



Laurie Blackmon

September 17, 1918 - October 4, 2007

Graveside services for Laurie Cephus Blackmon, 89, will be held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, October 6, 2007 at Lake Swamp Baptist Church Cemetery. The Revs. Ronald Smalley, Wayne Windham, and Robert Thomas will officiate with burial in Lake Swamp Baptist Church Cemetery directed by Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home. The family will receive friends Friday, October 5, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. at the funeral home.

Mr. Blackmon, widower of his first wife, Hattie Raye Jernigan Blackmon, died Thursday, October 4, 2007. Born in Darlington Co., SC, he was a son of the late William Bruce and Mary Stokes Blackmon. He was a member of High Hill Baptist Church and served as a deacon for many years. He retired from Sonoco after 41 years of service and was a member of the old timer's club. After retirement he enjoyed fishing and visiting with family and friends. He was a veteran of WWII and served his country in the U.S. Marine Corps.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Ellen Blackmon of Hartsville, SC; son, Larry Catoe of Conway, SC; daughters and sons-in-law, Janice B. and Robert Parler of Orangeburg, SC, Libby and Ed Griggs of Hartsville, SC, Debra Crowley of Hartsville, SC; son-in-law, Buddy Huntley of Darlington, SC ; sister, Mary Louise Burdick of St. Petersburg, FL; brother and sister-in-law, Alvin L. and Jackie Blackmon of Hartsville, SC; grandchildren and spouse, Ilene B. and Mark Roach, Heather H. and Jay Allen, Wilson Huntley, Kimberly Blackmon, Sharon and Paul Byram, Kim and Dallas Ball, Bryan and Amy Crowley; 4 great grandchildren; 10 nieces and nephews; special friends, Ronnie and

Virginia Linton of Hartsville, SC. He was preceded in death by his son, Thomas L. Blackmon; daughter, Marilyn B. Huntley; brothers, John Cecil Blackmon and William Monroe Blackmon; sister, Elizabeth Watson.

Tribute Wall



“ You will be very much missed and I'm sorry we didn't get to spend much time together but I knew you loved me and I Loved you. Now I can say my goodbyes and I Know you are in a better place Granddad Love your graddaughter###imported-begin###Kimberly Raye Blackmon###imported-end##

February 18, 2008 at 11:55 AM



“ We wish to extend our sincere sympathy to the family on the loss of this loved one. We also would like to let the family know that we appreciate what this veteran did for his country.

Warner DeHart,

Tara Stokes Waddell,

Judy Norwood Knight###imported-begin###Darlington County Veteran Affairs Office###imported-end##

October 17, 2007 at 12:29 PM



“ Grandma,
Paul, Josh, Caleb, and myself have you in our prayers during this time.

Love,

Sharon###imported-begin###Paul and Sharon Byram###imported-end##

October 05, 2007 at 10:02 PM



“ I am so sorry to learn of the death of your father. May God continue to keep and bless you and your family as you go through this most difficult time of your life. Just remember that earth has no sorry that heaven can not heal.

Bessie Abraham###imported-begin##Bessie Abraham###imported-end##

October 05, 2007 at 09:07 AM



“ Bryan...So sorry for your loss. You, Amy and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Tara, Jeff, Kari and Emma Steen###imported-begin##Tara & Jeff Steen###imported-end##

October 05, 2007 at 08:21 AM



“ Aunt Mary Ellen & family,
I'm so sorry to hear about Mr. Blackmon. You are in our thoughts and especially our prayers. We love you. Charlene, Katherine, and Faye.###imported-begin##Charlene Wood ###imported-end##

October 04, 2007 at 11:55 PM



“ Aunt Mary Ellen,
I am so sorry for the loss of Mr. Blackmon. You will be in my prayers during this difficult time.
Love,
Stacy, Eddie, Tucker, Nathan, & Danielle###imported-begin##Stacy Legg###imported-end##

October 04, 2007 at 09:09 PM



“ *Janice:*

You and your loved ones in my thoughts and prayers. I am so very sorry for your loss.

Love always,

Arlene##imported-begin##Arlene Smoak##imported-end##

October 04, 2007 at 05:03 PM