



Mr. Norman Newell Turner

August 31, 1933 - January 7, 2021

Funeral services for Mr. Norman Newell Turner, 87, will be held at 2:00 pm on Sunday, January 10th, 2021 at the First Baptist Church. The Rev. Dr. Greg Boyd will officiate and the family will receive friends following the service in the Sanctuary. Burial will be at 2:00 pm on Monday, January 11, 2021 in the Union Baptist Church Cemetery, Hanna, SC.

Norman entered into rest on Thursday, January 7, 2021. Born August 31, 1933 in Hanna, SC, he was a son of the late Pearl Powell Turner and Joseph Otley Turner. He grew up in Hanna and after graduating high school enlisted in the U. S. Army and spent two years serving in Germany. Upon returning, he went to the University of South Carolina and obtained a bachelor's degree in accounting. Shortly afterward he went to work for Sonoco Products Company in Hartsville where he spent his career as an accountant.

Norman is the last survivor of nine children, having six brothers and two sisters. He leaves behind his wife, Nancy Cox Turner of 64 years and children, Mike (Pat) Turner and Rosemary (Daniel) Dixon. Through their extended family, they have seven grandchildren, twenty-two great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

He enjoyed fishing as a hobby all his life, and attended the First Baptist Church in Hartsville where he worked with the youth of the church for many years. With his hobby, job, family, and church life he stayed busy and had a

full life.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church, 104 East Home Avenue, Hartsville, SC 29550.

Cemetery Details

Union Baptist Church Cemetery

Hanna, SC

Previous Events

Service

JAN 10. 2:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church
104 E. Home Ave.
Hartsville, SC

Visitation

JAN 10. 2:40 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church
104 E. Home Ave.
Hartsville, SC

Graveside

JAN 11. 2:00 PM.

Union Baptist Church Cemetery
Hanna, SC

Tribute Wall



“ *Brown - Pennington - Atkins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - January 09, 2021 at 03:25 PM

TW

“ *Mike and Rosemary and family, I just wanted to let you know how much your dad has meant to my family over the years and what wonderful memories we have of all of you. My dad was just telling me about a time when "the men" had gone fishing on Santee, and huge waves were swamping his boat. Your dad came and "rescued" Andy so that dad could get his boat back to shore. I know how much my dad loved going fishing with your dad, and I know that both my parents love him and your mom. He was a very special man, and we love you all. Please know we are sending love and prayers.*

Tammy Watkins - January 28, 2021 at 04:22 PM

LK

“ *I was saddened to hear of Mr. Norman's passing. He was a wonderful man with a great sense of humor! My prayers go out to Mrs. Nancy and the family during this difficult time.*

Lin Kirkman - January 19, 2021 at 11:42 AM

JG

“ So sorry for your loss. I got to know Mr. Turner when I worked at FBC. He was such a gentle soul. I will miss him. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Johnny & Rhonda Ghoens - January 16, 2021 at 07:28 PM

RH

“ It was a joy to have known Norman Turner for many years at Sonoco. It always seemed that whenever I passed Norman around campus Nancy was right there beside him. What a great testament to love, devotion, and support from these two wonderful people... and both gave of themselves to all they came in contact with. Love and Prayers to Nancy and other family members.

Rodger Hatchell - January 13, 2021 at 02:23 PM

PC

“ Pam Chapman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner



Pam Chapman - January 11, 2021 at 03:21 PM

RC

“ Richard And Gail Culyer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner



Richard and Gail Culyer - January 11, 2021 at 09:18 AM

KB

“ Norm will truly be missed. He was such a blessing to me & many of the youth at church. I loved reading the comments from several youth about his legacy on Facebook. I hope I make a difference in their lives also. To God be the Glory!!! Prayers for the family.

