



## Ruth Newsome Whaley

October 29, 1931 - September 18, 2021

Mrs. Ruth N. Whaley, age 89, of Clayton passed away on September 18, 2021. Mrs. Whaley was preceded in death by her husband: Emory N. Whaley, Jr. and parents: George & Josephine Newsom. She is survived by her children: Sheryl Anne Whaley of Clayton and Kenneth Emory Whaley of Brooks; numerous nieces, nephews and extended family. Services are private. Flowers are accepted or memorials can be made to Pruitt Hospice, 715 Queen City Parkway Suite: 200, Gainesville, GA 30501, phone: 770-297-1970. Ford-Stewart Funeral Home, Inc., Jonesboro/Stockbridge 770-210-2700. [fordstewartfuneralhome.com](http://fordstewartfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My Mom (Kinda Powell) and Mrs. Whaley worked and carpooled together to Fort Mac for several years. I meth her a few times and she was such a nice and gentle woman! I just learned of her passing. My mom died June 1, 2020 so I'm sure they have reconnected and are have fun together!! So sorry for your loss!*  
*Cheryl Powell Bradley*

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**Cheryl Powell Bradley** - December 26, 2025 at 10:03 PM