



James H. Melton, Sr.

July 20, 1922 - January 28, 2010

Funeral services for James H. Melton, Sr., 87, will be held at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, January 31, 2010 at Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel with burial to follow in Westview Memorial Park Cemetery. The family will receive friends Saturday, January 30, 2010 from 4-6 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses.

Mr. Melton, widower of Beatrice Peavy Melton, died Thursday, January 28, 2010. Born in Darlington Co., SC, he was a son of the late Norman and Julia Truett Melton. He was one of Jehovah's Witnesses for many years. He retired from Sonoco Products Company after 42 years of service and was a member of the Old Timers Club.

Surviving are his sons and daughters-in-law, James H. and Alice Melton, William A. "Tony" and Joyce Melton, and Phillip Eugene Melton, all of Hartsville, SC; daughter-in-law, Deborah Melton of Bishopville, SC; sisters, Frances Cox, Mary Hodges, Carolyn Howell all of Hartsville, SC; 7 grandchildren.

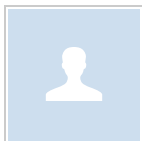
Tribute Wall



“ Jimmy, Alice, Julia, and family,

I am so saddened for the passing of Uncle James. He was so sweet and kind. I want you to know that Stacy and I are thinking of you all. I can remember going to Santee when he and Aunt Bea lived there....He lived a long, great life. Call us if you need us. Love, Stacy, Taylor, Mallory and Bryce##imported-begin##Taylor and Stacy Lail##imported-end##

February 05, 2010 at 11:23 PM



“ To the Melton Family: Sorry to hear about Mr. Melton. I always thought alot of him. He was always fun to be around and he was a hoot. I know he will be greatly missed. It has been awhile ago. Cindy and I were just talking about him recently and our younger years. I always thought alot of him and Ms. Beatrice. I will keep you all in my prayers.##imported-begin##Rhonda J. Norton##imported-end##

February 03, 2010 at 04:18 PM



“ To Jimmie, Tony, Phillip and all your family.. I was heartbroken to hear that Uncle James passed away, and he will be greatly missed. I'm so sorry for all of you and send my love and condolences for one of the finest uncles a girl could have. Hugs and much love from Germany.##imported-begin##Abra Carroll Zimmer##imported-end##

February 01, 2010 at 11:55 AM



“ We share your loss and grief but are unable to be there as we are in Texas for the funeral of Jerry's brother, George. Uncle James was a kind loving man and we will miss his laugh and smiles. May God bless you all with His love and give you comfort. With love Janna & Jerry###imported-begin###Janna and Jerry Davis###imported-end##

February 01, 2010 at 09:59 AM



“ What a glorious day this must be for your dad, to be united with his Lord and Savior and to be reunited with his beloved wife. We just found out this morning about "Granddaddy" as I always called him. Seeing him 2-3 times a week for the last 4 years, here at Cardiac Rehab, he felt like family. Our hearts are so saddened for our loss. He will be remembered fondly by all of his friends here. I am so sorry that we did not know so we could attend the services.###imported-begin###Cathy Reiss###imported-end##

February 01, 2010 at 08:31 AM



“ Sorry to hear about your lost Jim. Our thoughts and prayers with you at this time and the days ahead.###imported-begin###Carey & Barbara Cook###imported-end##

February 01, 2010 at 08:01 AM



“ All the Melton family will sorely miss Uncle James, We are truly blessed to have had him in our lives. He is now in a much better place. Much love to all of you.

MaryAnn###imported-begin###MaryAnn Lawrence###imported-end##

January 31, 2010 at 10:54 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family.##imported-begin##Tonya, David and Gaye Brown##imported-end##

January 31, 2010 at 07:26 PM



“ We are extremely sorry for your loss. May God bless your family.##imported-begin##Maureen & Dave Schrader##imported-end##

January 31, 2010 at 01:10 AM



“ Jim, Lisa and I are thinking about you. Your Dad was a good man and you were very close to him.
I am so lucky to have a similar relationship with my Dad.##imported-begin##Randy Childers, Jr.##imported-end##

January 30, 2010 at 01:48 PM



“ Jim,
Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers for the weeks to come. Sorry for you loss.
Chuck##imported-begin##Chuck Towne##imported-end##

January 30, 2010 at 12:06 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Randy Rhea and Family##imported-end##

January 30, 2010 at 11:20 AM



“ You are always in my heart, next to our favorite beach music and shaggin up at Goat Island!
LOVE,
Shawn###imported-begin##Shawn Perkey - Dyess###imported-end##

January 30, 2010 at 01:47 AM



“ Julia, Jim, and Alice-
I am sorry to hear about your loss. I didn't know Mr. Melton but I know you guys and what you are going through. If you need me, don't hesitate to call.

You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers. May God Bless You All.###imported-begin##Christine Brigman Wilson (Long time friend of family)###imported-end##

January 29, 2010 at 09:21 PM



“ To my sisters and brothers in law ,Julia David and Emily. I love you all. I cant say how sorry I am. He taught me so much. I was like his shadow every chance I got. He filled a void in my life when daddy died when I was young.He taught me wonderful life adventures I will never forget, He was a mentor a friend and I am Proud to call him Family. I will miss him so much, His kind and gentle heart. Love you all.###imported-begin##Terry Greg Gregory And Amber Newsome###imported-end##

January 29, 2010 at 09:01 PM



“ Had contact with James for many years at Sonoco. Always willing to talk. Happy I could call him a friend.##imported-begin##Johnnie King##imported-end##

January 29, 2010 at 07:37 PM



“ Jim and family,
My condolences on the loss of your dad, my thoughts and prayers are with you..

Denny##imported-begin##DENNY BOUNDS##imported-end##

January 29, 2010 at 05:55 PM



“ For our sisters and brother-in-laws and nieces and nephew, we love you and support you in any way we can. Let us know.

Love ya,
Glenn,Lisa,Ryan, and Danny##imported-begin##Glenn, Lisa, Ryan, and Danny Staton##imported-end##

January 29, 2010 at 02:25 PM