



## Frances McCullough

March 9, 1940 - September 16, 2012

Frances Whilden McCullough, 72, of 2632 North Hwy 14, died September 16, 2012 at her home following a brave and courageous battle with breast cancer over the last 16 years.

Born on March 9, 1940 she was a native of Greer and the daughter of the late Charlie H. and Florence Babb Whilden. She was a 1958 graduate of Taylors High School. Mrs. McCullough was a retired employee of Liberty Life Insurance Company after 39 years of service, a charter member of Northwood Baptist Church, and also a charter member of Camp Sertoma Club of S.C. Mrs. McCullough was a former member of PBX/Telecommunicators Club of Greenville-Pickens Counties, where she held numerous leadership positions on both state and local levels and received various awards for her dedicated service. She was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother, and friend who showed unconditional love and support and will be greatly missed. The family would like to thank Dr. Larry Gluck and the staff at Cancer Centers of the Carolinas and numerous other caregivers. Surviving are her husband of 50 years, William Earl (Billy) McCullough of the home; two sons and daughters-in-law, Tony and Connie Barton McCullough of Lyman and Tim and Sharon Styles McCullough of Greer and five grandchildren, Jonathan, Matthew, Ryan, Andrew, and Sarah McCullough.

Mrs. McCullough was predeceased by a sister Freddie Mae Cox.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Thursday at Northwood Baptist Church conducted by Rev. Michael Joe Harvell, and Rev. Fred Brown. Private

burial will be held at Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

Pallbearers will be Tony McCullough, Tim McCullough, Jonathan McCullough, Matthew McCullough, Ryan McCullough, and Andrew McCullough.

Honorary escort will be Dever Lynn, Perry Cox, and Grady (Pap) McCullough.

Visitation will be held after the service until 2:00 p.m.

The family is at the home.

Memorials may be made to Camp Sertoma of S.C. (Sprint for Splash Project), 602-5 College Ave, Clemson, S.C. 29631. Camp Sertoma provides a camp experience for speech and hearing impaired and under privileged children.

Online condolences may be made at [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com)

# Previous Events

## Service

SEP **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Northwood Baptist Church  
888 Ansel School Road  
Greer, SC 29651

## Visitation

SEP **20**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Billy and Family:*

*Our deepest sympathy in your loss. Frances was a gentle, kind and positive spirit. Seemingly always willing to share a smile and in good humor. She was the personification of all things good and loved by all.*

*Hoping your many fond memories will be of some comfort to you at this time.##imported-begin##Ramon, Barbi & Cole Franklin##imported-end##*

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November 02, 2012 at 08:29 AM



“ *Billy,*

*My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I lost my husband three years ago to cancer and I know what you are going through.*

*May God keep you in His care.*

*Cynthia Waters Barrera##imported-begin##Cynthia Waters Barrera##imported-end##*

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September 21, 2012 at 09:13 PM



“ *Billy,*

*I am so sorry for your loss, but I am thankful that she is at peace, now.*

*We have lost a 'true Southern Lady' and she will be missed by all. Bob & Sara...##imported-begin##bob bowman##imported-end##*

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September 20, 2012 at 08:57 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear Mrs. McCullough lost her long and hard fought battle with cancer.  
I remember you all with many fond memories so very well from my childhood .  
I pray that your happiest memories will carry you through your time of grief and sorrow.  
with heartfelt condolences,  
Mrs. Laura Phillips###imported-begin##Dean & Laura (Campbell)  
Phillips###imported-end##

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September 19, 2012 at 08:00 PM



“ Someone once said, "To live in hearts we leave behindIs not to die."  
Hold fast to the precious memories you shared. Your Chandler Creek Family is sending love and prayers your way and hope you will find comfort during this time of grief.

Love and respect to the McCullough Family, Katherine Bayne###imported-begin##Katherine Bayne###imported-end##

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September 19, 2012 at 05:31 PM



“ *All the happy memories of a wonderful lady came rushing back to me this morning! Frances was mighty kind to me and everyone she came into contact with at Liberty Life! She was so good to me, even though I was a bit "wet behind the ears"! I could always count on Frances for an uplifting word and "spiritual guidance", even at the busiest of times! Frances was simply "the best"!!!*

*Billy, I'm sure thinking and praying for you and your family! I'm thinking fondly of Frances and am so honored to have known her! She was a special person!!!##imported-begin##Rick Blackwell##imported-end##*

