



Ernestine Forrester Hawkins

May 16, 1925 - January 26, 2013

Ernestine Forrester Hawkins (87) of, Greer, passed away January 26, 2013. Wife of the late William E. (Bill/Ras) Hawkins, and daughter of the late Roy and Bessie Turner Forrester, this Greenville county native lived joyfully, raised a beautiful family, and loved our Lord.

Surviving her are 2 daughters, Sandra Blackwell of Inman and Kim Malone of Greer, a son, Keith Hawkins of Greer, a brother, Kenneth Forrester of Greer, 3 generations of grandchildren, and dear friend, Oran Howard of Greer.

With heavy hearts from the loss of this friend, wife, and mother, this beacon of beauty and love, the family finds comfort knowing she rests, in the arms of our God up above.

Visitation will held 6:00-8:00 p.m. Monday at The Wood Mortuary.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church conducted by Rev. Mark Smith. Burial will follow in Wood Memorial Park.

Honorary escort will be the Willing Workers Sunday School Class at Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church.

In lieu of flowers, memorials should be made to Hospice of the Carolina Foothills, 260 Fairwinds Road, Landrum, S.C. 29356.

The family is at the home of a daughter, Sandra Blackwell.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Wood Memorial Park

863 Gap Creek Road
Duncan, SC 29334

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 28. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary Chapel
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Service

JAN 29. 2:00 PM (ET)

Mount Lebanon Baptist Church
572 Mount Lebanon Church Road
Greer, SC 29651

Tribute Wall



“ SO SORRY FOR THE LOSS OF YOUR



*MOTHER, GRANDMOTHER, SISTER, FRIEND, I KNOW THESE TIMES WILL BE HARD BUT GOD WILL SEE YOU THROUGH THIS TIME, KNOW SHE WILL NOT SUFFER AND BE IN GODS ARMS, AND ANOTHER ANGEL HAS ARRIVED. WHAT A TIME THERE WILL BE UP THERE. WE ARE THINKING OF YOU ALL, WE LOVE YOU, YOU ARE IN OUR PRAYERS.
BEVERLY AND EDDIE SHELTON*

beverly shelton - January 29, 2013 at 09:14 PM

AT

“ *Ernestine was a wonderful lady that will be greatly missed by all that knew her! The shining light in this sadness is that she is home in heaven with Rass at her side. Praying for Sandra, Kim, and Keith ...Reva, Evan & all the grandkids she loved dearly.
Love Always,
Amy & Carlos Tucker*

Amy Tucker - January 29, 2013 at 11:55 AM

BR

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. I remember as a child visiting your Mom & Dad's home with my mother (Hettie Mae Brown Shelton) when we would visit my Grandpa and Grandma Brown. We will always be grateful to your dad for getting my brother in at Shriner's Hospital years ago. Now she and mother can have a reunion in heaven. My prayers are with you.

*Brenda Shelton Rogers
Waynesville, NC*

Brenda Shelton Rogers - January 28, 2013 at 06:54 PM

SC

“ *Kim;
My prayers are with you and your sister for the loss of your Mother. I know you both will miss her so much! God give you peace and bless you all during this time.*

*Love;
Scarlett Conner*

Scarlett Conner - January 28, 2013 at 07:58 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ernestine Forrester Hawkins.*



January 27, 2013 at 06:54 PM

DC

“ dear sandra,i want to comfort you my friend as death has left its mark;since emptiness is now your cup and life has lost it:s spark i wish to speak uplifting words as you gaze on that mound of clay and assure you of brighter days ahead but i don,t know what to say.then i long to be your strength as you touch that empty chair and say i feel and understand because we:ve both been there and know the pain you face ,.but Jesus knows the path you trod;so we will carry all of it to the throne of AMAZING GRACE .may GOD,S grace be with you as you lead your family through yet another; valley ;all of you are counted among our dearest friends, you have been a blessing to us many time you were a good daughter .we love all of you in christian love Dee& katherine clary

dee &katherine clary - January 27, 2013 at 04:20 PM