



## Angeta Hughes Andersen

October 29, 1932 - September 20, 2025

With deep sadness, the family announces the passing of Mrs. Angeta Hughes Andersen, age 92 on September 20, 2025. Born October 29th, 1932, she was preceded in death by husband First Lt. Roy Garland Evans, (married 1956-1958) and husband Major Robert (Bob) Andersen (married 1960-2016), her parents Floyd and Julia Hughes, her brother Caroll Hughes and sister Majorie Dunnavant.

She is survived by her daughters Kathy Andersen, Julia Whitson (Carl) and Rebecca Stokes, brother Alvin Hughes, sister-in-law Nell Evans Logan, grandchildren Rena Salancy (Michael) and Levi Whitson, and great-grandchildren Lucy Whitson, Andersen Salancy, and Maximilian Salancy.

Born and raised in Pulaski Tennessee, Angeta attended Martin College, and taught at several small schools in Giles County before marrying and moving around the US and Europe.

After Bob's retirement from the USAF in 1972, they settled down in Giles County. Angeta served as the Director of Christian Education at Pulaski FUMC for 10 years and was instrumental in creating The Free & Easy Singers, a youth group that performed contemporary Christian music all over the United States.

Next, Angeta was chairman of the Giles County Bicentennial. She eventually

returned to teaching at Richland Schools. While there, she didn't just teach—she touched the lives of many students and their families.

Visitation will be held Saturday, October 11th, 10-11am at First United Methodist Church with service to follow at 11:00am.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the First United Methodist Church of Pulaski, Giles County Public Library or The Kedron Cemetery Fund.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (cst)

First United Methodist Church  
200 West Jefferson Street  
Pulaski, TN

## Funeral Service

OCT 11. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (cst)

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200 West Jefferson Street  
Pulaski, TN

# Tribute Wall

CB

“ Mrs. Angeta Andersen had a profound effect on this new teacher 40+ years ago, and I didn't realize it at the time. That was her "SUPER POWER!" She had this ethereal personality that silently seeped into the soul of anyone who interacted with her over time. She was Super Creative...Super Positive...and Super Determined to achieve a successful outcome of any project she created from scratch! There was never a doubt in her mind that her students would perform to her high expectations! What a Classy Lady! What a Great Mentor! What a Dear Friend! My regrets...I never told her this. Thank you, Angeta. My Creative Classroom Curriculum changed because of YOU!

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**Connie Boring** - October 03, 2025 at 10:59 AM

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“ She was a great teacher and person  
condolences to the family



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**Sheri holt** - September 30, 2025 at 05:21 AM

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“ Angeta was a friend of the Moore family especially my parents, Earl and Ethel Moore. She held many church related activities in her home and always made everyone feel welcome. She was an excellent supporter of the United Methodist Men by donating to the annual church yard sale every year. She will be missed. Edwin Moore

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**Edwin Moore** - September 24, 2025 at 11:15 AM

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“ I have never known another soul so beautiful, talented, kind hearted and smart. This gal could do anything....anything. Her dedication to whatever was in front of her was unwavering. She loved her job, she loved her church, she, loved her family, she loved her friends and she made an indelible mark on all those with which she shared a moment or a memory. She was my mentor as a teacher and taught me so many lessons as an educator and in life. Her impact will live on for years and years to come. My love to her family and all that hold her so dear. She is and always will be unmatched.  
Sebrina Vernon Perialas

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**Sebrina Perialas** - September 23, 2025 at 07:06 PM

JL

“ I only lived in Pulaski, for 2 years (1977-1979). Angeta became a treasured friend, and yes, she talked me into helping chaperone a Free and Easy tour. I have so many fond memories of time spent at “Dun Movin” Farm, and the friends, I made, during those 2 short years. May special memories, get the family through these upcoming weeks!

Jane Ann Bradley-Lane

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**Jane Ann Lane** - September 23, 2025 at 03:44 PM

RB

“ Angeta’s first Motorcycle ride - 2017.



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**Robert Browder** - September 23, 2025 at 03:37 PM