



## Mrs. Lois Werner Douberley

August 29, 1926 - April 11, 2024

Lois Werner Douberley, 97, wife of the late Sam Douberley, of Seneca, passed away on Thursday, April 11, 2024, at St. Francis Hospital in Greenville, South Carolina.

Born in Miami, FL., Mrs. Douberley was the daughter of the late Charles and Marie Grafe Werner. She retired as a county planning administrator and was a member of Walhalla Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Douberley is survived by her son-in-law: Gregg Smith and his wife Melanie of Gainesville, Georgia, granddaughter Abigail Hester and husband Corey, grandchildren Percephone and Abi Hester of Fountain Inn, South Carolina and daughter-in-law Bonnie Douberley of Seneca, South Carolina.

In addition to her husband and parents, Mrs. Douberley was preceded in death by her daughter: Bonnie D. Smith; and son: Bruce Douberley.

Lois loved baseball. She was named "Homerun Queen" of her 6th grade class at Comstock Elementary School in Miami and remained a fan of the

game her entire life. She was an avid Atlanta Braves fan, rarely ever missing a game on TV every season.

Beginning in 1944, Lois was employed at Florida Power and Light in Miami. In 1961 she moved to Mountain Rest, South Carolina with her mother Marie Werner and children Bruce and Bonnie. She was soon employed by the Oconee County Planning Commission in Walhalla where she had a long career as an Administrative Assistant. Lois was known for her dedication to Oconee County where she worked long hours, attending meetings often late at night and keeping meticulous records.

Lois was an excellent cook. She loved having her family come to her home in Mountain Rest while she served up favorites such as her famous pot roast with noodles and gravy. She was also an excellent seamstress. She would hem, sew, and repair clothes for her children and grandchildren rather than have them purchase new clothes. She was quite frugal, yet willing and helpful to assist her family in any way, financially and with her love. As a single mother, she put both of her children through school and saw Bruce and Bonnie graduate from Clemson University.

A memorial service will be held at 1:00 PM on Saturday, April 20, 2024, at Davenport Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Boys and Girls Club of America at [www.bgca.org](http://www.bgca.org).

The family is at their respective homes.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

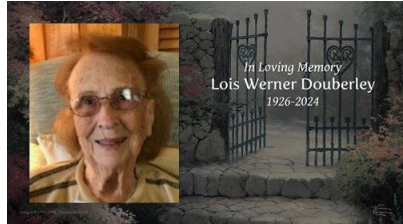
APR **20**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Davenport Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Lois Werner Douberley



Davenport Funeral Home - April 19, 2024 at 12:33 PM

BR

“ She was our dad's (Robert W Grafe) cousin. Aunt Hilda was her mom and my Grandfather's sister. Lois was always so special to our family ❤️ She gave my mom the Grafe family German Wooden Cookie Board and we still make those Anise cookies every Christmas. Lois' voice was always so cheerful, sweet, & caring ❤️ her handwriting so beautiful. She will be missed 🌹🌸🌺🌻🙏🙏🙏  
🙏 Bobbi (Barbara) Lee Grafe Rains & Paul,  
Chip (Robert W. Grafe II) & Vicki

Barbara G. Rains - April 22, 2024 at 03:24 PM

BZ

“ Bobby Z lit a candle in memory of Lois Douberley



Bobby Z - April 18, 2024 at 05:27 PM

BZ

*Went to Walhalla schools with both Bonnie and Bruce. Always a nice lady!*

**Bobby Z.** - April 19, 2024 at 05:23 PM



“ *Doris Wilson lit a candle in memory of Lois Douberley*



**Doris Wilson** - April 17, 2024 at 07:59 PM

DW

“ *I graduated in 1970 with Bruce and also knew I'm sorry for your family's loss.*



**Doris Cooper Wilson** - April 17, 2024 at 07:27 PM

SH

“ *Susan Hollifield lit a candle in memory of Lois Douberley*



**Susan Hollifield** - April 17, 2024 at 08:08 AM



“ *Doug and Linda Nix lit a candle in memory of Lois Douberley.*



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**Doug Linda R.** - April 16, 2024 at 10:43 PM

HS

“ *Lois Douberley was one of the sweetest ladies I've ever met in my time at The Residence at Park Place! ❤️ It was an honor to know her, and to care for her my condolences and love goes out to her family and friends.*



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**Haley Smith** - April 16, 2024 at 03:13 PM

AH

“ *Amelia Harvey lit a candle in memory of Lois Douberley*



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**Amelia Harvey** - April 16, 2024 at 01:53 PM

RT

“ *Reg Tatum lit a candle in memory of Lois Douberley*



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**Reg Tatum** - April 16, 2024 at 12:08 PM

BL

“ *Burgess (Bird) Laye lit a candle in memory of Lois Douberley*



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**Burgess (Bird) Laye** - April 15, 2024 at 11:10 AM

SW

“ *I met Lois at Walhalla Presbyterian Church and realized how very special she was. The last time I saw her was at Vivian Owens' funeral, former English teacher at Walhalla High. They both resided at The Residences at Park Place, and I told her it would have meant a great deal to Vivian to know that she was there. Condolences and love to her family and friends, especially Bonnie.*

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**Sharon Welfare** - April 15, 2024 at 10:34 AM