



Mr. William Edward Alexander

February 27, 1931 - August 9, 2025

William Edward Alexander, 94, husband of Kathlyn Evatt Alexander, of Seneca, passed away on Saturday, August 9, 2025, at Cottingham Hospice House.

A native of Oconee County, Mr. Alexander was the son of the late Charles Edward and Agnes Golightly Alexander. He was a veteran of the United States Navy as well as a member of The Gideons International. Mr. Alexander was an avid calligrapher and painter and was a member of New Hope Baptist where he served as a Sunday school teacher as well as a deacon. He also participated in prison ministries and loved sharing his faith in Christ.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Alexander is survived by his son: Young Alexander and his wife Melissa of Forest City, NC; daughter: Charlsa Laing and her husband Gaylen of Arlington, TX; brother: Rodney Alexander of Lake City, FL; sister: Wilma Landress of Seneca, SC; six grandchildren: Chason Laing and his wife Cassie, Annie Laing, Avery Laing, Caroline Carmack and her husband Rob, Joshua and his wife Becky, and Adam Alexander; and eleven great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Alexander was preceded in death by three brothers and three sisters.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM on Friday, August 15, 2025, at New Hope Baptist Church with burial to follow at Oconee Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM, Friday, August 15, 2025, prior to the service at New Hope Baptist Church.

Flowers are accepted or memorials may be made to: The Gideons International by visiting <https://gideons.org/donate> or to New Hope Baptist Church: 4010 Keowee School Rd, Seneca, SC 29672.

The family is at the home.

Cemetery Details

Ocone Memorial Park

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

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 15. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

New Hope Baptist Church
4010 Keowee School Rd
Seneca, SC 29672

Funeral Service

AUG 15. 2:00 PM (ET)

New Hope Baptist Church
4010 Keowee School Rd
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Tribute Wall

CD

“ My sincere condolences to the family of Ed Alexander. I worked with him at the Assessor’s office and he was always the definition of a true Christian man. He did calligraphy and did a parchment poem in calligraphy for me for my parent’s anniversary. He tried to teach me a little about calligraphy but I was no match for his beautiful writing. I was sad to hear of his passing.

Cindy Derrick - August 28, 2025 at 08:53 PM

TS

“ My Mother Polly was good friends with Ed. I met him when we moved back to Walhalla and worked with him several times while he was at Assessors office. We were fellow Gideons also, thankful to have known such a gentleman ❤️ Prayers for the family.

Terry L Sanders - August 17, 2025 at 04:19 PM

MA

“ Marion Alexander lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Edward Alexander



Marion Alexander - August 15, 2025 at 03:19 PM

LM

“ Love, Smithy and Marcia purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. William Edward Alexander.



Love, Smithy and Marcia - August 14, 2025 at 11:20 AM

LM

“ Love, Smithy and Marcia planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. William Edward Alexander.

Love, Smithy and Marcia - August 14, 2025 at 11:20 AM

MH

“ Our deepest condolences on the passing of Uncle Edward - a good man who raised a family, served his country and served as a pillar in his community for many years. We will miss him very much.

Michael Hearn - August 14, 2025 at 09:29 AM

MH

“ Michael and Betsy Hearn purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. William Edward Alexander.



Michael and Betsy Hearn - August 14, 2025 at 09:25 AM

MH

“ Michael and Betsy Hearn planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. William Edward Alexander.

Michael and Betsy Hearn - August 14, 2025 at 09:25 AM

MH

“ *Michael Hearn lit a candle in memory of William Alexander*



Michael Hearn - August 14, 2025 at 09:21 AM

PC

“ *Pat B Culbertson lit a candle in memory of William Alexander*



Pat B Culbertson - August 13, 2025 at 11:49 AM

HA

“ *Harold Alexander lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Edward Alexander*



Harold Alexander - August 12, 2025 at 08:06 PM

AT

“ *May God wrap His loving arms around you and comfort you during this difficult time.*



Alice Taylor - August 12, 2025 at 04:00 PM

AC

“ Anne Crenshaw lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Edward Alexander



Anne Crenshaw - August 12, 2025 at 10:55 AM

WB

“ Wayne F. Barton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William Edward Alexander



Wayne F. Barton - August 11, 2025 at 09:56 PM

LL

“ Leonard Loudemilk sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William Edward Alexander



Leonard Loudemilk - August 11, 2025 at 09:22 PM

 Rosemary Littleton

“ Ed was a truly special friend at a very low time in my life (when we lost our oldest son.) I hate that we lost touch over the years but I will always remember him with love.

Rosemary Littleton - August 11, 2025 at 08:44 PM

KJ

“ Kim, Kathy, Darla, Sherri and Joyce purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. William Edward Alexander.



Kim, Kathy, Darla, Sherri and Joyce - August 11, 2025 at 07:49 PM

KJ

“ Kim, Kathy, Darla, Sherri and Joyce planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. William Edward Alexander.

Kim, Kathy, Darla, Sherri and Joyce - August 11, 2025 at 07:49 PM

BL

“ Bobbie Ledford lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Edward Alexander



Bobbie Ledford - August 11, 2025 at 06:56 PM

JS

“ To Kathy and family of Mr. Ed. He was the friendliest human i.ve ever known. you could feel that he was caring truthfully in his soul.He always remembered my dad when he used to work with him. my dad thought the world of him too. This man will be missed. PRAYERS FOR THE FAMILY . Gary and Judy Shook.



Judy Shook - August 11, 2025 at 04:18 PM

JW

“ To the Family, I'm so very sorry for your loss. He was one of the finest men I've ever known. He was a friend, confidant & sometimes shenanigans partner when we worked in the Assessor's office. Yeah, I've got some good stories. 😊 I loved him dearly, as did anyone who knew his heart. It was big. I know he's got that mansion in heaven we always talked about. And, Edward, if I just get a tent beside you, I'll be a happy camper!

Jeanette Wilson - August 11, 2025 at 03:04 PM

SN

“ My deepest sympathies to the family. I worked with Ed at the Assessor's Office, and in fact, I can still see his face when 9-11 happened. He was holding the phone and told us of the tragedy. Remember that every year. That, and his wonderful sense of humor! A great man and fortunate to know him and call him friend. - Sharon (Reeves) Nichols

Sharon Nichols - August 11, 2025 at 11:10 AM

DQ

“ Prayers for the family and friends 🙏



Durell Quarles - August 11, 2025 at 11:04 AM



“ *Kathy and family we are so sad to see the passing of Ed. He was such a dear friend and co- worker. He always made a point to speak to us when he saw us. What a joy it was to receive his Christmas card with his beautiful hand writing each year. He was loved by many and will be missed. May God give you strength in the day and weeks ahead. Love and prayers. Doug and Linda Nix*



Doug Linda R. - August 11, 2025 at 10:22 AM



“ *Danny, Karen & Micah Lee lit a candle in memory of William Alexander*



Danny, Karen & Micah Lee - August 11, 2025 at 09:52 AM