



Ann Willis Whitworth

February 3, 1930 - April 26, 2022

Ann Willis Whitworth of Pickens, SC, 92, passed away Tuesday, April 26, 2022. Born in McDonough, GA, she was the daughter of the late Herbert, Sr. and Martha Willis.

Ann was a graduate of Georgia State College for Women and a former public school teacher in Georgia and South Carolina. She loved spending time with her family, cooking and gardening. She was a long time member of Pickens First Baptist Church where she served as a teacher, choir member, and a leader of the homebound and prayer ministries. Ann had a servant's heart and was beloved by her family, church and community.

Predeceased by her loving husband, James Whitworth; she is survived by her two sons, Jeff Whitworth and his wife, Nancy, of Greenville, SC, and Victor Whitworth and his wife, Sharon, of Pickens; three grandchildren, Erin Chilton and her husband, Jon, of Greenville, Gil Whitworth and his wife, Colby, of Chapin, SC, and Luke Whitworth and his wife, Kelsey of Wake Forest, NC; seven great grandchildren, Reynolds, Mary Willis, Josiah and Catherine Chilton, Dax Whitworth and Judah and Madeline Whitworth; two sisters, Joyce Whitaker of Euless, TX and Ellen Watson of Monticello, GA.; a brother-in-law, Dr. Clyde Whitworth of Carrollton, GA; and four sisters-in-law, Morene Whitworth of Boone, NC, Jane Whitworth of Liberty, SC, Gail Willis of Zebulon, GA, and Mae Willis of Williamson, GA.

A service to celebrate Ann's life will be held on Friday, April 29, 2022 at 2:00 PM at Pickens First Baptist Church. The family will receive friends from 1:00 PM until 2:00 PM in the church's fellowship hall. Burial will follow the service at Hillcrest Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Pickens First Baptist Church, 406 E. Main Street, Pickens, SC 29671 for the Lottie Moon International Missions Fund.

Mountain View Funeral Home is serving the Whitworth family.

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memorial Park

2410 Gentry Memorial Hwy
Pickens, SC 29671

Previous Events

Receiving of Friends

APR 29. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Pickens First Baptist Church
406 East Main Street
Pickens, SC 29671

Celebration of Life Service

APR 29. 2:00 PM (ET)

Pickens First Baptist Church
406 East Main Street
Pickens, SC 29671

Burial

APR 29 (ET)

Hillcrest Memorial Park
2410 Gentry Memorial Hwy
Pickens, SC 29671

Tribute Wall

DH

“ Jeff and Victor-- so sorry to hear about your mother. A wonderful lady who was loved by everyone who knew her. My thoughts and prayers are with the entire family.

Dean Holder - April 29, 2022 at 06:43 AM

CG

“ Jeff, as I think about what I want to say here , so many adjectives come to mind as I try to reveal my thoughts of this lady. Devoted, caring, admirable, kind, classy, loving and loved, wise, eye-catching, pretty, giving, insightful,.and modest , just to mention a few.I know you and your family will miss this lady so very much in the days and years ahead. However, when these feelings of loss and grief seem increasingly bigger than yourself, find comfort in knowing that you and your families have decades and decades of memories to draw from in order to have her always near you ! What a blessing!!
Sincerely,.Cathy Hendricks.Green

Cathy Hendricks Green - April 28, 2022 at 10:59 PM

JN

“ Jeff & Victor I was so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. She & my mother, Hazel Lewis, were good friends & neighbors. She was a sweet, sweet lady. I talked her a few months back. She will be missed. Praying for y'all in the coming days.
Joyce & Don Nicholson

Joyce Nicholson - April 28, 2022 at 09:17 PM

KG

“ Mrs. Whitworth mentored me as a young teen to prepare me for Sunday School leadership. She served faithfully and lead me gently. I credit her every time I share my testimony about why I am so passionate about teaching Sunday School. Ann Whitworth blessed my life and guided my future. I am sorry to miss her service, but I am continuing to live out her training by leading a church retreat in Tennessee.

