



Sara Elsie Middleton Hinton

July 19, 1937 - February 10, 2024

North Augusta, SC – Graveside Funeral Services for Mrs. Sara Elsie Middleton Hinton, 86, who entered into rest February 10, 2024, will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Pineview Memorial Gardens. Rev. Roy Kiser officiating. The family will receive friends at the graveside following the service.

Elsie was born July 19, 1937, to the late Lundy Spencer Thompson and Sara Ruth Anderson Thompson Jackson Wilson. She was a native of Augusta, GA and graduated from the Academy of Richmond County, later attending Phillips College. In 1970, Elsie made North Augusta her home and became a member of First Baptist Church of North Augusta. She was a faithful Christian who loved serving her church family and community as a Sunday School teacher and was an integral part of countless ministry programs throughout the years. Elsie was actively involved in the Golden Glow #76 Order of the Eastern Star, where she served in various leadership positions. However, her greatest joy in life was serving her family as a homemaker. She was a dedicated wife, mother, and grandmother.

Elsie was preceded in death by her first husband William R. "Johnie" Middleton; her second husband, Charlie Hill; and her third husband, James H. "Jim" Hinton; a son, Johnie Middleton; and a grandson, Russell Middleton.

Surviving family members left to cherish her memory include her children, Billy J. Middleton (Denise), Becky Dodd (Steve), Cathy Tanton (Tony), Terri Wiley (Matt), Lee Hill (Joe Schofield), and Ellen Harper; a daughter-in-law, Pam Middleton; a brother, Joseph D. Thompson (Joyce); grandchildren, Barry Middleton (Erin), Craig Middleton (Kelsy), Lauren Farr (James), Sarah Dodd, Travis Dodd, Kaylyn Middleton, Dilon Tanton (Anna Kate), Coleman Tanton (Lindsey), Carter Tanton (Stephanie), Tori Holsomback (Jordan), Taryn Wiley, Liam Wiley, C.J. Hill, William Hill, Tiffany Marie Hill, and Weston Harper; and 18 great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Active Pallbearers will be her grandsons, Barry Middleton, Craig Middleton, Travis Dodd, Coleman Tanton, Dilon Tanton, Carter Tanton, Weston Harper, William Hill, and C.J. Hill.

Honorary Pallbearers will be the Jackie Neely Circle.

Memorial Donations may be made to the Children's Ministry of First Baptist Church of North Augusta, 625 Georgia Avenue, North Augusta, SC 29841.

Previous Events

Graveside

FEB **15**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Pineview Memorial Gardens
450 West Five Notch Road
North Augusta, SC 29841

Visitation Following The Graveside Service

FEB **15** (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DS

“ I remember Elsie from First Baptist Church and many of the activities we participated in together there! She was so loving, sweet, and kind.! She was always soft-spoken and never had a bad word to say about anyone. She loved her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren! I will be praying for the entire family during this difficult time! May God grant you peace and love! Sincerely,
Donna Sherman

Donna Sherman - February 20, 2024 at 02:36 PM

SB

“ Such a sweet lady like her mother. My Mema(Zola Maddox) lived across the street from Mrs. Jackson. Mrs. Jackson always insisted I have a cookie and milk if I was taking something over for my Mema. Wonderful family! So sorry for your loss!
Sheila Boulware
(Zola's granddaughter)

Sheila Boulware - February 18, 2024 at 01:16 PM

EE

“ Elsie was a very sweet lady and I enjoyed being around her. We worked together with good news club after school program and she worked with the kids wonderfully. Prayers for the family.

Erma Hiott Ellis - February 16, 2024 at 09:12 PM

CK

“ Carol & Eddie Kennedy purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Sara Elsie Middleton Hinton.



Carol & Eddie Kennedy - February 15, 2024 at 08:01 AM

DA

“ Billy and family,
I am saddened to learn of the passing of your Mom. She was always such a fine Christian lady and was a great friend to me. You are in my prayers.
God Bless y'all.

Don Alexander - February 14, 2024 at 09:13 PM

AF

“ Amber Lewis and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Sara Elsie Middleton Hinton.



Amber Lewis and Family - February 14, 2024 at 10:26 AM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Sara Elsie Middleton Hinton.



February 14, 2024 at 09:10 AM

LF

“ Love, Joey and Marla Thompson and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sara Elsie Middleton Hinton.

Love, Joey and Marla Thompson and family - February 14, 2024 at 09:10 AM

TH

“ A great lady that I remember so fondly from my childhood. My condolences to Billy, Becky, Kathy, and the entire Middleton family.
Tom Holland

Tom Holland - February 13, 2024 at 01:06 PM

LB

“ Lee Bultman lit a candle in memory of Sara Elsie Middleton Hinton



Lee Bultman - February 13, 2024 at 10:10 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Sara Elsie Middleton Hinton.



February 13, 2024 at 09:48 AM

AY

“ *What a beautiful lady with an amazing soul. She was so kind to everyone and raised some amazing children. She is now a saint in Heaven and whole in the Lord. Prayers for her beautiful family and friends. Love you sweet Lady!*

Annette Young - February 12, 2024 at 07:19 PM

JH

“ *She was a dear friend, a former neighbor. I will miss her. Praying for the family.*

JOHNNIE HUNTER - February 12, 2024 at 06:01 PM