



## Gladys Bellamy

March 26, 1919 - May 22, 2015

Conway...On May 22, 2015, the sweet soul of Gladys McNeill Bellamy was given her heavenly body after a long and faithful life. She was born in Conway, SC on March 26, 1919 to Beulah Brittingham McNeill and Archibald McDermott McNeill. She is predeceased by her parents, her brother John Franklin McNeill, USAF, and her husband, Joseph Devine Bellamy. Sr. She is the mother of two children, Joseph Devine (Joey) Bellamy, Jr of Conway, SC and May Bryden Bellamy of Sullivan's Island, SC and grandmother to Bryden Maria Brittingham Bellamy, also of Sullivan's Island.

Gladys graduated from Conway High School and attended Coker College. She was employed by the Farmers Home Administration until retirement. In addition to being a wonderful, loving wife, mother and grandmother, she was a devoted member of First Baptist Church of Conway and also helped start Sunday School classes for Langston Baptist Church. She enjoyed her time in the Azalea Garden Club, the Conway Fine Arts Club and the Horry County Historical Society. Some of her favorite things in life were reading, trying new recipes, growing daffodils and daylilies, brightening the day of others and whistling sweet tunes.

Gladys was a true southern lady, full of grace, gratitude and resilience. Her faith in God was steadfast and she lived her life accordingly. She was admired and loved by her family and friends and we thank God for sharing her with us. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Sunday from First Baptist Church, Conway, with Rev. Rocky Taylor officiating. Burial will follow in Bellamy

Cemetery, Longs, SC, directed by Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel.  
The family will receive friends in the church fellowship hall from 1:00 until 2:00  
PM Sunday.

Sign an online guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **24.** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Conway  
603 Elm Street  
Conway, SC 29526  
<http://www.fbconway.org>

## Service

MAY **24.** 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“*Mrs. Bellamy was the perfect Southern Lady with a giving spirit. Helping others seemed to make her incredibly happy. The Bellamy family invited me to join them for a Christmas gospel concert at Drayton Hall and that memory of special music in a historic setting is one of my greatest memories ever. They shared their love of Christ Jesus through glorious music with me. My heart was full. I am thankful Mrs Bellamy was a part of my life. Love to Bryden, Joey and Bryden Maria. Rest sweet Gladys.*

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**Kim Murrill** - May 23, 2015 at 10:33 PM



“*Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Gladys Bellamy.*



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May 23, 2015 at 11:09 AM

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“*I am saddened to hear that Mrs. Gladys has gone from the earth, however, she is present with God. She was my Sunday School teacher during my young years and was such a great inspiration . She will truly be missed. Sandra Strickland*

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**Sandra Strickland** - May 22, 2015 at 06:40 PM