



Mrs. Mary Lavinia Powell

May 28, 1928 - May 28, 2018

Mary Lavinia Holden Powell, 90, of S. Oak Street, Seneca, wife of the late Thomas Ray Powell, passed away peacefully on Monday, May 28, 2018 on her 90th birthday, at The Residences at Park Place in Seneca.

Born in Tamassee, SC, Mrs. Powell was the daughter of the late William Bryan and Beulah Augusta Hudson Holden. She worked as an Operator for Southern Bell, as an inspector for The Torrington Co., then NCEES before retiring. Mrs. Powell was a former children's Sunday School teacher for many years and was currently a member of Reedy Fork Baptist Church in Seneca.

Mrs. Powell is survived by her sons: James Edward Powell (Lori) of Clarksville, TN and David Eugene Powell of Seneca, SC; six grandchildren: Walter Craig Powell (Shelley), and Matthew Thomas Powell (Cynthia) of Seneca, SC, Bradley William Powell and Evan Scott Powell of Anderson, SC, Nicole Alexis Powell and Ryan James Powell of Clarksville, TN; four great-grandchildren: Garrett Cody Powell, Garner Barrett Powell, Grace Addison Powell, and Austin Powell of Seneca, SC.

In addition to her husband and parents, Mrs. Powell was preceded in death by her brother: John Edward Holden of Clayton, GA. She was the last surviving member of her immediate family.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 PM, Thursday, May 31, 2018, at Davenport Funeral Home Chapel with burial to follow at Oconee Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 1:00-2:00 PM, Thursday, May 31, 2018, at Davenport Funeral Home.

A special thanks to the staff in the memory care unit at The Residences at Park Place who offered their loving care of Lavinia during her final days.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Wilderness Way Girls Camp, 175 Camp School Lane, Fair Play, SC 29643.

The families are at their respective homes.

Cemetery Details

Oconee Memorial Park

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

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 31. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Davenport Funeral Home
311 S Highway 11
West Union, SC 29696
(864) 638-3611
davenportfhome@gmail.com
<https://www.davenportfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

MAY 31. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Mary Lavinia Powell*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers to you all. We miss Mrs Powell's sweet smile that would light up Reedy Fork Baptist Church. God bless you all.*

Jan Rice - June 05, 2018 at 08:47 AM



“ *Deepest sympathy for your loss. I remember several reunions with ray and lavinia. Also remember eating dinner with them one night several years ago in Chattanooga TN.*

Sonja Powell - June 03, 2018 at 09:58 AM



“ *Lita Pettit lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Lavinia Powell*



Lita Pettit - June 02, 2018 at 05:11 AM



“ *Lavinia will always hold a special place in my memories. I fondly remember going places with her and Ray when I was a child, and will always remember her laugh and M&M desserts!*

Shana Hawk - May 30, 2018 at 07:38 PM

TP

“ David , we are so sorry for your loss. Holding you and your family close in our prayers.

Teresa and Sam Porter

Teresa Porter - May 30, 2018 at 07:28 PM

GO

“ David I am so sorry for your loss. I will always have fond memories of your mom.

Gwen owens - May 29, 2018 at 08:29 PM

WB

“ Wayne Barton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Lavinia Powell



Wayne Barton - May 29, 2018 at 07:17 PM

KW

“ Kathy Welborn lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Lavinia Powell



Kathy Welborn - May 29, 2018 at 04:27 PM

DN

“ Doug And Linda Reese Nix lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Lavinia Powell



Doug and Linda Reese Nix - May 29, 2018 at 02:21 PM

LE

“ Linda Earnhart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Lavinia Powell



Linda Earnhart - May 29, 2018 at 01:31 PM

RA

“ Rod & Katherine Albertson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Lavinia Powell



Rod & Katherine Albertson - May 29, 2018 at 12:30 PM