



## Mrs. Florence Evelyn Kay Rochester

September 25, 1922 - January 15, 2023

Florence Evelyn Kay Rochester, wife of the late Steve Rochester, of Seneca, passed away on Sunday, January 15, 2023 at the age of 100.

Born in Easley, SC, Mrs. Rochester was the daughter of the late Landrum Roe Kay and Rosa Lake Williams.

Mrs. Rochester was married to her beloved husband for 71 years. She was retired from the School District of Oconee County. She taught Sunday School for many years and served in the past as WMU President. She was a member of Seneca Baptist Church where she was a member of the Faith Sunday School Class and Ruth Roper Circle. She loved her family and friends and found it a joy to serve wherever she could.

Mrs. Rochester is survived by her sons: Don Rochester (Becky) and Earl Rochester (Cheryl); daughter: Judy Quarles (Mike); grandchildren: Wes Rochester, Caroline McFarlin (Chip), Paige Ausec (Jesse), and Kevin Quarles (Adrianna); and great-grandchildren: Brady, Cayman, Maggie, Susie, Jesse, and Kiara.

In addition to her husband and parents, Mrs. Rochester was preceded in death by her brothers: Harold Kay and Ralph Kay.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, January 18, 2023 at Seneca Baptist Church with burial to follow at Oconee Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday at 10:00 AM, one hour prior to the service, at Seneca Baptist Church.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to: Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, Seneca Baptist Church, 1080 South Oak St., Seneca, SC 29678.

The family is at their respective homes.

# Cemetery Details

## Oconee Memorial Park

1923 Blue Ridge Boulevard  
Seneca, SC 29672  
<http://oconeememorialpark.com?>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 18. 10:00 AM (ET)

Seneca Baptist Church  
1080 South Oak Street  
seneca, SC 29678  
<http://www.senecabaptist.org/>

## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Davenport Funeral Home, Inc. created a Webcast in memory of Mrs. Florence Evelyn Kay Rochester*



Davenport Funeral Home - January 17, 2023 at 02:55 PM

JD

*I'm so sorry, Pam. Your aunt was a special person. Rip Evelyn*

joselyn davis - January 18, 2023 at 10:15 AM



“ *Mrs. Florence Evelyn Kay Rochester*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM

RR

“ *Rod Reid lit a candle in memory of Florence Rochester*



Rod Reid - January 19, 2023 at 12:46 PM

SR

“ Steve Reid lit a candle in memory of Florence Rochester



Steve Reid - January 19, 2023 at 12:43 PM

EK

“ I was so sorry to read about your mothers passing. Mark and I had some sweet visits with her before covid. The family is in my prayers. Edna Kay (Marks wife)

Edna Kay - January 18, 2023 at 04:20 PM

RB

“ Ray Sue Barnwell lit a candle in memory of Florence Rochester



Ray and Sue Barnwell - January 18, 2023 at 09:18 AM

MR

“ Prayers for all of you. Your Mom lived a grand life and touched many. My mama, Irene Alley, was blessed by her friendship. She was happy to be at the Oaks with her these past months.

Mildred Alley Ricketts - January 17, 2023 at 08:08 PM

FB

“ Frankie Burrell lit a candle in memory of Florence Rochester



Frankie Burrell - January 17, 2023 at 05:58 PM

BH

“ Judy and family,  
So sorry to hear about your mom. She was always the sweetest lady and such a joy to others. May God Bless you and your family during this time.

Brenda and Tony Heaton - January 17, 2023 at 11:37 AM

SD

“ Miss Evelyn was a kind, sweet lady. I have many fond memories of her over the years beginning with my friendship with Earl in high school and through my friendship with Mr. Steve, my gardening buddy. My sympathy to Earl, Don, Judy, and your families.

Sam Donald - January 17, 2023 at 11:05 AM

NF

“ Neil Geraldine Ford lit a candle in memory of Florence Rochester



Neil & Geraldine Ford - January 17, 2023 at 09:52 AM

KB

“ Kelly Bryant lit a candle in memory of Florence Rochester



Kelly Bryant - January 16, 2023 at 11:03 PM

BL

“ Burgess (Bird) Laye lit a candle in memory of Florence Rochester



Burgess (Bird) Laye - January 16, 2023 at 02:24 PM

DA

“ Don Darlene Albertson sent a virtual gift in memory of Florence Rochester



Don and Darlene Albertson - January 16, 2023 at 01:50 PM

LL

“ Leonard Loudermilk lit a candle in memory of Florence Rochester



Leonard Loudermilk - January 16, 2023 at 11:37 AM