



Fred Melton, Sr.

November 23, 2010

Funeral services for M. Fred Melton, Sr., 84, will be held at 11:00 a.m. Friday, November 26, 2010 at Antioch Baptist Church. The Rev. John Helms will officiate with burial in Westview Memorial Park Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 4 to 6 p.m. Thursday, November 25, 2010 at Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to Antioch Baptist Church, 1121 Bethlehem Rd. Hartsville, SC 29550.

Mr. Melton, widower of Peggy Sweatt Melton, died Tuesday, November 23, 2010. Born in Hartsville, SC, he was a son of the late Marion and Lena Gardner Melton. He was a member of Antioch Baptist Church, a charter member of the Hartsville Moose Lodge and a loyal member of the Hartsville Lion's Club where he was past president and a past recipient of Lion of the Year. He was a graduate of Hartsville High School and Droughon Business College of Columbia, SC. He served in the United States Army during WWII, serving as a medic while stationed in Germany. He was employed for 20 years with the Home Finance Company in Hartsville, was the owner and operator of the Dixie Pig Drive-In for 4 years, and was the owner of Melton's Grocery in the Auburn Community until retirement.

Surviving are his daughters, Judy (Jerry) Ammons of Hartsville, SC, Brenda (Kim) Cranford of Hartsville, SC, Traci (Harvey) Teal of Hartsville; son, Fred (Susan) Melton, II; sister-in-law, Mary Ruth Chandler Melton; special friend, Betty Andrews; 9 grandchildren; 1 great grandchild. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Clifford Melton, Eddie Melton; grandson, Christopher Femal.

Tribute Wall



“ So sorry to hear of Mr. Fred's passing,my husband and I would stop by his store on our way fishing. He was a very friendly man and will be missed.My prayers go out to his friends and family.##imported-begin##Faye Polson##imported-end##

November 29, 2010 at 09:24 PM



“ Dear Melton Family,
I am so sorry for the loss of Mr. Fred. He was such a sweet man and will be missed by many. Brenda and Traci you guys will certainly be in my prayers during the days and months ahead! Love yall lots! -Lisa Atkinson##imported-begin##Lisa Atkinson##imported-end##

November 29, 2010 at 10:18 AM



“ Brenda, Fred and Tracy., My deepest sympathy is with all of you during this time. God bless all of you as you adjust to Fred's going home to Jesus.. Love you all. Letty Smith##imported-begin##Letty Smith##imported-end##

November 28, 2010 at 10:18 PM



“ Dear Brenda Tracy and family,
I am so sorry to hear about your dad. I know you will miss him but he is in a better place and has a new body and pain free. Hold on to the memories you all shared and he will live in your hearts forever. I love you all and will be praying for you in the days to come.
Love,
Crystal Danny Cameron and Danielle Minnehan##imported-begin##Crystal Talbert Minnehan##imported-end##

November 28, 2010 at 04:06 PM



“ Brenda I am so sorry for your loss. Praying for God's love and blessings to comfort you in the days ahead.##imported-begin##Cindy Griggs##imported-end##

November 26, 2010 at 08:38 PM



“ So sorry to hear about your dad. I was not in town when I heard. Please know that you and your family will be in our prayers and we love you.##imported-begin##Margie Lawhon Watkins##imported-end##

November 25, 2010 at 06:57 PM



“ Mrs Brenda and Traci,
You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Chellie Hunt Atkinson##imported-end##

November 25, 2010 at 05:57 PM



“ God's grace be with you at this time. You are in our prayers.##imported-begin##Teresa & James Shaw##imported-end##

November 25, 2010 at 03:42 PM



“ Brenda, have known your dad since i was a kid .always thought a lot of him.Iknow you will miss him. Wanted you to know I have you in my thoughts. MILLER##imported-begin##miller marshall##imported-end##

November 25, 2010 at 01:42 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all##imported-begin##Michael Folk##imported-end##

November 25, 2010 at 11:35 AM



“ Ally and I are thinking of your during this difficult time. We love you and are here for you if you need us.##imported-begin##Mandy Tyner##imported-end##

November 25, 2010 at 08:24 AM



“ Brenda, Kim. Tracy, Harvey, Fred, Susan, and the rest of the family, are so sorry to hear about the loss of your Father, I know how much you all loved him and how much he loved you, ll. Take comfort in knowing that he is not in any pain anymore, and you will see him again. I pray that God##imported-begin## Carl and Evelyn##imported-end##

