



## Rachel A. Bateman Obituary

September 15, 1907 - June 13, 2004

A native of Social Circle, GA, Mrs. Bateman was the daughter of John Hurst and Mary Whatley Adams. She graduated from Georgia State College for Women. She began teaching school in Barnesville, GA. In 1941, the Bateman's moved to Albany where she and her husband Lee were the owners/operators of Southeastern Wholesale Floral Supply Company. They remained in the wholesale floral business until they retired. Mrs. Bateman worked as a substitute teacher for a number of years. She was a member of First United Methodist Church and a charter member of the Beulah Wakeford Sapp Sunday School Class. Mrs. Bateman was a member and served as the President of United Methodist Women. For 18 years she served as a circle leader. She was a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy where she was a Past President, the Thronateeska Chapter of the D.A.R. where she was a past Regent. Mrs. Bateman was a charter member and President of the John Sumner Chapter of the National Society of Colonial Dames of the 17th Century, a member of the Society of Magna Carta and a member and Past President of the Albany Garden Club. Mrs. Bateman was preceded in death by her husband, Lee H. Bateman and their son, John Daniel Bateman, Sr.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rachel A. Bateman Obituary*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ *She was the last of a great generation of children of John Hurst Adams.*

**Joe Malcom** - July 01, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *My thoughts are will you at this time. My God be with you and confort you during your grief.*

**Anne Tucker** - June 17, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *Just wanted you all to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Much love, Joan-Marie and Jay*

**Joan-Marie Burns and Jay Barcus** - June 15, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *John and Jill,  
I wanted you both to know that I'm praying for you and your family.  
I'm sorry for your loss but know that you have friends thinking about you all.*

**Cadie Cox Knox** - June 15, 2004 at 12:00 AM

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“ Please accept our sincerest sympathies. Mr. and Mrs. Bateman became known to my husband and me while I worked for a local florist and we had many delightful conversations while choosing ribbon. They were both fine people. God bless your family at this time of sorrow.

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**Robert and Linda Wells** - June 15, 2004 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Mariellen and family:*  
*I was sad to learn about Mrs. Bateman's death. I know she was a special, special lady to your family.*  
*Know our thoughts and prayers are with you all during these days ahead.*  
*With love, Patsy Martin*

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**Patsy Martin** - June 15, 2004 at 12:00 AM

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“ *With tears in our hearts, but joy in our hearts, we celebrate Hazel's heavenly homegoing.*

*Much love,*  
*Ernie & Cathi*

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**Ernie & Cathi Saunders** - June 14, 2004 at 12:00 AM