



Thelma Parris

February 18, 1923 - February 20, 2007

Name: Thelma M. Parris

Dateline: Taylors

Thelma Mills Parris, 84, a current resident of Roger Huntington Nursing Center and formerly of 12 South Banyan Court and 114 Princess Avenue, died Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Allen Bennett Memorial Hospital. She was the widow of Henry Melton Parris, Jr.

A native of Spartanburg County, she was a daughter of the late Boyd E. and Pauline Davis Mills and stepmother, Ada Jones Mills, a member of Brushy Creek Baptist Church, a former member of Welcome Baptist Church, and a retired teacher.

Surviving are sons and daughters-in-law, Richard Mills and Nancy Parris, of Augusta, GA, Henry Melton, III, and Charlene Parris of Birmingham, AL.

A daughter and son-in-law, Annette and Roy Clayton of Inman, Three sisters Jean Mills Howard of Clemmons, N.C., Carolyn Mills Johnson of Greensboro, N.C., and Linda Mills Pound of Fort Myers, FL.

8 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

She was predeceased by a brother, James Boyd Mills.

Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. Friday at Wood Mortuary. Burial will be in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens.

Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Honorary escort will be Senior Adult Ministry of Brushy Creek Baptist Church.

The family is at the home of her daughter, Annette P. Clayton, 150 Holly Springs Church Road, Inman, SC 29349.

Visitation will be from 12:30 P.M. until 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Mortuary.

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Previous Events

Service

FEB **23**. 2:00 PM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL

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Tribute Wall



“ Melton,

Looking up the death of a friend's parent and came across your mother's obit.

I pray you are all healing from her passing. She was a sweet lady.

Eva is still going strong, (in body, not mind). We are ok, lots of changes.

I hope the years have been good to you, tell your sister and brother hello for me.

Love,

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January 13, 2008 at 11:28 PM



“ Dear Melton,

It has been so many years since we've touched base, and I just saw where your sweet mother died in February. Seeing her beautiful picture sparked a memory of her in the kitchen making "and thems!" as your dad rested on the sofa.

I know this time has been an adjustment for you. There is a new void in your heart.

I see that you and your bride live in Birmingham. I would love to catch up with the two of you and hear about your lives and trade stories. I'm still in Columbia.

May God bless you and your family and bring peace to your hearts.

Sincerely,

Judy Hess###imported-begin##Judy Hess###imported-end##

November 14, 2007 at 07:09 PM



“ MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU IN THIS TIME OF SADNESS. LOSING SOMEONE YOU LOVE IS NEVER EASY. MUCH LOVE, MARIE##imported-begin##marie killips##imported-end##

February 22, 2007 at 06:11 PM