



## Mrs. Mary Coskrey Bell

December 24, 1920 - April 13, 2012

Mary Coskrey Bell, age 91 and widow of the late Floyd E. Bell, Sr. died on April 13, 2012 in Hartsville, S.C.

Born in Summerton, S.C. Mrs. Bell was the daughter of the late Walter W. Coskrey and Maude Hilton Coskrey. She graduated from Summerton High School in 1938 and attended Southeastern Commercial College in Florence where she played basketball in the City League.

She lived and raised her family in Hartsville where she worked in the Sonoco Credit Union for 27 years. Mrs. Bell was a charter member of West Hartsville Baptist Church where she taught the Junior Department and served on several committees and was a member of the Love Sunday School Class.

Visitation will be from 2:00 PM until 3:00 PM on Sunday, April 15th at the West Hartsville Baptist Church. Funeral services will be conducted by the Reverend Kevin Walters at 3:00 PM following the visitation, and burial will be held at Magnolia Cemetery. The family will receive visitors at her home following the burial. Memorials may be made to the church or to a personal choice.

Surviving are her two children Zelma Ann Shumake and husband Edward C. Shumake of Hartsville and Floyd E. Bell, Jr. and wife Beverly C. Bell of Columbia, S.C. Grandchildren Brooks Shumake of Columbia, Paige Byrd of Hartsville, Dr. Floyd E. Bell III, Shannon Bell Gilbert, and Misty Bell Dix of Columbia, Great Grandchildren Madison Byrd, and Elizabeth Byrd Thomas of Clemson, Nicholas Shumake of Hartsville, Bryson Gilbert, Owen Gilbert, Carson Gilbert and Brian Dix of Columbia, and Great Great Granddaughter

Lola Thomas of Clemson.

She was predeceased by a Grandson, Edward Todd Shumake brothers, Carlyle Coskrey of Summerton, Claude Coskrey of Florence and sister Thelma Furse of Summerton.

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home is serving the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Magnolia Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 15. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

West Hartsville Baptist Church  
1003 W. Carolina Ave.  
Hartsville, SC

## Service

APR 15. 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

SN

“ So very sorry for your loss. I worked with Mary at the Credit Union, she was always happy & laughing! Sincerly, Sherrill

Sherrill Northcutt - May 21, 2012 at 04:02 PM

CG

“ Connee Grantham lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Coskrey Bell



Connee Grantham - April 16, 2012 at 03:21 PM

KG

“ Kent And Linda Gainey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Coskrey Bell



Kent and Linda Gainey - April 15, 2012 at 09:48 PM

AC

“ Praying for the family and friends!



Amanda Chiles - April 15, 2012 at 06:17 PM



“ *Amy Tiller lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Coskrey Bell*



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**Amy Tiller** - April 15, 2012 at 01:06 AM



“ *Dr. Bell, I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

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**Lou Osborne** - April 14, 2012 at 08:37 PM



“ *EVELYN TEAL lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Coskrey Bell*



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**EVELYN TEAL** - April 14, 2012 at 07:23 PM

LK

“ *Zelma Ann and Ernie and Family,  
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Your Mother was always a sweet ,kind and loving person. I know I did not know as we as many did, I remember her from my high school days and the ensuing years. She always looked beautiful and made a point to speak to me when she saw me. I will be praying for all of you, This is a difficult time, I know, but cherish all the good memories and know where she is now. May God put HIS loving arms around you and let you know HE is there for you.  
Sincerely,  
Linda Knorr*

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**Linda Stewart Knorr** - April 14, 2012 at 05:22 PM

CM

“ *Crystal Talbert Minnehan lit a candle in  
memory of Mrs. Mary Coskrey Bell*



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**Crystal Talbert Minnehan** - April 14, 2012 at 10:36 AM

CM

*Ann and Family  
We are so sorry for your loss. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Love you all, Crystal and family*

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**Crystal Talbert Minnehan** - April 14, 2012 at 10:36 AM

LT

“ Anne, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. She was such a sweet lady and I always enjoyed talking with her when she worked at the Credit Union. You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.



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**Linda Thompson** - April 13, 2012 at 08:23 PM

PJ

“ Pat James lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Coskrey Bell



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**Pat James** - April 13, 2012 at 07:46 PM

CF

“ Dr. Bell, Doug and I express our sympathy on the loss of your mother. We both have experienced the sadness of losing a mother and understand the great void. Our prayers are with you and your family at this time. Carolyn and Doug Fleming

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**Carolyn B. Fleming** - April 13, 2012 at 05:44 PM

JK

“ Anne, please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Jo Frieda Kelley** - April 13, 2012 at 03:43 PM