



Betty Neely

March 31, 2007

Graveside services for Betty Jackson Neely, 98, will be held at 3:00 p.m. Monday, April 2, 2007 at Magnolia Cemetery. The Rev. Dr. Jeri Parris Perkins will officiate with burial in Magnolia Cemetery directed by Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home.

Mrs. Neely died Saturday, March 31, 2007. She was the widow of the late James Winston Neely. Born in Gastonia, NC, she was a daughter of the late William McLain and Bess Baber Jackson.

Mrs. Neely was a graduate of Winthrop College with a degree in Business Administration and did graduate work at the University of South Carolina. After teaching one year, she worked with the Soil Conservation Service in the area office in Rock Hill and in the state offices in Columbia. Upon moving to Hartsville, she became associated with Coker's Pedigreed Seed Company where she worked until her retirement. She was a resident of the Presbyterian Communities of South Carolina and a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Hartsville.

Surviving are her daughter, Betty Jo Goodman Coker of Hartsville, SC; stepson, Eugene T. Neely of Sea Cliff, NY; nephew, Harry Richmond Culp of Stone Mountain, GA; 4 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her first husband the late John Samuel Goodman.