



## Ellen Woodruff

September 29, 1928 - June 23, 2012

Ellen Carroll Woodruff was born September 29, 1928, the only child of Frank (Bubba) Carroll and Bernice Vincent Carroll. As a child, she loved to tap dance, fish with her father, and cook delicious Southern meals with her beloved grandmother, Callie. Her mother taught her to crewel and crochet. While working at Georgia Tech, Ellen met her future husband, Lewis Carlton Woodruff, who served as the defensive coordinator for the Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets during a glorious decade of Tech championships. Ellen cheered her husband's team at many championships, including the Blue Bonnet Bowl, the Orange Bowl and the Rose Bowl. Ellen was a devoted mother to her two sons, Lewis Carlton, Jr. and Thomas James. She served as den mother for their scout troops and volunteered at their schools. She instilled in them a love for gardening, and a fierce competitiveness at card games. Ellen made a beautiful home in Conyers surrounded by gardens. She completed the Masters Gardeners' course, and loved to attend lectures on growing roses and ferns. Ellen left this life on June 23, 2012 after an extended illness. She was predeceased by her husband, and a granddaughter, Emily Woodruff. Ellen is survived by four grandsons, Hunter Woodruff of Lawrenceville, Georgia, and Shane, Jesse and Jonas Woodruff of Conyers, Georgia. She leaves a beloved sister-in-law, Hope Woodruff; and her sons, Tim and David Woodruff and their families. Funeral services will be held Tuesday, June 26, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Scot Wards' Green Meadow Chapel; interment will follow at Eastview Cemetery. The family will receive friends

Monday from 6 to 8 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Living Treasures Personal Care, 4682 Cedar Drive, Loganville, GA 30052. Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Road, Conyers, GA 30012, 770-483-7216.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **25**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 AM (ET)

Scot Ward Funeral Services  
699 American Legion Rd.  
Conyers, GA 30012  
(770) 483-7216  
<https://scotward.com/>

## Funeral Service

JUN **26**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Scot Ward's Green Meadow Chapel  
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<http://www.scotward.com>

## Burial

JUN **26**. 12:00 AM (ET)

East View Cemetery  
1127 East View Rd NE  
Conyers, GA 30012