Kelly Beasley - January 10, 2021 at 08:14 PM

RW

“ Nancy, Mike, and Rosemary, I am sorry for your lost. We are keeping you in our prayers

Ralph Winburn - January 10, 2021 at 05:23 PM

BG

“ Betty Stogner Gainey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner



Betty Stogner Gainey - January 10, 2021 at 02:13 PM



“ Linda Knorr lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner



Linda Knorr - January 10, 2021 at 01:01 PM

KB

“ *Kathy Barrineau lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Kathy Barrineau - January 10, 2021 at 01:00 PM

MW

“ *Mike Ward lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Mike Ward - January 10, 2021 at 08:01 AM

SH

“ *My prayers to the family. Norman was a fine person and always a gentleman. Norman was a great neighbor for over forty years. We mainly talked over piles of yard waste and at the mail box. I enjoyed every conversation with him and despite our age difference we found that we had a lot in common. He was proud of his home and yard and was always outside working to keep everything looking the way he wanted it to look. He also took pride in doing what needed to be done himself. When I first moved across from Norman I knew that he expected me to keep my yard up too and I did. I will miss seeing him and having our brief talks.*



Sandra and Larry Huggins - January 09, 2021 at 11:38 PM

VB

“ Nancy, Rosemary, and Mike. We have lost a good one, a fine gentleman. Prayers for you all during this time of grief. Stay focused on the good memories. He was such a good friend to Charles, and of course our family. Friday Night football games will never be the same without those two. Love you all.

vernion boyd - January 09, 2021 at 10:36 PM

RW

“ Nancy, I am so sorry to hear about Norman. He was such a smart, wonderful person and was so well thought of by everyone at that had the pleasure of working with him at Sonoco. My thoughts and prayers will be with you and your family. Rhonda

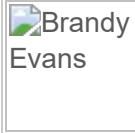
Rhonda and Jimmy Watkins - January 09, 2021 at 07:15 PM



“ 8 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - January 09, 2021 at 04:26 PM



“ *Brandy Evans lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Brandy Evans - January 09, 2021 at 04:08 PM



“ *LaJoyce Chapman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



LaJoyce Chapman - January 09, 2021 at 02:56 PM

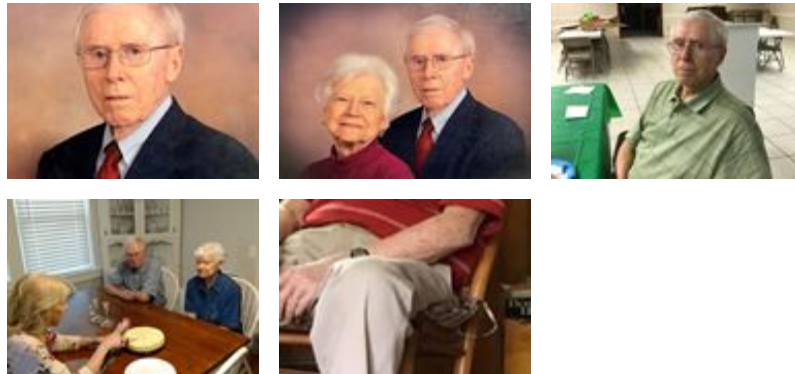


An outstanding Christian gentleman!

Lee & Margaret Lanier - January 09, 2021 at 04:23 PM



“ *35 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - January 09, 2021 at 02:49 PM

FL

“ So sorry to hear about Norman. We'll be praying for your family.
Lily Bailey & Fran Langley

Fran Langley - January 09, 2021 at 02:35 PM

GT

“ *Gary Turner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Gary Turner - January 09, 2021 at 12:39 PM

JM

“ *Janet Turner Mills lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Janet Turner Mills - January 09, 2021 at 12:37 PM

GM

“ *Goode & Gail Mobley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Goode & Gail Mobley - January 09, 2021 at 12:20 PM

WW

“ Nancy, our hearts hurt for you and your family.
God's blessings and comfort for all of you.

