



Bessie Lela Hawks Coleman

January 12, 1925 - September 28, 2008

Heading: Bessie Coleman

Dateline: Taylors

Bessie Lela Hawks Coleman, 83, of 33 Robinhood Road, died September 28, 2008 at Regional Hospice Home.

A native of Ashland, Ohio, daughter of the late John and Hazel Vesper Hawks, she was a homemaker, a retired employee of The Gospel Hour, and a member of Bethel Calvary Baptist Church.

Surviving are two sons and daughters-in-law, John and Diana Coleman of Ashland, Ohio and Richard and Laura Coleman of Taylors; a daughter and son-in-law, Jan and Mike Bridwell of Taylors; two sisters, Anna Bricker and Laura Jennings both of Ashland, Ohio; and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at Greenville Memorial Gardens, conducted by Rev. Don Snyder.

Visitation will be held after the service at the cemetery.

The families are at their respective homes.

Memorials may be made to Bethel Calvary Baptist Church, 11 Easy Street, Taylors, S.C. 29687.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Previous Events

Service

SEP 30. 2:00 PM (ET)

Graveside

Visitation

SEP 30. 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Graveside

Tribute Wall



“ Dear Coleman Family:

My dad, Ralph Horne, and I wish to express our prayers for you during this time. We worked with Mrs. Bessie (as I always called her) at the Gospel Hour. She also cleaned my parents' house at times. We appreciated and loved her. We regret not being able to get to the funeral today.##imported-begin##Ruth Horne Spivey##imported-end##

September 30, 2008 at 07:55 AM



“ Jan and Mike

I wanted to let you know how sorry I am of your mother's passing. I Love You Both

"Ma"##imported-begin##Judy Lea##imported-end##

September 29, 2008 at 07:35 PM



“ Bess was a dear and wonderful person. Her life was a true reflection of the love she has for her family and friends. She gave unselfishly to others. Heaven has gained an angel. She will always be missed and loved.##imported-begin##D'Anne Hannah##imported-end##

September 29, 2008 at 09:40 AM