



Sallie Motley Savage

June 25, 1933 - September 12, 2025

Sallie Motley Savage, 92, of Raleigh, NC, died Friday, September 12, 2025 at Sunrise at Raleigh after a one year decline in her health.

Sallie was born in Pittsylvania County, VA on June 25, 1933, a daughter of the late Dan Cail Motley and Rosie Bolling Motley. She lived her life in Danville, VA and Pittsylvania Co., VA before moving to Raleigh, NC. She was a member of Blairs Baptist Church. Prior to joining Blairs Baptist Church she was a longtime member of the former Keen Street Baptist Church where she served as a Sunday School Teacher, Chairman of the Finance Committee, and served as the Clerk of the Church. She volunteered at the former Danville Regional Medical Center.

Sallie retired from Bank of America after 32 years as Branch Manager.

On January 30, 1953 she married Richard Edwin "Dick" Savage, who died on July 31, 1996.

In addition to her husband, Sallie was predeceased by a sister, Garnett M. Matherly; and four brothers, Archie G. Motley, Calvin W. Motley, Paul Motley, and Percy W. Motley, Sr.

Survivors include two sons, Ricky E. Savage (Debra) of Cary, NC, and Randy

D. Savage (Ilene) of Marietta, GA; a granddaughter, Suzanna R. Gracyk; two great-grandchildren, Keira Gracyk and Evan Gracyk, all of Cary, NC; and a sister, Pauline M. Holland, of Dry Fork, VA.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, September 16, 2025 at 2:00 P.M. at Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel with the Reverend John Lester, Jr. officiating. Interment will be in Highland Burial Park.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday, September 16, 2025 at the funeral home from 12:30 until 1:45 P.M. Also, the family suggest that in lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Blairs Baptist Church, 5260 US Hwy 29, Blairs, VA 24527.

Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel is respectfully serving the Savage family.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **16**. 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM (ET)

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Burial

SEP **16** (ET)

Highland Burial Park
3049 North Main Street
Danville, Virginia 24540

Tribute Wall



“ *Rest in peace neighbors.*

Rick Davis - September 22, 2025 at 10:10 AM



“ *I'm so sorry to lose my favorite aunt, she was always so happy and giving to everyone. I remember staying with her as we were between homes! I haven't seen her for a long time but I'll still miss her!*❤️❤️❤️

Judy Higginbotham - September 15, 2025 at 02:33 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Sallie Motley Savage.*

September 15, 2025 at 12:11 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Sallie Motley Savage.*



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“ *So sorry to read this! Ms Sallie was always a delightful lady! Always sharing a smile and thoughtful or funny story! Blessed to have known her!*

Rhonda Carter - September 15, 2025 at 08:17 AM

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“ *Ann Morgan Kaser purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Sallie Motley Savage.*



Ann Morgan Kaser - September 14, 2025 at 10:31 PM

DR

“ *Heaven has a new angel. Sallie was always so kind and caring to me when I worked for the bank on North Main St. Her smile always was contagious. But she could be stern too, if she needed to. Sallie was a devoted wife and mother. May God bless the family as they grieve and celebrate her homecoming.*

David Rogers - September 13, 2025 at 08:01 PM

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“ *Gloria and Tony Rismondo purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Sallie Motley Savage.*



Gloria and Tony Rismondo - September 13, 2025 at 04:36 PM