



## Shirley Todd Sessions

April 28, 1952 - January 9, 2026

Conway..... Shirley Todd Sessions, age 73, wife of Johnny M. Sessions, Jr. passed away Friday, January 9, 2026.

Mrs. Sessions was born in Conway, a daughter of the late John Heyward and Virginia Meridith Milligan Todd. She was a member of Langston Baptist Church. Prior to retirement, she was employed by New South, Inc. for 30 years. She was predeceased by a son, David Todd and a brother, Mike Todd. Mrs. Sessions was an avid gardener.

A true Southern lady, Mrs. Sessions was known for her nurturing soul, love of family, and lifelong friendships. She possessed a rare kind of grace, offering a warm smile and courage to family and friends. A woman of intellect and faith, Mrs. Sessions possessed a sharp curiosity about the world and a great love of written word. She found her greatest strength in her walk with the Lord, always seeking to grow closer to him.

Surviving in addition to her husband of Conway are: one daughter, Dorie Todd of Conway; one son, Duffie Todd of Conway; three grandchildren, Hillary Todd, Ethan Tompkins, and Eli Boyd; one brother, Steve Todd (Debbie) of Andrews, SC; and three sisters, Joyce Hartley and Judy Holland, both of Myrtle Beach, and Johnice McInerney (Frank) of Pawleys Island, SC; and several cousins, nieces, and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Monday, January 12, 2026 from Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel with Rev. Danny Whitener and Rev. Mack Hutson officiating. Burial will follow in Campground Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 10:00 AM until 11:00 AM Monday.

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

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

# Cemetery Details

## Campground Cemetery

9th Ave  
Conway, 29526

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel  
606-610 Beaty Street  
Conway, SC 29526

## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall

PC

“ *My love and prayers to all those Shirley held dear.*

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**Peggy Chestnut** - January 12 at 04:48 PM

DP

“ *So sorry for your loss, Johnny!!*

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**Diana Parker** - January 12 at 10:19 AM

JM

“ *Joanne M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley Todd Sessions.*

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**Joanne M.** - January 11 at 09:37 PM

AN

“ *I was good friends with David in High school and was around Ms. Shirley a good bit, for many years. She was a kind soul and a wonderful lady. She made a a great impression on me and I will always remember her smile.*

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**Anonymous** - January 11 at 07:05 PM

WL

“ *Wanda R Lewis lit a candle in memory of Shirley Todd Sessions*



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**Wanda R Lewis** - January 11 at 05:42 PM

WL

“ *...So sad to learn of Shirley's passing. We graduated together in the Class of 1970 at Conway High School. I remember her in classes as being a gentle, kind and sweet person. Thoughts and prayers are with her family that God will wrap His loving arms around them and give them comfort during the loss of this precious lady. She's not gone - she's just gone home.*

Wanda R Lewis - January 11 at 05:41 PM

JC

*That smile .....will surely be missed. You're all in my thoughts and prayers! 🙏*

Janice Camp - January 12 at 06:51 PM

JS

“ *Judy C Singleton lit a candle in memory of Shirley Todd Sessions*



Judy C Singleton - January 11 at 03:58 PM

CH

“ *To a beautiful lady with a smile that would light up the room. You with be truly missed. Our condolences for the family. Anthony & Carolyn Hearl*



Carolyn Hearl - January 11 at 10:17 AM

PG

“ I always looked up to Shirley growing. My first cousin and I am proud to be part of the fabulous 12. We had a love that even time and distance could not break down. RIP dear faithful one, you are in God's arms now. Pam Graham, Texas



Pamela Graham - January 11 at 09:13 AM

GM

“ So sorry for your loss. Will keep you in my prayers.



Genell McDowell - January 11 at 08:02 AM

RS

“ Rhonda Sanders-Butler lit a candle in memory of Shirley Todd Sessions



Rhonda Sanders-Butler - January 11 at 07:33 AM

AL

“ Ann Dorman Lee lit a candle in memory of Shirley Todd Sessions



Ann Dorman Lee - January 10 at 11:15 PM

SB

“ My condolences to the loving family. So sorry about yr Loss. She was kind ; loving, she, greeted you with a smile that would light up the room. To absent from the body; Is to be present with the Lord . Ms . Todd gained her heavenly wings and with King Jesus.



Sheila Bryant - January 10 at 10:44 PM

BT

“ We always had the best time when we were together. I knew her from 1976 to 1984 until I moved to Oregon. Should have kept in contact more. Just know that you were a great friend and I loved you you precious soul. Brenda Todd.

Brenda. Todd - January 10 at 09:00 PM

LR

“ Lois Cooper Roberts class of 1970 Conway High



Lois Roberts - January 10 at 08:44 PM

PC

“ To all the family, I am so very sorry about Shirley. She was my very best friend from childhood on for many many years. We had some wonderful times, and I loved her and her family dearly. May God grant the family peace now through this difficult time. Love you all.



Phyllis Causey - January 10 at 07:24 PM

JS

“ Jackie Holt Shaw lit a candle in memory of Shirley Todd Sessions



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**Jackie Holt Shaw** - January 10 at 07:21 PM

DM

“ Debbie Murrell lit a candle in memory of Shirley Todd Sessions



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**Debbie Murrell** - January 10 at 02:48 PM