



## Myrtle Odom

November 22, 2012

On Thursday, November 22nd, our mother, Myrtle Green Odom, took her first steps in almost 16 years. It was only appropriate it was into the arms of our Savior. She fought a good fight, she finished the course, she kept the faith, and her victory is won.

Born December 6, 1919 in Greer, she was the daughter of John McCain and Lillie Mae Green. She was predeceased in death by her husband, McNeil "Mack" Odom, her sister, Hattie Carver, brothers, Bill and Melvin Green, Dan Owens and a grandson, Aaron McNeil Odom. She was raised in the home of A.R. and Annie Owens, Greer, S.C. She had been a resident of NHC, Greer for the past 16 years. She was a member of Fairview Baptist Church.

She is survived by a son, Neil Odom and wife, Brenda of Taylors, S.C., daughter, Rebecca Blackwell and husband, Dennis of Lyman, S.C.

Grandchildren: Bryan and Traci Odom, Lisa and Jason Cox of Greer, S.C., Terry Kluge, Inman, S.C., Pam and Billy Varner, Michael Blackwell, Lyman, S.C. Great-grandchildren: Trey, Aaron and Connor Odom, Emma and Riley Cox of Greer and Haley Kluge of Inman, S.C. A surviving sister, Mildred Green Lister, two brothers, Larry Owens of Greer, S.C. and Douglas Owens of Baltimore, MD.

Funeral services will be held on Sunday at 3:00 p.m. at Fairview Baptist Church with burial to follow at Fairview Baptist Church Cemetery, Greer, S.C. Visitation will be 1:00-2:45 p.m. Sunday at Fairview Baptist Church.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Greer Community Ministries, P.O.

Box 1373, Greer, S.C. 29652.

A special thanks to the staff of NHC, Greer, S.C. and Caris Hospice.

The family will be at the home of Neil and Brenda Odom.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **25**. 1:00 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Fairview Baptist Church  
1300 Locust Hill Road  
Greer, SC 29651

## Service

NOV **25**. 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *The first lines of the obituary are so fitting for Myrtle-her spirit and strong determination were an encouragement and a blessing to others. We remember the way she tried to look out for mother while she was at NHC. You are in our thoughts and prayers in your loss. God bless you.##imported-begin##Chuck and Donna Babb##imported-end##*

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November 26, 2012 at 02:19 PM



“ *You will be missed but , never forgotten Myrtle.. But, you will always be with us in spirit.. To the Family.. Don't be sad but, Rejoice for she is free from the bondage of this earth. Now she may walk again and walk hand and hand with JESUS..  
Love always,  
Eric H. Odom & Family..##imported-begin##Eric H. Odom##imported-end##*

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November 25, 2012 at 11:59 PM



“ *Neil, Rebecca and the family.  
We extend our deepest sympathy in the "home going" of Myrtle. She was such a sweet lady. I know she is rejoicing with Mack, Uncle Arch, Aunt Annie and the grandson. May the Lord give you the peace that you will need in the coming days. Praying for all of you.##imported-begin##sara lynn eanes##imported-end##*

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November 24, 2012 at 08:33 PM



“ *Very sorry for your loss. Myrtle was a wonderful woman. Take comfort in knowing she is in a better place.* **##imported-begin##Tammy Smith##imported-end##**

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“ *Mack & Myrtle were known as fine christian people in the Fairview Community. They are rejoicing with God now. I will be praying for the family.* **##imported-begin##Louise Nelson##imported-end##**

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“ *NEIL AND FAMILY,  
OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH EACH OF YOU.HAD NOT SEEN  
YOUR MOM SINCE YOUR FATHER PASSED.GOD BLESS EACH  
OF YOU* **##imported-begin##BOB HARGETT##imported-end##**

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“ *God be with you and "...the Lord of peace himself give you peace always by all means. The Lord be with you all." - II Thessalonians 3:16* **##imported-begin##Linda Whittaker##imported-end##**

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“ *just wanter you to know we are thinking of you and your familys. sorry about your loss.* **##imported-begin##Roy and Nancy Dowis##imported-end##**

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