



Rosa Anne Buchanan

March 17, 1930 - November 11, 2017

Buchanan, Rosa Anne, age 87, of Wilsonville, went peacefully to be with her Lord in the early hours of Saturday, November 11, 2017 surrounded by loved ones. The visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Friday, November 17, 2017 at Bolton Funeral Home. The funeral service will follow at 11:00 a.m. Friday, November 17, 2017 at the funeral home with Rev. Steve Thomas officiating. Burial will follow at Pinelawn Gardens. Bolton Funeral Home is directing.

Originally from Gainesville, Georgia, she became an integral part of her small Alabama community. Anne was a long-time member of Wilsonville Baptist serving in many roles, contributing to the spiritual growth of all those around her.

She loved watching the Atlanta Braves and cheering for her Auburn Tigers. Her sewing skills were appreciated by everyone who received quilts and works of cross stitch. One of her proudest moments was having her work published in "Quilter's World" magazine. You could always find a jigsaw puzzle in progress and completed ones displayed with pride. Known to family and friends as 'Nana', she kept everyone laughing, never taking life or herself too seriously.

Mrs. Buchanan is survived by her children: Tonny (Nancy) of Milledgeville,

Georgia, Jim (Janice) of Dothan, Alabama, Joe (Linda) of Abbeville, Alabama, Linda, of Wilsonville, and Steve (Monica) of Bakersfield, California; 8 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren who brought her great joy. Anne was preceded in death by her loving husband Clifford Walker Buchanan.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Wilsonville Baptist Church in Anne's name would be greatly appreciated.

Please sign online condolences at www.boltonfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Pinelawn Gardens

207 Hwy 47 South
Columbiana, AL 35051

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Bolton Funeral Home
207 Hwy 47 South
PO Box 4
Columbiana, AL 35051
(205) 669-3179

Funeral Service

NOV 17. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

CM

“ My friendship with Anne goes back a long, long way. My life was truly enriched when Anne came into it. We shared everything we had daily long, long talks on the phone, or we visited in person. I would tell Charlie I was going to Anne's and he would say that he would see me whenever.

Anne taught me how to make many lovely things with a piece of material, needle and thread. We crafted together, we went to Home Demonstration together, out to eat, and visited mutual friend, Evelyn Hall. She was a friend that knew everything about me, yet she still liked me.

Time never meant anything to the two of us, she was a friend that knew everything me and I likewise knew everything about her, yet we still loved each other dearly.

One of the things Anne and I did was study the Bible together. Now more than likely her wit would surface, we were studying in Solomon, about his seven hundred wives, and his three hundred concubines. It took not quite a second for her comic side to surface. She promptly replied, "that was awesome". She told me she would only have to cook every one thousand days. And we laughed.

Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some stay for a while and leave footprints on our hearts, and we are never ever the same. I will miss you since you moved to heaven.

Love,

Connie

Connie Morris - November 15, 2017 at 05:13 PM

AN

“ Not Only was Ann a wonderful and hilarious woman, she was most importantly a TRUE woman of God. She touched so many for Christ and she has been rewarded for her work here.

I worked for Mrs. B for several years and was treated like nothing more than a part of the family. I love her dearly and look forward to seeing her again at heavens gates.

Anna - November 15, 2017 at 11:28 AM

PS

“ Enjoyed so much all the little talks we shared at her kitchen table,just the two of us. She was so sweet to me. P.Sheppard

Patricia Sheppard - November 15, 2017 at 08:27 AM

FP

“ Mrs Buchanan was always so pleasant to be around and so sweet.Loved her.

Freida Perry - November 14, 2017 at 07:45 AM

MH

“ *As i think on this ladys life she had so much to offer. I can remember a time in my life when I was going through a rough trial and this precious lady I called (Nana) knew how to pull me through and get me back on my feet. She not only got me interested in crafts, etc -, but she prayed with me and for me. I knew I had found a true friend Bro Tom Minor defines what the true meaning of friendship is.. One that will be there through thick and thin; One in whom you can confide you're most personal thoughts with and be assured they are kept in confidence; One who loves unconditionally; One who listens without speaking; aids without compensation; and protects without fear of what others might think This is what kind of friend I had found in Nana . Her life and legacy will always live on in my heart. I will always love her, and she will be greatly missed. She will never be forgotten. Marlynn Howard*

Marlynn Howard - November 13, 2017 at 09:08 PM



“ *French Eil Lansford lit a candle in memory of Rosa Anne Buchanan*



French Eil Lansford - November 13, 2017 at 08:04 PM

SM

“ As I write this message, I feel that half my heart went to heaven with Rosa Anne. Only God could create such a dear friend and relationship for me. We spoke almost daily for an hour at a time, on the phone encouraging each other and laughing together. We had the type of friendship that was there from beginning to the end. She always had time for me as did I for her. She had a way of making everyone feel important. The last time we spoke, she was still witty and said she loved me, we will talk tomorrow....
In Anne's Honor, I hope to use my time to encourage others as she has me. When the phone rings I will think of my friend.
Prayers for Anne's family and other friends as she will deeply be missed.
Sue McCrimmon

Sue McCrimmon - November 13, 2017 at 07:09 PM

JH

“ Anne was such a sweet friend to my mother, Vera Strickland. Joan Hinson

Joan Hinson - November 13, 2017 at 04:19 PM

AT

“ Oh my goodness I cant say enough about what Anne meant to me. She was one of the funniest people I knew even when she did not feel good. I cherish the memories I have of just setting talking with Anne at her house or on one of the many trips we took together. The last memory I have of Anne is when she rode to Pell City with me about 6 months ago before she started having trouble and going into the hospital. I laughed all the way over there and back. I remember she use to tell me if I called her and wanted her to go somewhere with me that she would have to think about it because she would have to schedule it near the one day of the week she took a bath. She says you know its takes a lot to bathe this awesome body there is so much of it. I loved Anne like a second mother and she will truly truly be missed. I know she and my mother who she loved very much are talking and laughing with each other up in heaven.

Angela Treadaway - November 13, 2017 at 03:47 PM

SJ

“ Stephen S. Pierce, Jr. lit a candle in memory of Rosa Anne Buchanan



Stephen S. Pierce, Jr. - November 13, 2017 at 03:31 PM