



## Mrs. Betty Yarborough Watt

June 10, 1925 - February 24, 2012

Graveside services for Betty Yarborough Watt, 86, will be held at 1:00 p.m. Monday, February 27, 2012 at Magnolia Cemetery. The Rev. Lin Kirkman will officiate and Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home is serving the family. The family will receive friends following the service. Memorials may be made to the Wesley United Methodist Church, 160 East College Avenue, Hartsville, SC 29550, or the Darlington County Humane Society, P.O. Box 1655, Hartsville, SC 29551.

Mrs. Watt, widow of Edward Blackwell Watt, died Friday, February 24, 2012. Born in Hartsville, SC, she was a daughter of the late L. J. and Roma Yarborough. Mrs. Watt was a life-long resident of Hartsville and a steadfast member of Wesley United Methodist Church. She attended Coker College and then served as a teacher in Rock Hill, SC and Concord, NC for a short time. She later retired from Sonoco Products Company after 34 years of dedicated service. She loved Hartsville and the people of Hartsville and counted most of its citizens as her friends.

Surviving are her son and daughter-in-law, Tommy A. (Lisa) Thomas of Hartsville, SC; nephews, Martin (Dahlia) Cobb of Donald's, SC, George Ehmig of Clearwater, FL; grandchildren, Cassie (Daniel) Watkins of Lamar, SC, Katie Thomas of Hartsville, SC; several great nephews and a great niece. She was preceded in death by her sisters, Miriam Cobb and Margaret Ehmig. The family would like to give special thanks to her loving caregivers of Laurel Gardens Assisted Living and all the staff of United Hospice of Florence.



# Cemetery Details

## Magnolia Cemetery

140 South Cedar Lane  
Hartsville, SC 29550  
(843) 383-3004

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 27. 1:40 AM (ET)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall

NB

“ *The Rollins family are thinking of you , Tommy and Lisa, in this time of sorrow. We will remember Betty as Mom's cousin and the stories she told us about their good times together. Nancy Rollins Bain*

Nancy Rollins Bain - February 28, 2012 at 08:47 PM

LT

“ *Linda Thompson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Betty Yarborough Watt*



Linda Thompson - February 27, 2012 at 12:25 PM

RP

“ *Rayford & Carolyn Pait lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Betty Yarborough Watt*



Rayford & Carolyn Pait - February 27, 2012 at 10:05 AM

KS

“ *We all loved when Aunt Betty came to visit in Florida. She and Arget would talk so long their voices would give out. She was such a spirited lady with a great heart.*

*Karen Ehmig Sloan*

Karen Ehmig Sloan - February 27, 2012 at 09:43 AM

TT

*Hi Karen,  
It's been so many years since we both used to visit all of you in Clearwater. Thank you for your response. Mom loved all of you dearly and enjoyed our times together. I'm sure she and Ed are enjoying catching up on lost times.  
Thanks again.  
Tommy*

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**Tommy Thomas** - February 27, 2012 at 08:00 PM

SP

“ *Sorry to hear about Aunt Betty...she's chatting with "Arget" right now...remember them on the phone for hours...Granny always smiling when she spoke with her...*



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**Sarah Ehmig Petrou** - February 27, 2012 at 09:15 AM

CE

“ *So sorry to hear of Aunt Betty's passing. I am sure there is a great welcoming from "Sister" and Margaret in Heaven. I can only imagine all the laughter and giggles. We've been sharing stories and memories of Granny (Margaret) and Aunt Betty's visits here in Florida. Love and Prayers to all the family and friends up in SC.*

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**Chris A. Ehmig** - February 27, 2012 at 08:20 AM

BB

“ *1 file added to the album New Album Name*



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**Bobbie Bradshaw** - February 26, 2012 at 08:52 PM

BB

*Betty in our yard with a Japanese Maple in full color.. Bobbie and Leslie Bradshaw*

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**Bobbie Bradshaw** - February 26, 2012 at 08:53 PM

BB

“ *1 file added to the album Betty loved all animals, here she's helping us feed a baby squirrel. She loved seeing those baby squ*



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**Bobbie Bradshaw** - February 26, 2012 at 05:51 PM

BB

*Betty enjoyed seeing our baby squirrels grow up until we released them... she often held the feeding tube for them.. when they were babies. ... Bobbie and Leslie Bradshaw*

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**Bobbie Bradshaw** - February 26, 2012 at 05:54 PM

BB

“ *1 file added to the album Betty in our back yard, Bobbie and Leslie Bradshaw*



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**Bobbie Bradshaw** - February 26, 2012 at 05:40 PM

BB

*Betty loved to sit on our deck and hear the water from the fountains and the birds and enjoyed our cats*

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**Bobbie Bradshaw** - February 26, 2012 at 05:43 PM

FH

“ *Faith W. Howle lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Betty Yarborough Watt*



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**Faith W. Howle** - February 26, 2012 at 01:58 PM

DD

“ *Tommy,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Dawn Davis*

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**Dawn Davis** - February 25, 2012 at 03:34 PM

JM

“ *Tommy and Family,*

*Martha, Caroline, and I were truly saddened to hear of Betty's passing. We will always have fond memories of "Cousin Betty" and our time together with her during our visits back to Hartsville over the years. She was a very fine Christian lady who touched the lives of many people.*

*John McDonald*

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**John McDonald** - February 25, 2012 at 12:58 PM

TP

*Tommy,*

*I am honored to have counted your mother as a friend and she will be missed. Betty was unique, smart, and a blessing! My prayers are with you and your family.*

*Terry Pait*

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**Terry Pait** - February 26, 2012 at 09:15 AM