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September 19, 2012 at 12:09 PM



“ *Dear Billy,*

*I want to express my sympathy in the loss of Frances. During the last few years, I, and all my staff, came to realize what a nice and special lady she was. She was always a pleasure to serve, and we never even knew she was ill until a couple of months ago. Her concern was always about you. I have to be out of town tomorrow, but please know that my heart and prayers will be with you and your family.*

*Don##imported-begin##Don Wall##imported-end##*

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September 19, 2012 at 09:00 AM



“ Just want to say we are sorry for the loss of Frances. She was such a sweet, loving lady and will be missed by us all. We will always see her sitting at the reception desk at Liberty Life Insurance Company answering the phone at the switchboard and greeting everyone that came throughl. She will be dearly missed###imported-begin###Jack and Beverly Snelgrove###imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 11:54 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers have been with you and will contine to be there. Frances was a sweet devoted christian and loved people. You both have been so good to me while I was at N W. Billy I will keep you and the family in my prayers Love you all.###imported-begin###Azalee Jones ###imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 08:28 PM



“ Tim, I am so sorry for your loss.###imported-begin###Alison Feix###imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 06:57 PM



“ Dear Billy and family:  
France's was always the same..friendly, loving,helpful, kind and meek person each time I saw her. She is celebrating her new body now in heaven, I know she will be missed very much. She was a special lady. Take care and I love  
You. Your cuz,###imported-begin###Nancy McCullough Rollins###imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 05:37 PM



“ Billy and family, just wanted to let you know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. So sorry for your loss. God Bless.##imported-begin##Nell Dodson##imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 03:01 PM



“ Billy and family,  
Deeply saddened to learn of the loss of Frances. She was such a kind and thoughtful person. I will always be thankful for the many visits and kindnesses she extended to both my Mama and Grandmother during their illnesses. She was a true Southern Lady. Please know my prayers are with you. God Bless,##imported-begin##Bridgette, Peter and Sarah Gaskins##imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 02:51 PM



“ Frances was one of the sweetest & kindest ladies that I have ever met and her sweet memory will live on forever.##imported-begin##Donna Hughes##imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 02:45 PM



“ Billy, Tim and Tony, I was so sorry to hear of the passing of Frances. She was a very sweet lady and will be missed by many. I will be praying for your family during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Tammy rollins##imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 11:00 AM



“ Billy and Family, I am sorry to hear about Francis. What a true wonderful lady! She will be missed, but I know she is rejoicing with her healthy body in her special place in heaven.##imported-begin##Carol and Daryl Moore##imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 10:58 AM



“ Billy I am so sorry to hear of Francis' passing. She was one of the sweetest ladies I have ever know and was always friendly and kind. Heaven certainly received a precious angel. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Rebecca McWatty##imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 09:31 AM



“ Tim, I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. Please know that Jimmy and I are praying for you and that God gives you peace in knowing she is at home with Him and she is cancer free!!##imported-begin##Shelley Bolt##imported-end##

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September 18, 2012 at 08:20 AM



“ Frances was a precious person. She was a true example of a lady. She was very special to my family and a very dear friend to my parents. She will be missed by many and always loved. Our prayers are with her family. Its such a comfort to know that we will see her again one day. We will always remember her beautiful smile and her sincere heart. She blessed many lives.##imported-begin##Kimberly Hill McAbee##imported-end##

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September 17, 2012 at 09:27 PM



“ *Billy, Tim and Tony*

*I was so sorry to hear about your mothers death. I worked at the shoe store with her. There were many Saturdays that your daddy caught us polishing our nails. Your daddy would always tell us to get back to work. Your mother was a wonderful person. The last time I saw her and your daddy was at graduation in 2010. They always looked the same. I will always have wonderful thoughts about her. You are in my prayers and thoughts. May God always bless you and your family. Sandra Painter Dean###imported-begin##Sandra Painter Dean###imported-end##*

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September 17, 2012 at 08:13 PM



“ *To the special McCullough Family~~ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. We love you!###imported-begin##Doug, Deidre, Hayden, Rolland and Graham Nall###imported-end##*

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September 17, 2012 at 07:20 PM



“ *Billy and Family,*

*You are in my thoughts and prayers. I met Frances when I went to work at Liberty Life 27 years ago. She was a sweet lady and I cherish the friendship we had.###imported-begin##Cindy Sloan###imported-end##*

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September 17, 2012 at 03:19 PM