



## Mrs. Geanene Elva Meador Keown

January 31, 1938 - September 22, 2012

Geanene Elva Meador Keown, 74, devoted wife of the late Fred Keown, of 287 Dove Lake Drive, North Augusta, SC, died Saturday, September 22, 2012, at University Hospital in Augusta, GA.

A native of Hinton, WV, Mrs. Keown was the daughter of the late Emmett Howard Meador and Ora Pauline Basham Meador. She was a loving mother and homemaker, and of the Methodist faith.

Survivors include daughters, Regina Sedell (John) of North Augusta, SC, Paula J. Keown-Rogers (Chris) of Westminster, SC; a son, James L. Keown (Melissa) of Virginia Beach, VA; seven grandchildren, Jay, Christy, Fred, Lora, Christopher, Benjamin, and Neil; and two great-grandchildren, A. J. and Emma.

A funeral service will be held Thursday, September 27, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Davenport Funeral Home Chapel, Walhalla, SC, with burial to follow at Oconee Memorial Park, Seneca, SC.

The family will receive friends Thursday, September 27, 2012 from 1:00-2:00 PM, prior to the service, at Davenport Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Oconee Humane Society,

1925 Sandifer Blvd., Seneca, SC 29678-0910.

# Cemetery Details

## Ocone Memorial Park

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Geanene Elva Meador Keown*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Grandma-neener, I am happy to know that you're in a better place. I admired Grandma for many things, but I primarily admired her selflessness. When I lost my mother Grandma gave me 7 years of her life to help my father raise me and assume the nurturing role in our household. I will always remember the times we sat on the couch and watched Stargate SG-1 together. When I was determined to be a meteorologist at a young age, she gave me books on basic weather and we would read together in her bed. We would share a huge bag of gummy bears while she read Tom Clancy and I learned about tornados. I will always cherish those memories and never forget the great times we had together. I am very sorry I was not able to come to the funeral, however, a hour never passed when I didn't recall all those memories that had been barried in my chaotic mind. Grandma, I don't know if I told you enough how much I valued everything you did for me, but I hope that you know now. You will always be missed. Please leave some gummy bears in heaven for the rest of us.*



Fred Keown - September 27, 2012 at 11:09 PM

KD

“ Karen Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Geanene Elva Meador Keown



Karen Davis - September 27, 2012 at 12:58 PM

KF

Boy that Peggy Sue.... That was my special name for her. She was tough and so much fun! I will miss her terribly. I know she is at peace now and is watching over all of you. I'm so sorry for your loss.

Karen and Glyn Davis and Family - September 27, 2012 at 03:08 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Geanene Elva Meador Keown.



September 26, 2012 at 03:13 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Geanene Elva Meador Keown.



September 26, 2012 at 01:13 PM

DF

“ *Designers Touch Florist lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Geanene Elva Meador Keown*



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**Designers Touch Florist** - September 26, 2012 at 09:56 AM

RB

“ *It is always difficult to find the appropriate words to express ones sympathies with a loved one's passing. It is even more difficult when it affects such a close friend and his family. Please accept our heartfelt sentiments and feelings. We share with you our compassion and sorrow over such a significant and personal loss. The finality of death, no matter how prepared, is still consuming and real. For Geanene, she is now at peace. All our love and support,*  
*Ron & Sandra*

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**Ron Boucher** - September 25, 2012 at 12:22 PM

MK

“ *...They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not grow faint.” Isaiah 40: 31 NIV*



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**Melissa Keown** - September 25, 2012 at 11:55 AM

MV

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the entire family. I know she will be greatly missed.*  
*Margie and Ron Verostek*

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**Margie Verostek** - September 25, 2012 at 11:24 AM

MV

“ *Margie & Ron Verostek lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Geanene Elva Meador Keown*



**Margie & Ron Verostek** - September 25, 2012 at 11:21 AM

SM

“ *May the peace which comes from the memories of love shared comfort you now and in the days ahead.*

**Stephanie McMorris** - September 25, 2012 at 10:56 AM

JK

“ *Mom...you were always there when we needed you.*



**Jim Keown** - September 25, 2012 at 06:36 AM



“ *You helped bring me up, Put a little south in me where it was lacking and gave me the grandma that I lost when I was younger... I will never forget you and sadly wish I could have seen you one last time but thank you for EVERYTHING and My heart is with the family*



September 24, 2012 at 09:58 PM

AK

“ *Amanda Keown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Geanene Elva Meador Keown*



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**Amanda Keown** - September 24, 2012 at 09:19 PM

MS

“ *We are sadden to learn of the passing of Geanene. Our deepest sympathies are with the Keown family.*

*Maxine and Wayne Stallard  
Williamsburg, Va*

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**Maxine and Wayne Stallard** - September 24, 2012 at 07:21 PM

LS

“ *We are very sorry for your loss. I will always remember your Mom as a funny and light hearted lady. She was a gem.*

*Much love and prayers,  
Wayne and Leslie Soutiere*

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**Leslie Soutiere** - September 24, 2012 at 06:10 PM