November 24, 2010 at 10:43 PM



“ *Brenda & Traci sorry to hear of your dad passing. We will keep you all in our thoughts and Prayers. If you all need anything just give us a call. Love Terry (Boseman)Smith & Mike Smith##imported-begin##Terry Smith##imported-end##*

November 24, 2010 at 10:27 PM



“ *Judy, Brenda, Traci, and Fred, So sorry to hear of your Daddy's passing. He was a very special man, and will be missed. My prayers are with you. Let me know if there's anything I can do.##imported-begin##Rhonda Pearce##imported-end##*

November 24, 2010 at 08:50 PM



“ *TO TRACY AND FAMILY,*

IT WAS SO GREAT WORKING WITH MR. MELTON AND THE FAMILY I WILL MISS HIM ALOT. IF ANY OF YOU NEED ANYTHING PLEASE LET US KNOW.

JAY TEDDER C.N.A AGAPE HOSPICE##imported-begin##JAY TEDDER ##imported-end##

November 24, 2010 at 08:18 PM



“ Brenda & Melton family - so sorry to hear about Fred. I worked for him at Home Finance for a year right after I graduated from HHS. He was a thoughtful, understanding and patient supervisor. I pray God's blessings on all of you. You were very fortunate to have him in your life for such a long time.

Wayne Stratton Wallace##imported-begin##Wayne Stratton Wallace##imported-end##

November 24, 2010 at 07:56 PM



“ Brenda and family you are in my prayers. Love, Trudy##imported-begin##Trudy Stamey##imported-end##

November 24, 2010 at 06:24 PM



“ Brenda, Traci and Family I am so sorry for your lost. Your Dad was such a sweet man, He will be missed by all that knew him. My thoughts and prayers will be with you all at this time. Just know I am only a phone call away if you need anything at all. We love you! The Lavender's##imported-begin##Vickie Lavender##imported-end##

November 24, 2010 at 05:38 PM



“ Mrs. Brenda and family I am sorry for your loss. I will keep you all in my prayers.##imported-begin##Tonya McLaughlin-Hall ##imported-end##

November 24, 2010 at 05:07 PM



“ *Brenda and family,
Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. So sorry to hear about your father. May God wrap his loving arms around you all and bring you comfort and peace during this difficult time and the days ahead. If there is anything we can do, please do not hesitate to let us know. Much love,
Jeff, Bebe, and Virginia Anne Chapman###imported-begin##Jeff and Bebe Chapman###imported-end##*

November 24, 2010 at 04:45 PM



“ *Brenda and Traci, your daddy was a wonderful person and will be missed by many. You and your families will be in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Please know we are here for you and are just a phone call away. We love you, The Polsons###imported-begin##Ashley Polson###imported-end##*

November 24, 2010 at 03:27 PM



“ *All of us at Agape are so thankful we had the opportunity to serve Mr. Fred and his family! It was a true pleasure spending time with him, getting to know him, and making a great friend! Most importantly, it was encouraging to hear him talk about the time in his life when he trusted Christ as Savior; the most important decision one could ever make!
We will praying for the family in the days ahead, and we know God will work in this homegoing in a great way!###imported-begin##Agape Hospice###imported-end##*

November 24, 2010 at 03:00 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family.
Brenda and Kim, Traci and Harvey, Fred and Susan, and to the rest
of the children and grandchildren, this is a great loss, but rest
assured he is celebrating with the Lord today. It is the ones left
behind who suffer the sorrow.
God Bless and be with you all, each and everyone!###imported-
begin##James Brigman ##imported-end##

November 24, 2010 at 02:41 PM



“ Dear Brenda - Thinking of all of you during your loss. with love from
the Crouch Crowd.###imported-begin##laura crouch##imported-
end##

November 24, 2010 at 01:37 PM



“ My love and prayers to each of you.. Take comfort in your God and
with all of your faith know that your Dad is now in the arms of his
saviour..and surrounded by those who loved him.###imported-
begin##Linda Lane##imported-end##

November 24, 2010 at 12:32 PM



“ Tracy, Mrs. Brenda and families
I am so sorry to hear about Mr Melton's passing. Our thoughts and
prayers are with you at this time###imported-begin##Susan
(Braddock) Clemmons##imported-end##

November 24, 2010 at 12:11 PM