 21, passed away May 16, 2024.

A native of Greenville County, daughter of Nels Thomas Sauvola of the home and Stephanie Massey Sauvola of Inman, she was an employee of Carey's Moving and Storage. She was a beloved daughter, sister, and friend, and a beloved child of God.

Also surviving are a sister, Kalaina Sauvola of the home; three brothers, Shayd Sauvola, Vannon Sauvola, and Lordan Sauvola all of the home; and aunts and uncles, Janel Sauvola, Nate Sauvola, Peter Sauvola (Susie), Paul Sauvola, John Sauvola, Jed Sauvola (Yvonne), Ron Sauvola, and Michael Williams (Patricia).

She was predeceased by her maternal grandparents, Debra Couch and James Allen Massey, paternal grandparents, Tom and Sheila Sauvola, uncle, Dan Sauvola, and aunt, Kim Massey.

Funeral services will be held 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 22, 2024, at Beulah Land, 30 N. Barton Road, Taylors, South Carolina 29687, conducted by Pastor Eric Evans. Burial will follow in Mountain View Cemetery.

Visitation will be held 3:00-4:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 22, 2024, at Beulah Land.

The family is at their respective homes.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Mountain View Cemetery

303 North Avenue  
Greer, SC 29650

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 22. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Beulah Land  
30 North Barton Road  
Taylors, SC 29687

## Service

MAY 22. 4:00 PM (ET)

Beulah Land  
30 North Barton Road  
Taylors, SC 29687

# Tribute Wall

CS

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers for the Family and Loved ones. May The Lord sustain, comfort, strengthen and give you His All sufficient grace and peace in Christ Jesus Name Amen 🙏

Carolyn Smith  
Conyers, Georgia

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**Carolyn J. Smith** - June 01, 2024 at 08:58 PM

MG

“ Marble Hill Church of God purchased the Caring Condolences Gift Basket for the family of Zilah Jean Sauvola.



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**Marble Hill Church of God** - May 24, 2024 at 07:09 AM

SN

“ I am sorry for your loss. Sending my condolences to the family. Praying for the family and friends.

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**Sheila Nunnally-Harris** - May 23, 2024 at 09:16 PM

CA

“ COGWA London, Knoxville and Asheville planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Zilah Jean Sauvola.

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**COGWA London, Knoxville and Asheville** - May 22, 2024 at 10:38 AM

CA

“ COGWA London, Knoxville and Asheville purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Zilah Jean Sauvola.



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**COGWA London, Knoxville and Asheville** - May 22, 2024 at 10:38 AM

TW

“ The Wilsons planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Zilah Jean Sauvola.

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**The Wilsons** - May 21, 2024 at 07:16 PM

TW

“ The Wilsons purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Zilah Jean Sauvola.



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**The Wilsons** - May 21, 2024 at 07:16 PM

FF

“ From the Onisick and Ellis Families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Zilah Jean Sauvola.

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**From the Onisick and Ellis Families** - May 20, 2024 at 06:20 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Zilah Jean Sauvola.*



May 20, 2024 at 06:20 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Zilah Jean Sauvola.*



May 20, 2024 at 03:20 PM



“ *In the face of this insurmountable loss, may God's eternal love and grace be your guiding light, strength and solace.*

**Maria** - May 20, 2024 at 01:59 PM



*We are comforted in knowing a better day is coming and a resurrection. Our heart goes out to Zilah's family.*

**Bob/Emogene Hutchinson** - May 24, 2024 at 07:16 AM



“ *In the face of this insurmountable loss, may God's eternal love and grace be your guiding light, strength and solace.*

**Maria** - May 20, 2024 at 01:32 PM

MA

“ *In the face of this insurmountable loss, may God's eternal love and promise of peace be your guiding light and solace.*

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**Maria** - May 20, 2024 at 01:16 PM

RA

“ *Rutherford ALC purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Zilah Jean Sauvola.*



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**Rutherford ALC** - May 20, 2024 at 12:55 PM

MA

“ *Our sincere condolences. Your grief is unimaginable. Your loss is so great. May God comfort you now and for the time ahead and... May the memory of Zilah be a blessing to you always!*  
*Loren and Margi Saxton*  
*North Augusta, SC*

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**Margi** - May 20, 2024 at 08:43 AM

KC

“ *To the family and friends of Zilah, all of us share in your grief and pray that you will cover that grief with God's love and mercy. May His lovingkindness reconcile everything to comforting memories of all you have shared with her.*

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**Kathy Criswell** - May 20, 2024 at 08:10 AM

CB

“ We offer our condolences to Nels and the family. We pray that God would comfort you all and that He would grant you of His peace and mercy, while you mourn the loss of a beloved family member.

*In His love*

*Cornie & Sara Banman*

*La Crete, Alberta, Canada*

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**Cornie Banman** - May 19, 2024 at 11:47 PM

MF

“ Matt, Martha and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Zilah Jean Sauvola.



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**Matt, Martha and family** - May 19, 2024 at 10:12 PM

LS

“ Love&God's Peace the Smallwood's purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Zilah Jean Sauvola.



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**Love&God's Peace the Smallwood's** - May 19, 2024 at 08:45 PM

NS

“ Zilah..., Zilah... Daddy loves you more than you've known...

*Daughter... Sweet darling daughter...my how we have grown..❤️”*

*But I can't see. that You've believed me  
Said I loved you like the rest of my own ..❤️*

*You know I tried to convince you.. that any walls weren't made of  
stone . . .*

*And that is was easy to reach me.. by breaking through the bonded  
zones..*

*& Now I want more than ever before to hug you... Just never let  
go...*

*But the sad truth is I can no longer reach you ... With So much more  
I wanted you to know...*

*(Music Interlude-Solo)*

*Yet when eternity finds you and me...reunited before the throne...*

*I will turn to you & whisper true to you...*

*Zilah..., Zilah... Daddy loves you more than you've known...*

*Daughter... Sweet darling daughter...my how we have grown..❤️”*

*(Quiet quire Chorus.. Fade out)*

*Ohhh I've known.... This moment, this moment.. , So waited on...*

*Ohhh I've known... This moment, this moment ...,So waited on...*

*Ohhh I've known..... This moment, this moment..., So waited on....*

**Nels Thomas Sauvola** - May 19, 2024 at 07:44 PM

JE

*Nels, that is lovely!!!!*

**jeannie** - May 20, 2024 at 10:39 AM

RA

*Dear Nels, we are very sorry for your loss. May God hold you in HIS arms and comfort you at this difficult time. Your eulogy is touching and beautiful.*

**Rosemary Arrowood** - May 21, 2024 at 07:10 PM

BA

“ *Ben & Susan Astenius planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Zilah Jean Sauvola.*

**Ben & Susan Astenius** - May 19, 2024 at 07:36 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Zilah Jean Sauvola.*



May 19, 2024 at 07:36 PM