



Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb

July 4, 1937 - November 4, 2022

It is with deep sorrow that the Babb family announces the death of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb, 85.

Mrs. Babb entered into rest on Monday, November 4, 2022. The Directors of Hancock-Elmore-Hill Funeral Home are caring for the family.

A graveside funeral service to honor her life will be held at 3 o'clock on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, in Bethlehem United Methodist Cemetery, with The Rev. Lin Kirkman officiating.

Eleanor Reid Babb was born in Union, SC, on July 4, 1937, and was the daughter of Walter Reid and Anna Reid. She was the youngest of eleven children. She married Paul K. Babb on June 19, 1954, at the age of 17. She had two sons, Timmy and Perrin. The family moved to Bishopville, SC, on April 1, 1966, when Paul accepted a position as the Production Manager at Reeves Brothers Yarn Manufacturing Plant. Eleanor worked as a teller at The Peoples Bank in Bishopville and finished her 30-year career as a customer service representative at First Citizens Bank.

Eleanor was a member of First Baptist Church in Bishopville and came to know the Lord as a young girl. She began reading the bible at an early age and was the sword drill champion for Westside Baptist and two other churches

in Union, SC. She represented the three churches in the state competition in Columbia, SC. She loved listening to Paul sing in the choir at the various churches they attended over the years.

Eleanor loved living in Bishopville. She served as a member of the Board of Directors of The Bishopville Opera House. She was an avid gardener and loved showing her guests and many friends around her garden. She was a former golf handicap champion at Bishopville Country Club. She loved watching the boys play sports, particularly golf. She would travel around South Carolina, taking them to golf tournaments and often caddying on the golf course.

Most of all, Eleanor loved her family. She created an extensive genealogy and photo album of the Reid family history for each one of her 30 nieces and nephews.

Eleanor is survived by her husband of 68 years, Paul K. Babb; sons, Tim Babb and his wife, Agnes of Columbia, SC; Perrin Babb and his wife, Debbie; grandson, David Babb and his wife Margaret; great-granddaughter, Margo Babb, all of Beaufort, SC.

Eleanor, Mom, Grandmother, Aunt Eleanor - We love you and will miss you - till we meet again - in glory.

Cemetery Details

Bethlehem United Methodist Church Cemetery

110 Pinchum Sly Road
Bishopville, SC 29010

Previous Events

Graveside

NOV 8. 3:00 PM (ET)

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110 Pinchum Sly Road
Bishopville, SC 29010

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*

October 08, 2023 at 04:16 PM



“ *Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*

March 25, 2023 at 11:01 AM



“ *Lori Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*



Lori Smith - November 12, 2022 at 05:46 AM



“ *Mrs Babb was a class act. She always carried herself in the most elegant ways. Mrs Babb, I will miss your smile and your heart full of kindness.*

Michael Farver - November 08, 2022 at 06:31 PM



“ *Kathy Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*



Kathy Jackson - November 08, 2022 at 02:39 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb.*



November 08, 2022 at 09:36 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb.*



November 07, 2022 at 01:47 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb.*



November 07, 2022 at 10:39 AM



“ *Sheila Raley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*



Sheila Raley - November 06, 2022 at 09:19 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb.



November 06, 2022 at 07:20 PM



“ Clara McElveen lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb



Clara McElveen - November 06, 2022 at 06:21 PM



Paul, Tim and Perrin, so sorry to hear of the death of your love one. She was a friend to many and I know she was a very special to me. May God give each of you comfort, strength and peace in the loss of one so dear. Sending love and prayers to each of you. Clara McElveen

Clara McElveen - November 06, 2022 at 06:26 PM



“ Matt And Betsy Bramlett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb



Matt and Betsy Bramlett - November 06, 2022 at 05:15 PM

JD

“ *Eleanor was a sweet, kind, and loving lady and friend. She was a pleasure to be around! She loved life, her family, friends, and her garden! She will certainly be missed! Love and prayers for the family*

Jennie Darity - November 06, 2022 at 02:58 PM

BR

“ *Sending prayers and love to the Babb family. Mrs. Babb was a sweet soul and I'm grateful to have known her and share wonderful memories with her. She will truly be missed.*



Brooke Raley - November 06, 2022 at 01:33 PM

KJ

“ *Prayers for the family.
Alan and Kathy Jackson*



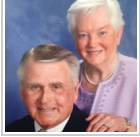
Kathy Jackson - November 06, 2022 at 09:34 AM

AA

“ *Archie And Kay Amerson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*



Archie and Kay Amerson - November 06, 2022 at 09:26 AM



“ *Bill and Annette Hopkins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*



Bill and Annette Hopkins - November 06, 2022 at 09:03 AM



So sorry for your loss She will be missed

Bill and Annette Hopkins - November 06, 2022 at 09:04 AM



“ *Norman and Iris Hayes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*



Norman and Iris Hayes - November 05, 2022 at 11:43 PM



“ *Shirley Wallace lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*



Shirley Wallace - November 05, 2022 at 11:23 PM



“ *Heartbroken! I will miss my dear friend. Prayers for Paul and the family*

Shirley Wallace - November 05, 2022 at 11:20 PM

CM

“ *Clara McElveen lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*



Clara McElveen - November 05, 2022 at 11:11 PM

RH

“ *Rosalie Hyatt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eleanor Reid Babb*



Rosalie Hyatt - November 05, 2022 at 10:59 PM

RH

*Love and prayers for your family! Mrs. Eleanor was such a sweet lady!
You are all in my prayers!*

Rosalie Hyatt - November 05, 2022 at 11:01 PM