



## Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks

March 26, 1925 - June 27, 2022

Addell Singleton Dicks departed this earthly life on Monday, June 27, 2022 in Columbia, South Carolina. She was born March 26, 1925, in Sumter, South Carolina to the late Willie and Georgianna Singleton. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Willie Dicks Sr., son, Reverend Willie F. Dicks Jr., two sisters, Maggie Coats and Hester Loney, one brother Willie (Rock) Singleton.

Addell was educated in the public schools of Sumter County. "Snook", as she was affectionately known, was baptized at an early age at St. Luke African Methodist Episcopal Church in Sumter. After marrying the love of her life, Willie Dicks Sr., she joined Emmanuel United Methodist Church. As a faithful member of Emmanuel she served as President of the United Methodist Women Ministry, Chairperson of Evangelism, sang on the Senior Choir, was a Communion Steward, and Prayer Band Union member.

Addell worked in Sumter as a long time housekeeper (or domestic) for multiple families in the area. She also worked at Campbell Soup Company of Sumter, South Carolina for many years and later retired.

She was a feisty, no nonsense, God-fearing person. She not only loved her family, but her extended family circle. Addell loved to laugh and she has an infectious smile. In her spare time, she enjoyed baking-from mincemeat pies to red velvet and German chocolate cakes. Addell had a standard of excellence which she imparted on her children and grandchildren. She also deeply valued education and was present, beaming with pride, when each of

them graduated from college.

Addell leaves to honor and cherish her memories a son, Reverend John (Beverly) Dicks, Sr., Columbia, South Carolina; a brother Woodrow (Shirley) Singleton, Bronx, New York; granddaughters Melissa Dicks, Charlotte, North Carolina; Keisha (Patrick) Ware, DeSoto, Texas; Adriene Dicks, Atlanta, Georgia; Tomika (AnTwan) Brown, Columbia, South Carolina; Kayla Dicks, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; one grandson John (Keisha) Dicks Jr., Sumter, South Carolina; six great grandchildren Saella Ware, Nazire Brown, Tyler Lighty, Nicky Brown, Kaiya Ware and Trinity Dicks; a goddaughter Selena (Leroy) Washington, Sumter, South Carolina; a daughter in love Alice (Al) Davis, Sumter, South Carolina; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends that she dearly loved.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Emmanuel United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 1203, Sumter, SC 29151.

Services will be livestream via zoom and facebook Live at Palmer Memorial Chapel, Inc.

Join Zoom Meeting

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# Cemetery Details

## Hillside Memorial Park

3001 Cains Mill Rd  
Sumter, SC

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

JUL 2. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Emmanuel United Methodist Church  
421 South Main Street  
Sumter, SC

## Burial

JUL 2 (ET)

Hillside Memorial Park  
3001 Cains Mill Rd  
Sumter, SC

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks*

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October 04, 2023 at 11:33 AM



“ *Marjorie Snipe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks*



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**Marjorie Snipe** - July 06, 2022 at 11:52 PM

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“ *Memories of Aunt Adell*

*To Aunt Adell's Family:*

*We wanted to share our reflections of happy times visiting your family during our childhood. Although we lived in North Carolina we spent summers visiting relatives in South Carolina.*

*During our summer visits, it was always a very pleasant experience to visit with Uncle Willie, Aunt Adell, Willie Furman, and John. In particular we remember that Aunt Adell was a beautiful woman whose home was elegantly decorated and maintained. This was very noticeable as she was mother to two young boys.*

*Aunt Adell was always very nice to us during our visits. Although she was nice and pleasant, she maintained a great level of decorum and discipline in the home. We boys did not think of running wild and being disruptive in her house.*

*John, you might appreciate that Clyde Anderson, now deceased, told one of his cousins, a friend of ours from NJ, that he really loved Aunt Adell and felt as if she was his second mother. This also highlights the positive effect that she had on your peers.*

*I hope that you remember and celebrate the long life that God bestowed upon her. She was a woman of faith and a woman of beauty whose home was very pleasant to visit during our childhood years.*

*With fond memories,*

*Your cousins Barbara and Ernest Dicks*

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**Ernest Dicks** - July 02, 2022 at 05:51 PM

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“ Virginia King lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks



Virginia King - July 02, 2022 at 08:59 AM

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“ Unity United Methodist Church sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks



Unity United Methodist Church - July 01, 2022 at 01:37 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks.



July 01, 2022 at 09:28 AM

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“ Unity United Methodist Church sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks



Unity United Methodist Church - June 29, 2022 at 01:56 PM

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“ Sandra Halley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks



Sandra halley - June 29, 2022 at 01:53 PM

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“ Unity United Methodist Church sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks



Unity United Methodist Church - June 29, 2022 at 01:34 PM

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“ Unity United Methodist Church sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks



Unity United Methodist Church - June 29, 2022 at 01:33 PM

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“ Unity United Methodist Church sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks



Unity United Methodist Church - June 29, 2022 at 01:33 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Addell Singleton Dicks.* ”



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June 29, 2022 at 08:25 AM