Kathy Duncan Grant - April 28, 2022 at 04:04 PM

MoV

“ 0 file added to the tribute wall

Mountain View Funerals and Cremations - April 28, 2022 at 02:20 PM

KM

“ Victor, I am so sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. Comforting prayers for all of you. Love, Kathy

Kathy McCollum - April 28, 2022 at 12:25 PM

MM

“ I remember you mother so fondly. I am Marsha Gibson Miller and my family lived a few house down from your family on Bell Shoals MANY years ago. My little brother Mike Gibson and Victor played and fished and got into trouble together. Mrs. Whitworth was a dear friend to my mother, Margie Gibson, before my mother moved to Georgia. I took Mom over to visit Mrs. Whitworth several years ago and I remember the joy they had in spending time together and reminiscing even though they had not seen each other in years. Mrs. Whitworth was a dear lady with a beautiful heart and great love for her family.

Marsha G. Miller - April 28, 2022 at 08:38 AM

MH

“ I thank God for the life of love that was shared by Ann. Ann and Jim were first friends when we arrived in Pickens. Ann encouraged our children and made it a point to do so. When I was teaching one of her grandsons at Hagood he mentioned, “We are having game night at our grandmother’s tomorrow.” Ann knew the value of simply giving time to those she loved. Blessings to all hearts who love her legacy of faith and service.

martha hughes - April 28, 2022 at 08:25 AM

MH

“ The Whitworth family and the Holland family have always been close friends. I will miss Ann so much. We visited at the Y, at the grocery store and other places. Please know that all of us are thinking of your family and remembering you in these difficult days.
Marianne Holland

Marianne Holland - April 28, 2022 at 07:22 AM

LT

“ Mrs. Whitworth was such a sweet lady. She had a beautiful smile which she shared readily. Victor and Sharon and the rest of the family, I know she leaves a place that can never be filled. You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Lynn Townes

Lynn Townes - April 27, 2022 at 11:02 PM

GF

“ Mrs. Whitworth, was my teacher at Pickens Jr. High. She was a very sweet teacher! I am so sorry for your loss. Heaven gained a sweet Angel. Will be praying for the family.

Glenda Gravely Fowler - April 27, 2022 at 09:16 PM

GF

“ *Glenda Gravely Fowler lit a candle in memory of Ann Willis Whitworth*



Glenda Gravely Fowler - April 27, 2022 at 09:10 PM

RC

“ *Mrs. Whitworth was a true Christian and southern lady. She lived her testimony. My prayers for her family and church family. Reda Riggins Collins*

Reda Collins - April 27, 2022 at 07:20 PM

SG

“ *Sorry to hear about Ann. She was my teacher in Pickens Jr. High . She was a wonderful. And her husband work at the Pharmacy I went to. May The Lord Comfort all of you during this sad time. You all are in my prayers.*
Shirley Diane Hutto Grant

Shirley Diane Grant - April 27, 2022 at 06:34 PM

JC

“ *Mrs. Whitworth was a wonderful teacher many years ago, and had such a sweet personality. I've seen her many times over the past years and she always had a sweet smile to share.*

Janet Pace Chastain - April 27, 2022 at 05:55 PM

MB

“ Mom And Ben lit a candle in memory of Ann Willis Whitworth



Mom and Ben - April 27, 2022 at 05:49 PM

BC

“ I dearly loved Mrs Ann. She was one of the first people to welcome me into choir when Jerry and I came to First Baptist. She and I sang side by side when she was able. Such a joy to get to know her. Jerry and I are keeping all of you close in our thoughts and prayers as you get through these difficult days.

Beth Couch - April 27, 2022 at 03:38 PM

MO

“ So very sorry to learn of Anne's passing but I She is rejoicing in heaven with her Savior, Jim and so many others. She has always been a blessing to me and wonderful beloved friend to my mother! I thank God for her and pray for all of her family.

Mary Crowther O'Dell - April 27, 2022 at 11:51 AM