



## Mrs. Nancy Vivian Booth Harris

February 5, 1940 - January 5, 2026

Nancy Vivian Booth Harris, 85 of Hartsville, SC, died on January 5, 2026. She was born in Horry County, SC, to Hubert Raymond and Doris Marie Floyd Booth.

Vivian was preceded in death by her husband, Fred R. Harris, Sr.; her son, Fred R. Harris, Jr.; and her brother, Janson V. Booth.

Surviving are three grandsons, Freddy R. Harris, III, J. Ryan Harris (Kendall Harris), and Chris B. Harris; two great-grandchildren, Carter and Wrenly; daughter-in-law, Rosemary Y Harris; brother, Hubert J. Booth; sisters-in-law, Dolores H. Booth, Mary Ann Booth; nieces, Robin L. Poteat and Ilene M. Roach; nephew, Janson Booth II.

She graduated from St John's High School in Darlington, SC, and Winthrop College in Rock Hill, SC. She taught school for 31 years in a number of states in which she and her husband lived. Her hobbies included golf, knitting, bridge, traveling, and going to the beach. She was a member of the Kalmia Garden Club, Pine and Lake Garden Club, Hart Cottage Guild, United Methodist Women, and Maxine Garland Circle. Vivian was also a member of Wesley United Methodist Church in Hartsville, SC.

A memorial service will be held at 11 o'clock on Saturday, January 10, 2026,

at Wesley United Methodist Church, officiated by Pastor Fred McDaniel and Pastor Floyd Parker. The family will receive friends in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Wesley United Methodist Church, 145 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC 29550, or Amorem Hospice, 902 Kirkwood St. NW, Lenoir, NC 28645.

The Directors of Brown-Pennington-Akins Funeral Home are caring for the family.

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Funeral Service

JAN 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

Wesley United Methodist Church  
145 E. College Ave.  
Hartsville, SC 29550

### Visitation

JAN 10. 12:00 PM (ET)

Wesley United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall  
145 E. College Avenue  
Hartsville, SC 29550

# Tribute Wall



“ *Brown - Pennington - Atkins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Nancy Vivian Booth Harris*



**Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home** - January 09 at 12:30 PM

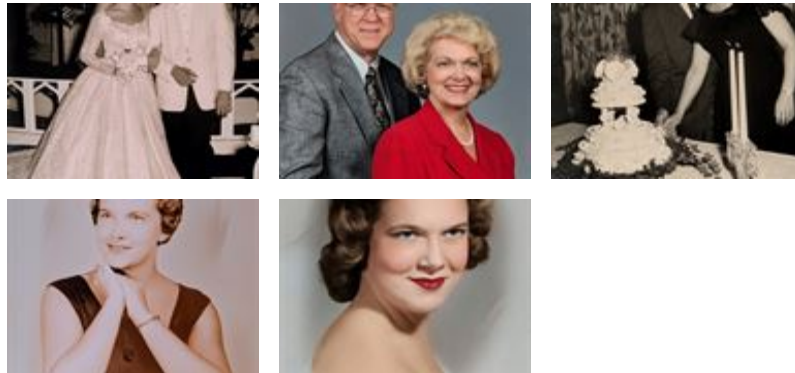
CH

*What a beautiful sweet lady!!*

**Cyndi Haselden** - January 14 at 09:13 AM



“ *50 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home** - January 09 at 12:27 PM

AF

“ *Rosemary, sorry to hear about Vivian. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

**Ann Fulcher** - January 07 at 07:32 PM

AJ

“ *Amy Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nancy Vivian Booth Harris*



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**Amy Johnson** - January 07 at 03:52 PM

ED

“ *H.J Pete Booth, Family & Friends, we were so sorry to hear of your/our loss. May GOD Grant you Grace. Vivian was Always nice to us. Jeannie Harris & i were trying to contact her, but could not, & now we realize she was at Bethea.. When someone dies , we Always wish we had spent more time with them. GODBLESS*

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**ed davis** - January 07 at 03:18 PM

RW

“ *I taught at HJHS with her. She was always helpful and friendly. My prayers go out to her family.*

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**Rebecca Walker** - January 07 at 10:54 AM

JC

“ *I was honored to meet Vivian after she became a resident at Bethea. I was blessed to be her chaplain and pastor, during her years with us. God bless all the members of her family. We will keep you in our prayers.*  
*Jeff Cockrell*

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**Jeff Cockrell** - January 06 at 10:51 PM



“ *One of my favorite teachers.*”



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**Christel Copeland** - January 06 at 07:24 PM

RF

“ My wife, Amy and I, really loved Vivian. My mother and her were friends for many years, as well. I had many lovely visits with her in her home at Bethea Retirement Community, as assistant chaplain there the last 2 1/2 years; I considered Vivian to be one of my “tribe of church mothers,” and she was fiercely loyal to me, and very supportive of my journey through seminary and into ordained ministry in the Methodist church, where I currently serve.

Amy and my wife truly developed a special bond, as well. Thank you, Lord, for the “Vivians” of our lives, that helped Amy and me get to each other; I will truly miss our visits, and her “spot on” life advice.

Amy and I, along with the congregations we, serve, me as pastor of Elim Methodist Church, Amy in music ministry (organist and pianist) at Darlington Presbyterian Church, all send love and prayers to the family.

HEAR THIS PRAYER:

Into your hands, O Lord, we humbly entrust our sister, Vivian. Deliver her now from every evil, and bid her enter eternal rest. Welcome her then into paradise, where there will be no sorrow, no weeping nor pain, but the fullness of peace and joy.

Yours in Him,

Rev. Andy Williams  
Pastor, Elim Methodist Church  
The Oates Community  
Lamar, SC USA

Amy W. Williams, FNP-C  
Organist, Pianist, Chancel Choir Accompanist  
Darlington Presbyterian Church  
Darlington, SC

**Rev. Andy and Amy Williams, FNP-C** - January 06 at 06:47 PM

SC

*Vivian was a dear friend and a wonderful person!  
She was a lovely lady and will be missed by many!  
Sandra and Jack Cross*

**Sandra Cross** - January 06 at 07:56 PM

CH

“ *Granny your love will forever be with me. Give Dad and Grandpa a hug for me! So happy that your reunited with your Fred's!*

**Chris Harris** - January 06 at 06:38 PM

SW

*You were blessed with the Best! Granny Harris was the sweetest person I ever knew ! She loved you Boys!!! I do too*

**susan watkins** - January 08 at 05:47 PM