Wayne Stratton Wallace



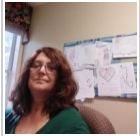
Wayne Wallace - January 09, 2021 at 11:42 AM

JG

“ Rosemary I'm praying for you and your family!
God Bless!



Jerri Gainey - January 09, 2021 at 11:13 AM



“ I have good memories of Mr. Turner from
growing up a couple of houses down from the
family. Recently I saw both Mr. and Mrs.
Turner several times in Wal-mart and had a
good conversation with them. Mrs. Turner,
Rosemary and Mike- my prayers are with you.



Robin Griggs - January 09, 2021 at 10:19 AM

DW

“ Debbie & Mike Winburn lit a candle in
memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner



Debbie & Mike Winburn - January 09, 2021 at 10:04 AM

CH

“ *Cindy Harrell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Cindy Harrell - January 09, 2021 at 08:26 AM

RB

“ *Roy Bowers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Roy Bowers - January 09, 2021 at 07:34 AM

GB

“ *Nancy, I have many fond memories of working with Norman at Sonoco and so much gratitude for the many instances that he helped me solve problems. Both Norman and you are wonderful examples of people that allowed your Christian love and light to shine. Thinking of you and your family with much love Gloria Bell*



Gloria Bell - January 08, 2021 at 11:46 PM

CG

“ *Connee Grantham lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Connee Grantham - January 08, 2021 at 09:59 PM

FS

“ *Dear Nancy and Family,*

*We were so very sorry to learn Of the passing
of your dear husband Norman.*

*Our thoughts and prayers for comfort and
peace in the days to come.*

With Love,

Faye and Dick



Faye Stinson - January 08, 2021 at 05:56 PM

SC

“ *Sherry Cross lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Norman Newell Turner*



Sherry Cross - January 08, 2021 at 05:51 PM

BM

“ *Nancy, I was so sorry to learn of Norman's
passing. My love for you and your family
during this difficult time. May you feel God's
love and comfort in a special way.*



Billie McManus - January 08, 2021 at 05:01 PM

BD

“ *Billy Dalrymple lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Billy Dalrymple - January 08, 2021 at 04:10 PM

LT

“ *I got to know Norman when we worked at Sonoco. He was a kind, gentle soul...a true gentleman. I am so saddened by his passing. Nancy and Rosemary, you are in my thoughts and prayers in the difficult days ahead. May God give you strength and peace.*



Linda Thompson - January 08, 2021 at 03:42 PM

JD

“ *John And Judy Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



John and Judy Davis - January 08, 2021 at 02:45 PM

JL

“ *I worked with Norman for years. Not a nicer person
Praying for you Nancy. Judy Lane*

Judy and Marion Lane - January 08, 2021 at 02:13 PM

SF

“ *Sandra And Jamie Flynn lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Sandra and Jamie Flynn - January 08, 2021 at 01:44 PM

JC

“ *Nancy and Rosemary, The last time we saw Norman was when he came with The Golden Fellowship group from First Baptist Church, Hartsville, to a reception Ray and I had in our home for my dear little mother, Norma, when she moved in with us in Gastonia, NC. Norman exemplified Christian love by sharing his Faith in Christ to everyone. He was committed to our Lord, his family and his church family and to those beyond the boundaries of Hartsville. Norman's legacy will live on through all those whose hearts were touched by his Christian influence and who were blessed to know him as their friend. As our hearts grieve the loss of Norman, we pause to celebrate that he has won the victory over death, completely healed, and living with and praising our Father in Heaven. Ray joins me in sending much love and many prayers to you and your family.*

Jacqueline (Jackie) Ludrick Chambers

Jacqueline L. Chambers - January 08, 2021 at 01:26 PM

RW

“ *I have many fond memories of Norman and Nancy at FBC. My heart and prayers go out to you. Becky Wadsworth Walker*

