



Winnie M Ponder

July 29, 1925 - September 7, 2021

Winnie M. Ponder died September 7, 2021, peacefully at her home surrounded by her family and beloved caretakers, Gail Gorell and Javelle Small-Newsom. She was 96 years old.

Born July 29, 1925, in Edgefield, South Carolina, and a longtime resident of North Brunswick, NJ., Winnie was a dedicated employee of Johnson & Johnson for 28 years—with, by far, the most impeccable work ethic one could possess. She set the precedent for what it meant to work hard and to persevere.

Post retirement, she took care of her mother, enjoyed spending quality time with her brothers, was an avid bingo player and more recently, enjoyed creating memories with her great grandchildren and reminiscing with friends. She lived her life intentionally and purposefully and was impactful to many who've had the pleasure of knowing her.

Predeceased by husband, Zeke Ponder, parents, Ernest & Mattie Wooden, brothers Ernest and Amos Wooden, and son, Edward Ponder.

Surviving are her children, Douglas(Edna) Ponder of Atlanta, GA, Diane Hatley and Pamela Ponder, of Dayton, NJ, grandchildren, Douglas (Lakerah) Ponder of Atlanta, GA, Alana (Jimmy) Ponder-Green of Dayton, NJ, Brandon

Ponder of Atlanta, Georgia, 3 great-grandchildren: Jordan, Kehlani and Jianna, a “son-in-love”, Guy Williams, and a host of family and friends.

Livestream of Funeral:

<https://m.facebook.com/SharonBaptistNJ/>

Previous Events

Livestream

SEP **21**. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM.

Livestream

Tribute Wall



“ *Winnie M Ponder*

September 22, 2022 at 02:41 PM



“ *Gone, not forgotten.*

Adeline Cary - October 20, 2021 at 10:24 PM



“ *She was a great lady 🙏. She'll be greatly missed...*



Carla Lane - September 22, 2021 at 11:21 PM



“ *Beautiful lady*



Odell - September 22, 2021 at 08:41 PM

CE

“ *Claudette Edison lit a candle in memory of Winnie M Ponder*



Claudette Edison - September 21, 2021 at 12:34 PM

AA

“ *My condolences to the ponder family. I will always remember that beautiful smile every Sunday in church with her daughter* ❤️

Alberta Austin - September 21, 2021 at 08:20 AM

CE

*I will miss my beautiful Aunt Winnie and will cherish my memories of her always. Sending much love to my cousins and family during this difficult time." She will always be in our hearts.
Claudette Wooden Edison*

Claudette Edison - September 21, 2021 at 12:39 PM

BO

“ *Blanche OvertreeOwens lit a candle in memory of Winnie M Ponder*



Blanche OvertreeOwens - September 20, 2021 at 10:28 PM

BO

My condolences to the Ponder Family. So many fond memories of Mrs Winnie as a neighbor of Seaman Street and a co worker at Johnson and Johnson. Thoughts and prayers 🙏

Blanche OvertreeOwens - September 20, 2021 at 10:30 PM

VH

“ *Many fond memories of Winnie Mae, throughout the years our families have been connected, because of Uncle Peach and Aunt Ada. You all are in our prayers and we trust our God for only the comfort that He can give.*

*Blessings,
Debbie, Frances, Valerie and Vanessa*

Valerie Haynie - September 20, 2021 at 10:04 PM

JN

“ *Condolences and prayers to the family of Winnie Ponder.*



Jeanette K. Nathan - September 20, 2021 at 09:55 PM

LK

“ *My condolences to the Ponder family your loss. Grandma Winnie was and always will be a beautiful soul who touched the lives of many and brought joy and laughter to her friends and family. May the wonderful memories you shared bring joy and comfort during this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Love always,

La Kerah

La Kerah - September 20, 2021 at 05:35 PM

LK

“ *La Kerah lit a candle in memory of Winnie M Ponder*



La Kerah - September 20, 2021 at 05:07 PM

BW

“ *Brantley Williams purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Winnie M Ponder.*



Brantley Williams - September 20, 2021 at 03:07 PM

BL

“ *Becky L. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Winnie M Ponder.*



Becky L. - September 20, 2021 at 11:25 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Winnie M Ponder.*



September 19, 2021 at 10:34 PM

RD

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Rev. Dolores (Dee) Davison - September 19, 2021 at 05:36 PM

BO

Condolences to the Ponder Family. Fond memories of Mrs. Winnie as neighbor of Seaman Street and a co worker at Johnson & Johnson. You all are in my thoughts and prayers 🙏❤️

Blanche OvertreeOwens - September 20, 2021 at 10:17 PM

BJ

“Our sincere sympathy on the passing of your beloved and precious mother and Grandmother. We have you in our prayers. God bless, James and Barbara Jones

Barbara Jones - September 19, 2021 at 05:15 PM



“Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Winnie M Ponder.



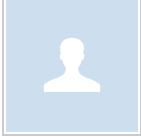
September 19, 2021 at 12:19 PM

RD

“Rev. Dolores (Dee) Davison lit a candle in memory of Winnie M Ponder



Rev. Dolores (Dee) Davison - September 19, 2021 at 07:47 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Winnie M Ponder.



September 18, 2021 at 02:03 PM