



Ruth Daniel

November 23, 1926 - January 2, 2026

Ruth Daniel, a beloved mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, passed away peacefully on January 2, 2026, at the age of 99 in Newnan, Georgia. Ruth was born on November 23, 1926, in Graham, Alabama, and lived a long, full life centered on family and faith.

She was preceded in death by her devoted husband, John Bent Daniel, Jr., her cherished parents, Jessie and Annie Hendrix and six brothers and two sisters. Ruth is survived by her loving daughter, Linda Merideth; her grandchildren, Lori Smith (Joni) and Eric Smith (Nicole); and her treasured great-grandchildren, Jaxson Bent Smith, Zachary Roy Smith, Abbie Ashcraft, Aiden Peterson, and Aubree Peterson. She also leaves behind many nieces, nephews, and countless people who affectionately called her "Grandma."

Ruth found joy in tending her garden and staying active on the golf course and at the bowling alley, remaining engaged and competitive well into her 90's.

She also took great pride in being a wonderful Southern cook. Her food brought so many people joy, made them smile, and left memories that are still talked about today—one of the many reasons so many called her "Grandma."

A woman of strong faith, Ruth was devoted to her church and trusted God throughout her life, living with an unspoken grace and deep love for all those around her.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, January 6, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. in the Chapel of Parrott Funeral Home. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service on Tuesday at Parrott Funeral Home.

Ruth's life was shaped by love, faith, and good old-fashioned grit. She leaves behind a true legacy that will continue to live on in the hearts of all who loved her.

In lieu of flowers those desiring may make donations to Christian City Children's Village, 7501 Red Oak Rd., Union City, GA 30291.

Cemetery Details

Holly Hill Memorial Park

359 W. Broad Street
Fairburn, GA 30213

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Parrott Funeral Home & Crematory
8355 Senoia Road
Fairburn, GA 30213
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Funeral Service

JAN 6. 11:00 AM.

Parrott Funeral Home Chapel

Tribute Wall



“ *Parrott Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Ruth Daniel*



Parrott Funeral Home - January 06 at 09:07 AM



“ *Parrott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ruth Daniel*



Parrott Funeral Home - January 05 at 10:10 AM



“ *So very sorry to hear about the passing of Ms. Ruth. It was a true blessing and pleasure to have had the opportunity to get to know her. Prayers gor you Linda and your family.
Camille Morgan*

Camille Morgan - January 06 at 06:42 PM

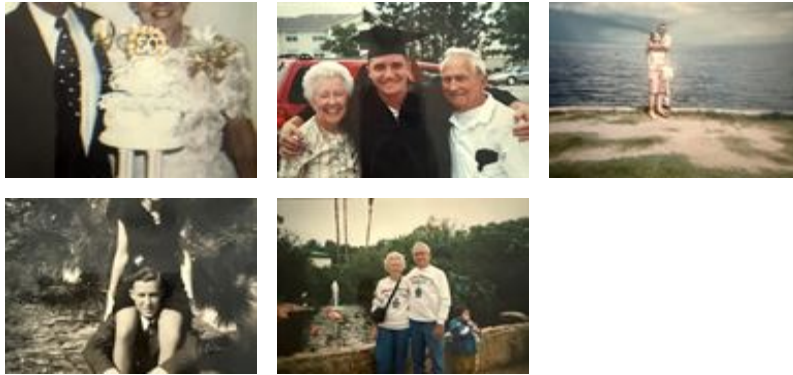
CS

“ I have such fond memories of Ruth and JB, Mr. And Mrs. Daniel to us, in the years 1963-1971 when our dad was the minister. Lots of fun Willing Workers parties at Lake Altoona and in the church building itself. Ruth was a good southern cook. Ruth was a tiny dynamo who was easy to talk to and fun to be around. Linda babysat us, as did other girls in the church. Blessings on your family as you grieve her passing. With love, Cindy Jarrett Schade

Cindy Schade - January 05 at 09:09 PM



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Parrott Funeral Home - January 05 at 09:46 AM

CG

“ I knew Ruth for several years over at Christian City's Independent living community. Ruth was a joy to be around. A one-of-a-kind personality. I know she enjoyed a long, happy life based on all her stories, she will be missed.



CB Glover - January 03 at 05:55 PM

GM

“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Miss Ruth. Even though I only met her a few times many years ago I remember her well. Her personality had a “spark” that was unforgettable. I had the pleasure of working with her daughter Linda for many years. My thoughts and prayers are with Linda and her family. Gary Moore

Gary Moore - January 03 at 05:26 PM