



## Constance "Connie" Bridner

May 5, 1934 - April 18, 2026

Constance "Connie" Barnes Bridner, 91, wife of the late Rev. Bob Bridner, went home to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, Saturday, April 18, 2026, at Greer Memorial Hospital.

Born in Sykesville, Maryland, she was the daughter of the late James E. and Ethel L. Wall Barnes. She was a homemaker, actively involved with youth and was awarded from the Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts the Silver Fawn Award for exemplary character, and significant impact on youth within a local council.

She and her husband continued that care for youth as they opened their home for several Bob Jones University students to live, and were known as Papa B and Mama B. She was also an active member of Gateway Baptist Church.

She is survived by her son: Don Bridner(Vicki); daughters: Cynthia Lee Duckett, Tammy Ford; grandchildren: Zachary Bridner, Jason Simmons, Karis Coster(Jason), Michelle Wilhite(Jeff), Shane Bridner, Anastasia

Wilson(Dustin), Caleb Duckett; great-grandchildren: Ethan Meurer, Jonathan Savage, Reagan Coster, Emma Simmons, Sean Simmons, Tristan Simmons, and McKayla Simmons.

Along with her parents and husband she was predeceased by a great-grandson, Timothy Savage and great-granddaughter, Sadie Grace Simmons.

The family will receive friends Thursday, April 23, 2026, from 6pm until 8pm at The Howze Mortuary.

Funeral Services will be Friday, April 24, 2026, at 12pm at Gateway Baptist Church.

Burial will be Thursday April 30, 2026, at 2pm, at M. J. Dolly Cooper Veterans Cemetery 140 Inway Drive, Anderson, SC 29621.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Gateway Baptist Church, 12408 Old White Horse Rd. Travelers Rest, SC 29690.

The family will be at their respective homes.

# Cemetery Details

## M.J. Dolly Cooper Veterans Cemetery

140 Inway Drive  
Anderson, SC 29621

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **23**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary  
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369  
Travelers Rest, SC

## Church Service

APR **24**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Gateway Baptist Church  
12408 Old White Horse Road  
Travelers Rest, SC 29690

## Burial

APR **30**. 2:00 PM (ET)

M.J. Dolly Cooper Veterans Cemetery  
140 Inway Drive  
Anderson, SC 29621



# Tribute Wall



“ *The Howze Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Constance "Connie" Bridner*



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**The Howze Mortuary - April 23 at 04:25 PM**