



## Mrs. Esther Hood Atkinson

June 30, 1934 - January 31, 2021

Graveside services for Mrs. Esther Hood Atkinson, 86, will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 3, 2021 in Magnolia Cemetery. The Rev. Hazel Mixon, Rev. Steve Winburn, and Mr. Tommy Livingston will officiate. Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home is caring for the family. Friends may pay their respects and sign the guestbook at the funeral home on Tuesday between 3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. and Wednesday between 10:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

Mrs. Atkinson entered into rest on Sunday, January 31, 2021. Born in Darlington Co., SC, she was a daughter of the late Oliver and Hattie Oxendine Hood. She worked for E. Gay Bass Grocery and Hardware for 16 years where she met many people and formed relationships that were lasting. Then she and her husband were the owners and operators of Atkinson's Grocery in Lydia, SC. She loved her family dearly, enjoyed working in the yard with her flowers and collecting salt and pepper shakers.

Surviving are her sons, Donnie Atkinson of Hartsville, SC, Michael (Susan) Atkinson of Lydia, SC; brother, Leon (Drucilla) Hood of Augusta, GA; grandchildren, Jacob Atkinson, Ashley (Shane) Polson, Rebecca Atkinson; great-grandchildren, Makayla Polson, Tucker Polson; special niece, Brenda Harris; numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Howard Atkinson; son, Christopher Atkinson; sisters, Eleanor Hood Gainey, Elsie Hood Reynolds, Jeanette Hood Smith.

# Cemetery Details

## Magnolia Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Graveside

FEB 3. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

OA

“ *Donnie and Ashley, Beth and I are so sorry for your loss. Please know you are in our prayers.* ”



Olivia Baird(Livvy)&Beth Atkinson - February 05, 2021 at 03:00 PM

CO

“ *Cecil & Linda O'neal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Esther Hood Atkinson* ”



Cecil & Linda O'neal - February 03, 2021 at 12:53 PM

PE

“ *Pamela Sturgeon Eleazer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Esther Hood Atkinson* ”



Pamela Sturgeon Eleazer - February 02, 2021 at 07:27 PM

LL

“ *Lisa LeBoeuf lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Esther Hood Atkinson* ”



Lisa LeBoeuf - February 02, 2021 at 06:14 PM

SS

“ *Sheila Johnson Sherman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Esther Hood Atkinson*



Sheila Johnson Sherman - February 02, 2021 at 01:41 PM

KB

“ *Miss Esther was a neighbor and such a kind hearted person. May she Rest In Peace now in the arms of God*

Kevin Brand - February 02, 2021 at 12:11 PM

DS

“ *ON BEHALF OF THE STURGEON FAMILY WE SEND OUR LOVE AN PRAYERS TO THE ATKINSON FAMILY AT THIS TIME!!!! I GREW UP KNOWING MISS ESTHER !!!! SHE DID ALOT FOR ME IN MY EARLY YEARS FOR SURE!!! SWEET LADY INDEED!!!! THANK YOU MISS ESTHER FOR ALL YOU'VE DONE FOR ME!!!! I LOVE YOU !!!! I'LL SEE YOU AGAIN ONE DAY !!!! GOD BLESS THE ATKINSON FAMILY !!!!! WE LOVE Y'ALL!!!!!!*



David Sturgeon - February 02, 2021 at 11:59 AM

GS

“ *Gloria Jones Shoemake sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Esther Hood Atkinson*



Gloria Jones Shoemake - February 01, 2021 at 07:17 AM

WK

“ Wanda & Brad Kent lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Esther Hood Atkinson



Wanda & Brad Kent - February 01, 2021 at 06:48 AM

DA

“ Mike and family sorry to hear about Esther prayers to all



Dawn Lewis Armstrong - February 01, 2021 at 12:04 AM

PB

“ Phyllis Driggers Braddock sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Esther Hood Atkinson



Phyllis Driggers Braddock - January 31, 2021 at 08:26 PM

JJ

“ Jeff & Donna Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Esther Hood Atkinson



Jeff & Donna Johnson - January 31, 2021 at 08:12 PM