Rebecca Wadsworth Walker - January 08, 2021 at 11:18 AM

RC

“ *Richard And Jane Cheshire lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Richard and Jane Cheshire - January 08, 2021 at 10:56 AM

TW

“ *Norman was such a kind, gentle man...I shall miss him dearly. Terri*

Terri Northcutt Woodham - January 08, 2021 at 10:51 AM

BM

“ *Our prayers to Nancy and family.*

Bob McWatty - January 08, 2021 at 10:49 AM

SM

“ *Sheila Mullis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Sheila Mullis - January 08, 2021 at 09:09 AM

SM

Al and I are saddened by this news. Norman was truly the example of a serving Christian. He was the same at Sonoco and at church. Norman was a gentle soul who served the Lord tirelessly. He will be missed. Sending love and prayers to you all. May God give you peace as only He can.

Sheila Mullis - January 08, 2021 at 09:14 AM

TK

Our deepest sympathy, he was a very fine person

Deb and Tommy Keith

Tommy Keith - January 08, 2021 at 09:52 AM

CH

“ *Crystal Hopkins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner*



Crystal Hopkins - January 08, 2021 at 08:50 AM

KJ

“ *Nancy, I have known you and Norman for many years through our careers at Sonoco. I often worked directly with Norman, needing his assistance and he always came through for me. He was professional, warm, pleasant and always willing and helpful!*

After retirements, I was always happy to run into you and Norm, at the grocery usually. You two are one of the sweetest couples I've ever had the privilege to know. Prayers and condolences for you and your family Nancy.



Karen Jeffords - January 08, 2021 at 07:33 AM

RM

“ *With deepest sympathy...Rachel Doyle Medlin*



Rachel Medlin - January 08, 2021 at 07:26 AM

NJ

“ Nancy and Rosemary, as you shed tears of sorrow for your loss, my prayer tonight is that you know without a shadow of a doubt how much of a difference Norm made in his life for so very many young people. He gave them unconditional love when they needed it most, a course correction when it was warranted and always by how he lived his life pointed them to Jesus. I will never forget that first mission trip to TN the summer of 1995 when he and I were sitting on a rock one evening looking out through the trees. I was excited about ordering a new bible study for the kids but said to him, “I guess I should wait for the new youth pastor to order what he thinks is best.” Without skipping a beat, Norm said, “He’s not coming.” “Then I guess I’ll order the books,” was my reply. He and I never skipped a beat from that point on. I loved him with all my heart!! And I love you too! Rest In Peace Norm Turner! The Lord has gained a precious soul! Nancy J

Nancy Johnsen - January 07, 2021 at 10:44 PM

ML

“ Nancy and Rosemary, my heart is hurting for you. We love you all and send our love, hugs, and prayers. Margaret & Lee Lanier

Margaret Lanier - January 07, 2021 at 10:11 PM

AG

“ Growing up at First Baptist Church allowed me to be surrounded by so many wonderful, loving people. And when I think of the people at church who have really influenced me, Norm is at the top of the list. He was always ready and willing to go anywhere and do anything to help the youth group. I love how many trips I can look back on and have fond memories of Norm. He kept us in line but we could always either make him laugh or sigh and shake his head, not knowing what to do with us. He was one of the best. I hate that I haven't been able to see him since I've become a real "adult" so I could let him know how much I appreciated him and his service to FBC. Sending lots of love and strength to his family.

Amy Honeycutt Glantz - January 07, 2021 at 08:50 PM

PD

“ This makes me so sad! Norman was a giant at FBC

paula davis - January 07, 2021 at 07:51 PM



“ Charlene Nelson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner



Charlene Nelson - January 07, 2021 at 07:29 PM



Barry and I are saddened and are praying for you during this time. May God give you strength and comfort.

Charlene Nelson - January 07, 2021 at 07:30 PM

JG

“ *Jimmy And Judy Gainey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Norman Newell Turner* ”



Jimmy and Judy Gainey - January 07, 2021 at 07:25 PM