



## Denelle Rice Holland

September 14, 1923 - October 31, 2018

Conway.....

Denelle Rice Holland from Anderson, SC died peacefully on October 31, 2018. She attended Anderson College then Winthrop College where she studied to become a school teacher. She married Arthur Brown Holland in 1948 and moved to Port Arthur, Texas where they ran a hardware store and their first child, Chip was born. They returned to South Carolina and moved to Cheraw, SC in 1957. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Cheraw and taught Sunday school there. She loved teaching, painting, playing the piano and going camping in the summers with her family. Upon retiring from teaching, she moved to Myrtle Beach, SC. She attended Myrtle Beach Baptist Church and drove the activities bus on occasion.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Don Dewey Rice, Sr. and Nellie Ann Strickland Rice, her brothers' Perry Ray Rice, Don D. Rice, Jr and her husband, Arthur Brown Holland, Jr. She is survived by her four children; Chip (Dianne) Holland, Jan (Bob) Sylvester; Sandra Denelle Howard; Layne (Robin) Holland: seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Graveside service will be held at 2:00 PM Sunday, November 3, 2018 at Garden of Memories Cemetery, in Belton, SC with Rev. Mike Moody officiating.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 – 6:00 PM Saturday at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to First Baptist Church of Myrtle Beach, 500th, 4th Ave, N, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577. [www.fbc.com](http://www.fbc.com)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel, is serving this family.

# Cemetery Details

## Garden of Memories

151 Garden of Memories Rd.  
Belton, SC 29627

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 3. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch - Conway Chapel  
606-610 Beaty Street  
Conway, SC 29528-0439

## Graveside Service

NOV 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

Garden of Memories  
151 Garden of Memories Rd.  
Belton, SC 29627

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dee was delightful lady, loved to see her big smile.*

Barbara Patrick - November 18, 2018 at 07:19 PM



“ *A beautiful woman. Prayers for all the family.*

Melanie Jordan - November 04, 2018 at 08:21 AM



“ *Mama Dee treated me like one of her own children. I always loved her beautiful hair and admired how stylish she always was. She let us be children, she let us be teenagers, she supported and trusted us to make the right decisions. It was funny having her as a second grade teacher when at home she was Mama Dee. She had the whole class create hand made get well cards for me when I was out sick for a month from school and hand delivered them to my house. There were just so many years and now I think back and wish I could remember every day. For some reason God saw to put her in my life and I am eternally grateful.*

Nancy Mickleberry - November 02, 2018 at 09:16 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Denelle Rice Holland.*



November 02, 2018 at 09:01 PM

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“ Always a smile and long black hair worn up in a neat bun, EXCEPT on Halloween. She let her hair down, it hung to her waist, and dressed appropriately for her primary school children. It was to the delight of the children when she handed them candy and they recognized who their Halloween visitor was. She was warm and funny, besides being a great Primary School teacher. Mama Dee! A beautiful woman!



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CLH - November 02, 2018 at 05:58 PM

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“ Mrs. Holland was my 1st grade teacher and my sister's the year before. My sister and I were sharing memories of her last week. She will always have a special place in my heart. My thoughts and prayers are with her children & grandchildren.



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William B Burr - November 02, 2018 at 07:06 AM