



## Odell Wiggins Odom

May 30, 1926 - September 24, 2016

Odell Wiggins Odom (90) of Gates, NC departed this earthly life on September 24, 2016 at her residence. She was born on May 30, 1926 to the late Frank and Mary Savage Wiggins in Gates, NC.

She was a member of New Piney Grove Baptist Church. She retired from Gates County Public Schools as a teacher assistant.

Odell leaves to cherish precious memories: (1) daughter, Marilyn Eason of Dayton, NJ; (1) son, Leon Taylor of Florida; (1) sister, Mary Elizabeth Dildy of Gates, NC; (2) grandchildren, (3) great-grandchildren; a host of other relatives and friends.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 30. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

New Piney Grove Baptist Church  
Drumhill Road  
Gates, NC

## Service

OCT 1. 12:00 PM (ET)

New Middle Swamp Baptist Church  
Corapeake, NC

# Tribute Wall

RC

“ *Rev. & Mrs. J. A. Calhoun Spartanburg, S. C. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Odell Wiggins Odom.*



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**Rev. & Mrs. J. A. Calhoun Spartanburg, S. C.** - September 30, 2016 at 04:16 PM



“ *24 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Hunter's Funeral Home** - September 30, 2016 at 10:32 AM

SL

*So sorry to hear about Mrs. Odom's death. Praying for her family. She was a sweet lad, and she will be missed.*  
*Sherl Lowe*

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**Sherl Lowe** - October 06, 2016 at 08:49 AM

MW

*Marilyn & Leon, I just found out today (10/6) about Odell's passing. I call her "Odell" because that is what we 3 boys lovingly called her. We all have sweet memories of when she took care of us. She could be stern when she had to, but she protected us from the wrath of Daddy on more than one occasion! Wayne & I remember different stories, but I have heard Daddy repeat a couple of times he remembered when the 3 of us really got under her skin a few times! Wayne and I both have very fond memories of your mom, and she will always have a special place in our hearts. I know you both will miss her greatly, as will her extended family, friends, and those in her church. I just wanted you both to know what a positive affect she had on me at a young age. You are very blessed to have had such a wonderful mother, as I'm sure you're already aware of. God bless you all, and Peace be with you during this time....*

*Mike Whitehurst  
Mwhitehurst@aol.com*

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**Mike Whitehurst** - October 06, 2016 at 05:17 PM

ES

“ *Ethel Knight Stevens lit a candle in memory of Odell Wiggins Odom*



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**Ethel Knight Stevens** - September 30, 2016 at 09:37 AM

SM

“ *Sarah Montague lit a candle in memory of Odell Wiggins Odom*



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**Sarah montague** - September 29, 2016 at 06:02 PM

SB

“ *Shelia Harrison Beamon lit a candle in memory of Odell Wiggins Odom*



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**Shelia Harrison Beamon** - September 29, 2016 at 03:14 PM

GG

“ *Gail Griffin lit a candle in memory of Odell Wiggins Odom*



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**Gail Griffin** - September 29, 2016 at 12:06 PM

FW

“ *Fannie W.Wiggins lit a candle in memory of Odell Wiggins Odom*



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**Fannie W.Wiggins** - September 28, 2016 at 01:57 AM

VJ

“ *Vanessa Harrison Johnson lit a candle in memory of Odell Wiggins Odom*



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**Vanessa Harrison Johnson** - September 27, 2016 at 01:52 PM

PH

“ Pamela Harvey lit a candle in memory of Odell Wiggins Odom



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**Pamela Harvey** - September 27, 2016 at 12:52 PM

DH

“ Delores Harvey lit a candle in memory of Odell Wiggins Odom



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**Delores Harvey** - September 27, 2016 at 10:13 AM

DB

“ Deloris Branch lit a candle in memory, of Mrs. Odell Odom. May God Bless the family.

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**Deloris Branch** - September 26, 2016 at 09:35 PM