



## Byrd M. Anderson Obituary

October 1, 1903 - October 14, 2004

Mrs. J.L. (Byrd) Anderson, 101 of 1210 Gordon Ave. in Albany died October 14, 2004 at her daughter's residence in Albany. The funeral service will be Saturday 2 PM at Crown Hill Cemetery. Rev. Dale Thornton officiating. A native of Spartanburg, SC, Mrs. Anderson has lived in Albany since 1952, where she was a member of Avalon United Methodist Church and a retired Elementary School Teacher from the Dougherty County School System. Mrs. Anderson was a member of the National retired Teachers Association and the Dougherty County Retired Teachers Association. Mrs. Anderson was also a graduate of Limestone College in Gaffney, SC. Survivors include her son, Jon E. Anderson of Tuscaloosa, AL, daughter, Bettye McRanie of Albany, four grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, sister, Virginia Boesche of Tacoma, WA Mrs. Anderson was preceded in death by her sister Miriam McKinney who died October 2, 2004 The family will receive friends following the service. Those desiring, please make memorials to Albany Community Hospice, P.O. Box 1828, Albany, GA 31702. You May sign the on-line guest book and share your own special thoughts and memories with the family of Mrs. Anderson by visiting Kimbrell-Stern's website at [www.kimbrellstern.com](http://www.kimbrellstern.com).

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“ *I was sorry to read of Mrs. Anderson's death. What an accomplishment to live to be 101!! She taught me in the 4th grade @ Highland Elementary (I recently celebrated my 25th High School reunion)so she taught me a very long time ago. I would like to share with you something she taught me that I will always remember. She taught us to add in columns. She would not allow us to "carry over" by making a mark, what she called a "crutch". She made us "carry over" in our heads. To this day, every time I see that "crutch" I think of her. My deepest sympathy, Debra Goodson Cannon*

**Debra Cannon** - November 10, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *On behalf of the Dougherty County Retired Teachers Association, Bettye, we want to express our sincere sympathy to the family. Byrd was our first Emeritus Member and last year we honored her with a certificate on her 100th Birthday. She has been such an inspiration to us through the years and we appreciate all that she did in the field of education. Truly our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.*

**Carleen Flowers** - October 21, 2004 at 12:00 AM