



## Norma (Norris) Pugh

February 10, 1937 - March 9, 2012

Norma Louise (Norris) Pugh February 10, 1937 - March 9, 2012 After a long struggle with advanced lung disease, Norma passed away peacefully on Friday March 9, 2012 at Paoli Memorial Hospital in Paoli, Pennsylvania. Born in Arcadia, Florida and raised in Lake City, Florida, Norma was a graduate of Columbia High School and held a BS in Nursing from Georgia Baptist College of Nursing (part of Mercer University), in Atlanta Georgia. She was married for 44 years to the Reverend Doctor R. Quinn Pugh, Sr., who preceded her in death in 2004. Norma was a devoted wife and active partner in Quinn's ministry, a leader in Southern Baptist Convention activities, a loving mother and grandmother, an experienced nurse, an activist supporting those suffering from allergies and chemical sensitivities, a cultural assimilator ??" helping foreign graduate students learn English, and a dear friend who touched many lives in the US and abroad. Norma is survived by her son, Ben Pugh and his wife Stephanie and their children -Emily and Hayden; and by her daughter, Ruth (Pugh) Forman and her husband Dennis Callaghan, and her children Matthew and Megan. Relatives and friends are invited to attend her funeral service on Tuesday, March 13, 2012 at 11 am, and will be received from 10 am - 10.45 am at the St. John's Lutheran Church, 355 Saint John's Circle, Phoenixville, PA 19460. Relatives and friends are also invited to attend her burial service on Friday, March 16, 2012 at 2pm at the Tennessee Colony Cemetery, Tennessee Colony, TX. Condolences and remembrances may be recorded and shared on-line by visiting [www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com](http://www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com).

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in her name to the COPD Foundation ([www.copdfoundation.org](http://www.copdfoundation.org)) or the Baptist World Alliance ([www.bwanet.org](http://www.bwanet.org)).

# Tribute Wall

AG

“ Thinking of Norma's beloved family and wishing you all peace and quiet moments with your memories.

Ann Marie Gathright - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM

FM

“ Remembering Mrs. Norma Pugh, a kind and soft person with gentle spirit. May our Heavenly Father grant your family peace and love in the assurance of Christ's resurrection to all who believed.

Fandi Moy - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM

TT

“ I am very thankful for the life & legacy of both Norma & Quinn Pugh. Together they touched so many lives. Their many years of service in a variety of roles place them in an unofficial hall of fame for BCNY. The churches of the Baptist Convention of New York join me in praying for you at this time.

Terry M Robertson - Trobertson@bcnysbc.org - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM

DD

“ Both Quinn and Norma were dear friends in NY back in the early 90's. She was a wonderful person with a great gift of hospitality. We even have a gift displayed in our home from the two of them. Praise God for her life.

David Pope - dave57pope@gmail.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM

BB

“ Norma and Dr. Pugh were a great influence in my life. I'm sorry to hear of her struggle. Please know I am praying for you as you adjust to life without her.

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**Beth Ward - bward72@gmail.com** - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM

BB

“ We were very saddened upon the news of Norma's death. She was a wonderful neighbor and I so much enjoyed our visits together. She was a delightful woman and her spiritual maturity influenced me very much. She will always be remembered as a great friend.  
Sincerely, Betty and Jim Whitworth

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**Betty and Jim Whitworth - bwhitworth@bulloch.net** - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM

PL

“ We are deeply sorry to hear your lost. We are sure she is in a wonderful place now and we will keep you and your family in our prayers.

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**Patrick and Dora Lee** - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM

BW

“ Ruth and family - we are so sorry for your loss and are praying for you. Your mom was a wonderful, sweet person.

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**Bill Rogers - wjrogersportable@yahoo.com** - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM

JJ

“ God blessed me with Norma's friendship in the early sixties, an enduring friendship. We prayed together, cried together, served the Lord Jesus together and enjoyed fellowship over tea or a fruit plate whenever God was able to arrange it fo us. She will be greatly missed, especially by me.

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**June Andrews - juneandrews@juno.com** - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM

KL

“ Dear Ben, Ruth, & Family, We served with Norma & Quinn when I was pastor of Terrill Road B.C. in Scotch Plains, N.J. Quinn was a close friend, a pulpit guest, and admired leader. We remember Norma and you (children you were then) fondly. Be assured of our prayer support for God's comfort and peace to bless you as you grieve, yet celebrate your parents' lives of service and rejoice in their present togetherness in Our Fathers' House. Sincerely, The Kings Ft. Worth, TX.

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**Kenneth & Virginia King - lvngstns\_kng@juno.com** - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM

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“ We are sorry to hear of your loss. We know that there are many sweet memories to cherish along with the pain of missing her.

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**David and Vicki Thal - dthal@envstd.com** - July 19, 2013 at 08:35 AM