



## Wilma Jean Seggie

September 9, 1932 - December 16, 2021

Myrtle Beach, SC

Wilma Jean Seggie went to be with her Lord and Savior at the age of 89 suddenly on Thursday, December 16, 2021 at her home.

Jean was born on September 9, 1932 in Midlothian, Maryland to the late Wilburt and Jessie Filer Hoban. Jean was a kind and loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother.

Jean was born and raised in a log cabin in a small coal-mining town in the mountains of Western Maryland. As a coal miner's daughter, her daily job was to shake out the coal from her father's clothes, who called her Queenie. She graduated from Beall High School in 1950, then went to work at Frostburg Pajama Factory sewing pockets on the pajama tops.

She and her husband, Lloyd "Bugs" Seggie, recently celebrated 68 years of marriage. They met when Bugs was born, a year after Jean, and began to date at age 14. They were married on December 5, 1953. They had three daughters: Joleen Tinsley, Jolinda Smith, and Amy Herrera. Bugs was in the Air Force; they were stationed in Germany, Belgium, Washington DC, Illinois, New Mexico, Arizona, Mississippi, Delaware, and finally South Carolina where they have resided for 47 years.

She became a member of Socastee Baptist Church when she moved to South Carolina. She was the nursery coordinator, taught Sunday School and Vacation Bible School, and was incredibly involved throughout the church for more than 25 years. She served lunch at Calvary Christian School and taught Weight Watchers for 28 years, and also worked at Har-Nel ceramics with her best friend, Jane Yancey. Her hobbies included cake decorating, sewing, cooking, ceramics, and most importantly spending time with her family.

Jean was a refined lady, a spitfire, and a mom and friend to everyone. She has passed on her wisdom through her stories, which her family and friends always enjoyed. She never met a stranger, she loved everyone, and became mom and grandma to many; her home was welcome to all. Bugs would often say, "Don't bring any 'strays' home" when she would leave the house. Jean was a wonderful listener and everyone knew their secrets were safe with her. Her patience and soft spoken voice brought calmness and comfort to others.

She is preceded in death by her sisters Joann "Annie" Grischow and Eileen "Cotton" Fatkin, Deanie Seggie Cutter (sister "in-law"), and her special friend Jane Yancey.

Jean is survived by her husband and best friend, Lloyd "Bugs" Seggie. She is also survived by her daughters Joleen and her husband Rick of Myrtle Beach, Jolinda Smith and her husband Clay of Durham, NC and Amy Herrera and her husband Oscar of Myrtle Beach; grandchildren Jason Smith, Chuck Tinsley, Aaron Smith, Amanda Tinsley, Jesse Herrera, Kristen Herrera, and Nicole Herrera; great granddaughter Emerald Smith; and sister Sandra Hoban Skerratt.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at 2:00 PM on Tuesday, December 21, 2021 at Socastee Baptist Church with Dr. Micah Lane and Rev. Gregory Heinisch officiating. The family will receive friends from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM at the church. The service will be available for livestream at

[facebook.com/SBCMyrtleBeach.com](https://facebook.com/SBCMyrtleBeach.com).

A special thanks to her homehealth care teams: Kristen, Patrick, Ashley, Christine, Vanessa, Julie, Sylvia, and many more.

Memorials may be made to Socastee Baptist Church Building Fund, 3690 Socastee Blvd. Myrtle Beach, SC 29588.

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is assisting the family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 21. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Socastee Baptist Church  
3690 Socastee Boulevard  
Myrtle Beach, SC 29588

## A Celebration of Life

DEC 21. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

BP

“ *Joleen, your family is in my thoughts and prayers. Ms. Wilma was such a sweet person and she will be dearly missed.*  
*Becky Pendergrass & Tideland's Dental*

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**Becky Pendergrass** - December 30, 2021 at 05:59 PM

VS

“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



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**Vanamo Seppä** - December 21, 2021 at 02:49 PM

BW

“ *She was such a dear lady. I will miss her sweet smile.*

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**Barbara Wilson** - December 21, 2021 at 12:39 PM

SR

“ *Sari and Rob purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Wilma Jean Seggie.*



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**Sari and Rob** - December 20, 2021 at 06:00 PM

IF

“ Amanda and family, I am sorry to hear the loss that has come to you. She was a crackerjack of a lady, glad I knew here when I did. She was always kind to me and her wit was amazing. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. May peace be with you while walking this difficult path.  
Most Sincerely,  
Izzi Frear  
Corbettsville, NY



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**Izzi Frear** - December 20, 2021 at 04:05 PM

KT

“ Mr Seggie, Jolene and Amy, I'm so sorry to learn of Mrs Seggie's passing. She was one of the sweetest and kindest ladies that I have known. God blessed y'all with a wonderful wife and mother. So many good memories growing up in SBC. May God wrap each of you in his love, comfort and peace. My thoughts and prayers to each of you.

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**Kay Chestnut Timmons** - December 20, 2021 at 08:38 AM

GW

“ Lou and I are so very sorry to hear about Mrs. Seggie.  
I have seen Jean a few times over the years that Jay and I have been friends. She was always so put together and very kind.  
We know you all are going to miss her terribly.



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**Gail Wheeler** - December 20, 2021 at 08:04 AM

HF

“ *HERRERA VASQUEZ FAMILY purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Wilma Jean Seggie.*



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**HERRERA VASQUEZ FAMILY** - December 20, 2021 at 01:35 AM

LL

“ *I am so very sorry to hear of Jean's passing. I remember when they were in White Sands, New Mexico, I traveled there to visit them with Shirley, Bugs sister, and her husband Paul Harman. I also used to stay with them for months at a time when they lived in Washington, DC. I would babysit Jolene and Jolinda. My mother, Mary, Bug's sister, never knew when I was going to come home, I loved staying with them. Your mom I thought was gorgeous and I remember she would get up and put her makeup on and be dressed before anyone would get up. I was just a young kid but I remember that so well. Jean was such a lady. Condolences to Bugs and the entire family*  
❤️ *Love Linda Leptic*

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**Linda Leptic** - December 19, 2021 at 09:44 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Wilma Jean Seggie.*



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December 19, 2021 at 08:11 PM

KM

“ My mom and I are so sad to hear of Jean’s passing. She was such a special lady and a good friend to my mom. I have so many special memories of Amy and I making candy with her each Christmas. She was like my second mom. Our condolences to all of you. I know how much she will be missed. Although we are miles apart and haven’t seen each other in years, I just want you all to know that I think about you all the time and will always treasure the years we had together. I wish you all peace going forward.

Love, Kelly Moseley

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**Kelly Moseley** - December 19, 2021 at 07:56 PM

AS

I met Jean when I was dating her sister Joann, Bugs was in the service and she was staying at her parents home in Girard Ohio. Joann and I took her with us almost all the time.

I remember her as being up beat and happy all the time.

Joann passed away several years ago. I am still in contact with Sandy.

My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Allen Sowers

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**Allen Sowers** - December 20, 2021 at 04:10 PM