



Mrs. Edna Rae Johnson Benton

January 15, 1937 - August 31, 2022

It is with deep sorrow that the Benton family announces the death of their beloved mother, Edna Rae Johnson Benton, 85.

Mrs. Benton entered into rest on Wednesday, August 31, 2022. The Directors of Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home & Crematory are caring for the family.

A funeral service to honor her life will be held at 3 o'clock on Sunday, September 4, 2022, in Macedonia Baptist Church, 3582 Johnson Road, Jefferson, SC. The Rev. David Sanders will officiate with burial to follow in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends from 2:00 until 3:00 pm on Sunday, September 4, 2022, in the church sanctuary. Memorials may be made to Macedonia Baptist Church's "Meal Ministry."

Edna was born in Hartsville, SC, to the late Drew Johnson and Viola Smith Johnson. A lifetime member of Macedonia Baptist Church, she retired from Caro Knit Manufacturing in Jefferson. She loved music, playing the piano, singing in the church choir, and was an avid reader. Edna cherished the time she was able to be a part of the Hospice Foundation of Chesterfield choir.

She is survived by her sons, Eric (Linda) and Charles (Nancy), and daughter Marianne Barefoot; Sisters Betty Roberts, Jewell, Bass, and Brenda

Ferguson, and brother William Johnson; Grandchildren Mason Benton, Paige Allison, Jessi Allen, and Daric Barefoot; Great grandchildren Laiken Allison, Weston Allison, Claire Benton, and Chase Benton; her beloved poodle Max.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Shelly Whitaker; special friend, Darrell Funderburk; former husband, Jimmie Benton; and her wild-child Chihuahua, YoYo.

Serving as pallbearers will be Charles Benton, Dale Hawksworth, David Hawksworth, Mason Benton, Ridge Allen, and Austin Allison. Serving as Honorary Pallbearers will be Eric Benton and John Horton.

Cemetery Details

Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery

3582 Johnson Road
Jefferson, SC 29718

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 4. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Macedonia Baptist Church
3582 Johnson Rd.
Jefferson, SC 29718

Funeral Service

SEP 4. 3:00 PM (ET)

Macedonia Baptist Church
3582 Johnson Rd.
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Tribute Wall



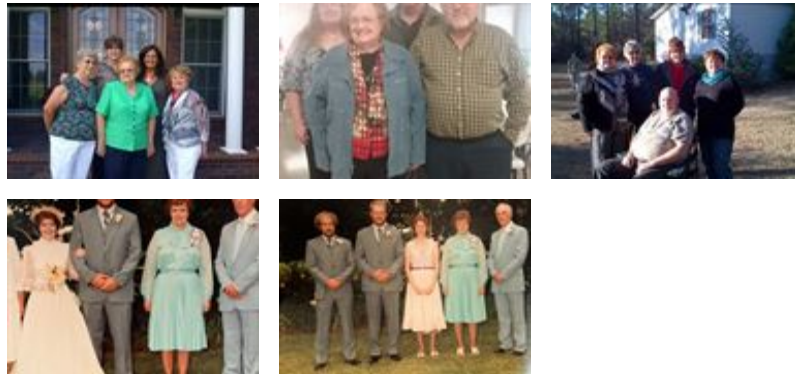
“ *Brown - Pennington - Atkins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Edna Rae Johnson Benton*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - September 02, 2022 at 03:47 PM



“ *5 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - September 03, 2022 at 05:29 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss Marianne, Eric, Charles. I will keep all of you in my prayers.*



Carol Horton Sapp - September 03, 2022 at 10:00 AM

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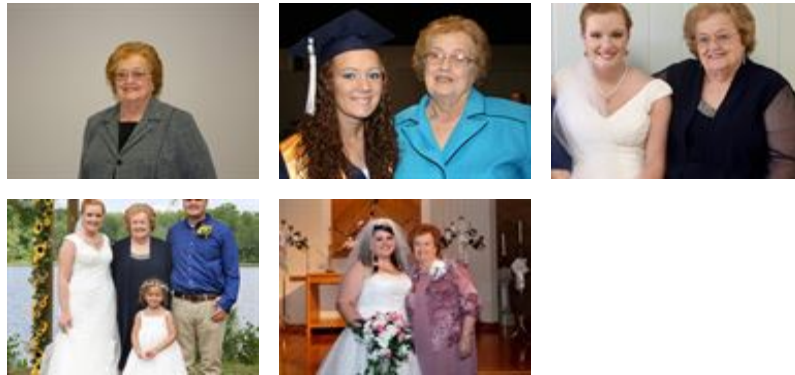
“ Carolyn Dixon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Rae Johnson Benton



Carolyn Dixon - September 02, 2022 at 08:37 PM



“ 43 files added to the album Life Tributes



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - September 02, 2022 at 03:43 PM

RS

“ Robby & Kathy Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Rae Johnson Benton



Robby & Kathy Smith - September 02, 2022 at 03:40 PM

GC

“ To all family members, you are in our prayers. Edna Rae will be missed by so many. Her singing and piano playing will be so missed. She had much talent. We love you all.



Geraldine and Jim Cox - September 02, 2022 at 10:08 AM

JF

“ Jeff , Linda McCarn & Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Rae Johnson Benton



Jeff , Linda McCarn & family - September 01, 2022 at 06:54 PM

KG

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of Edna. She was a wonderful christian lady who I worked with many years ago at Caro-Knit. May God comfort the family and put his loving arms around them. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.



Kathy Miles Gregory - September 01, 2022 at 02:22 PM

BK

“ Betty Johnson Knight lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Rae Johnson Benton



Betty Johnson Knight - September 01, 2022 at 01:49 PM

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Betty & Lowell Knight

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Deepest Sympathy

Betty Johnson Knight - September 01, 2022 at 01:50 PM

JT

“*Eric and family, During this difficult time, may each of you stand on your faith, your inner strength, and the power of God's love will carry you through. In our thoughts and prayers...Judy & Libby*



Judy Mason Thompson - September 01, 2022 at 11:46 AM

KP

“*Marianne, Jessi, Daric & family- My thoughts, prayers and my heart are with you all in your time of deep sorrow. May you & your family find comfort in knowing Mrs. Edna's absence from this earth is her presence with our Father in heaven. What a glorious place to be! ♡♡*
Karen

Karen Barefoot Putz - September 01, 2022 at 08:51 AM

LJ

“*Lynn & Faye Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Rae Johnson Benton*



Lynn & Faye Jackson - September 01, 2022 at 07:26 AM

SK

“ *Sandra Kirkley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Rae Johnson Benton*



Sandra Kirkley - September 01, 2022 at 01:48 AM

SK

Edna was a dear friend, wonderful Christian lady that loved the Lord. Worked with her for many years at Caro-Knit and attended church with her my entire life. She will truly be missed.

Sandra Kirkley - September 01, 2022 at 01:53 AM

CB

“ *Cindy Beard lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Rae Johnson Benton*



Cindy Beard - August 31, 2022 at 08:44 PM

CB

“ *Mrs. Edna loved singing in the Hospice of Chesterfield County choir as we visited hospice patients. What a beautiful friend! I will cherish many fond memories of her. Much love and prayers for the family.*
Cindy Beard

Cindy Beard - August 31, 2022 at 08:40 PM