



Mrs Betty Hughes

February 3, 1940 - January 31, 2026

Mrs. Betty Hughes, age 85 of Jonesboro passed away January 31, 2026. Mrs. Hughes was a longtime member of First Baptist Church Jonesboro. She was preceded in death by her son: Jason Bryan Hughes, parents: Sidney Minor Wheeler and Mary Duncan Barden, brothers: Steve Wheeler, Sidney Wheeler and Jay Maulsby and sister: Cecelia Maulsby. Betty was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great- grandmother and friend whose family was always at the center of her life. She dedicated many years to making others look and feel beautiful as a hair stylist. She owned and operated several beauty salons throughout her career. Also, she spent much of her life caring for her home and family, and serving in the church, school, and community where she lived. She found comfort in God, her family and her life long friendships. Her kindness and love for others brought joy to everyone who knew her. Betty will forever be remembered as a follower of Christ Jesus, her gentle spirit, her unwavering love for her family, and sheer delight that she brought into every room she entered. Her life leaves a lasting imprint on all who were fortunate to know her. She is survived by her husband of 58 years: Danny Hughes, daughter: Julie Hughes Farmer and husband: Lane of Jonesboro, sisters: Dawn Fleck and husband Gary of Fayetteville, NC and June Thompson of WA State, grandson: Stuart Farmer and wife: Michaela, granddaughter: Sydney Farmer and great-granddaughter: Kensley Kincaid. Funeral Services will be held at 1 P.M. Saturday, February 7, 2026 in the Chapel of First Baptist Church Jonesboro , 147 Church St. Jonesboro, GA 30236, with Rev. Allen

Davis and Rev. Lanson Newsome officiating. Mrs. Hughes will lie in state from 12 PM – 1 PM, prior to the Service. Interment will follow at Sherwood Memorial Park, 6841 Tara Blvd., Jonesboro, GA 30236. The family will receive friends 5 PM – 7 PM Friday, February 6, 2026 at the funeral home.

The Funeral will be livestreamed at <https://vimeo.com/event/5705604/4a05a283fa?fl=so&fe=fs>

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Ford Stewart Funeral Home Inc.
2047 Highway 138 S.E.
Jonesboro, GA 30236
(770) 210-2700
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<https://www.fordstewartfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

FEB 7. 1:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church
147 Church St
Jonesboro, GA 30236

Interment

FEB 7. 2:30 PM (ET)

Sherwood Memorial Park and Mausoleum
6841 Tara Blvd
Jonesboro, GA 30236

Tribute Wall

TG

“ *The Greaks purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs Betty Hughes.*



The Greaks - February 06 at 06:00 PM

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“ *Lori Soracco (Weaver) purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs Betty Hughes.*



Lori Soracco (Weaver) - February 06 at 03:36 PM

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“ *Lori Soracco (Weaver) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs Betty Hughes.*

Lori Soracco (Weaver) - February 06 at 03:36 PM

MH

“ *Much love, Campbells and Harpers planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs Betty Hughes.*

Much love, Campbells and Harpers - February 06 at 01:26 PM

MH

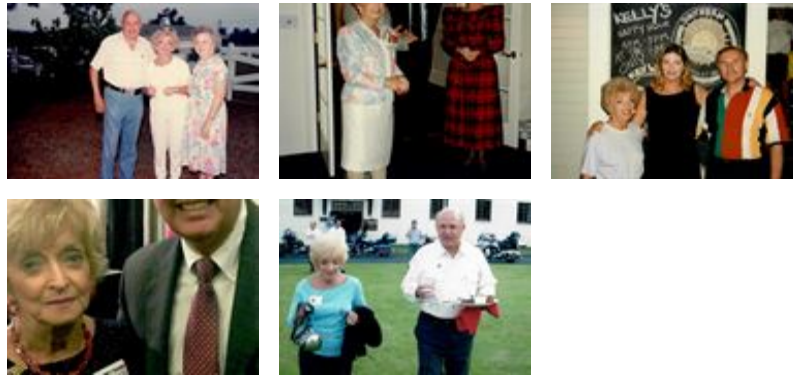
“ Much love, Campbells and Harpers purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Mrs Betty Hughes.



Much love, Campbells and Harpers - February 06 at 01:26 PM



“ 43 files added to the album Life Tributes



Ford Stewart Funeral Home - February 06 at 10:29 AM

DW

“ Diana W. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs Betty Hughes.

Diana W. - February 06 at 05:52 AM



“ Dawn Lening Nelson & Ann Gravitt purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Mrs Betty Hughes.



Dawn Lening Nelson & Ann Gravitt - February 05 at 07:56 PM



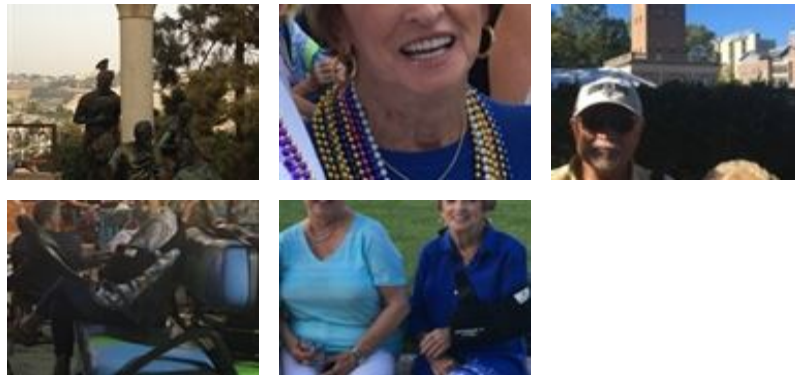
“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs Betty Hughes.



February 05 at 07:06 PM



“ 70 files added to the album Life Tributes



Ford Stewart Funeral Home - February 05 at 06:13 PM

JC

“ *Janice Cassell purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs Betty Hughes.*



Janice Cassell - February 05 at 11:03 AM

EE

“ *Eric & Joyce Edge purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs Betty Hughes.*



Eric & Joyce Edge - February 04 at 08:40 PM

FH

“ *Dear Danny, Julie & Family,
Funny, sweet, loving Betty Hughes will always be remembered by me as well as my family. She & Danny were always there supporting Bob & I in trying times, the death of our son, as well as many happy times. At my loss of Bob, Danny & Betty came from SC to give support & love. Heaven is a much happier place on the arrival of Betty. May our loving Savior give Danny & the family a comfort that only comes from above. My love & prayers continue.*



Faye Herring - February 04 at 03:42 PM

JG

“ Joe and Annette Grubbs purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mrs Betty Hughes.



Joe and Annette Grubbs - February 04 at 11:27 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs Betty Hughes.



February 04 at 11:23 AM

DT

“ Dan and Le Ann Casey , Frenda Turner planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs Betty Hughes.

Dan and Le Ann Casey , Frenda Turner - February 03 at 08:00 AM

DT

“ Dan and Le Ann Casey , Frenda Turner purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Mrs Betty Hughes.



Dan and Le Ann Casey , Frenda Turner - February 03 at 08:00 AM