



## Ruth Hicks Yarborough

March 31, 1931 - March 17, 2009

Funeral services for Ruth Hicks Yarborough, 77, will be held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, March 19, 2009 at Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Marvin Griggs and the Rev. Charles McLendon will officiate with burial in Spring Branch Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends Wednesday, March 18, 2009 from 6-8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Mrs. Yarborough, widow of George Yarborough, Jr., died Tuesday, March 17, 2009. Born in Darlington Co., SC, she was a daughter of the late Arthur and Melinda Hall Hicks.

Surviving are her son, Billy Ray Yarborough of Hartsville, SC; daughters, Gail (R. L.) Sanders of Hartsville, SC, Jackie Welch Johnson of Hartsville, SC; sister, Edell Grooms of Cassatt, SC; 7 grandsons; 12 great-grandchildren; a very special friend, Rufus Atkinson

# Previous Events

## Service

MAR 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel  
306 W Home Ave  
Hartsville, SC

# Tribute Wall



“ to: Jackie and family Mrs. Ruth was a fine lady. When I was a little girl Mrs. Ruth would come to our house. Then I started working at the arcade I didn't know Jackie was her daughter. My prayers and my thoughts are with the family.##imported-begin##Loria Stukes##imported-end##

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March 18, 2009 at 09:48 PM



“ Allen,  
I am so sorry about grandmother. May God comfort you and your family through this difficult time.##imported-begin##Janice Woodham##imported-end##

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March 18, 2009 at 09:23 PM



“ Gail and Uncle RL I am sorry for your loss. You will be in my prayers and thoughts. And yes I do love you both##imported-begin##Deborah Rogers##imported-end##

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March 18, 2009 at 07:41 PM



“ JACKIE, GAIL, BILLY RAY,  
THERE ARE NO WORDS TO DESCRIBE HOW IT FEELS TO  
LOSE RUTH I GREW UP IN YOUR HOME ALMOST AS MUCH AS  
I WAS IN MY HOME AND WAS ALWAYS LOVED BY RUTH SHE  
MADE NO DIFFERENCE IN HER KIDS TO THE OTHER KIDS IN  
HER HOME YOU WERE JUST AT HOME AND LOVED I WILL  
MISS HER SO MUCH  
BUT I KNOW SHE IS IN A HEAVENLY HOME NOW. NO MORE  
CONFUSION NOR PAIN. I AM JUST A PHONE CALL AWAY OR  
JUST NEXT DOOR IF YOU NEED ME  
LOVE TO ALL OF YOU,  
JACKIE  
JIMMY & FAYE##imported-begin##JACKIE BOAN  
WATFORD##imported-end##

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March 18, 2009 at 04:38 PM



“ sorry about your lose. we will miss her .I'm Ingram Hall daughter  
I'M sister hall##imported-begin##mary (hall) watson##imported-  
end##

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March 17, 2009 at 03:47 PM



“ To my family,  
I feel your pain so much with the passing of Aunt Ruth. I can  
remember all the good times and her and my granny of partying lol.  
I know she with my Granny Ophelia in heaven drinking mountain  
dews and chewing gum. I will miss her so much but yet I know she  
is in a better place. If there is anything I can do please let me know.  
I love you all.##imported-begin##Jelenna Griggs##imported-end##

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March 17, 2009 at 02:05 PM



“ Gail and family, We are sorry to hear of your Moms passing. We can only imagine how hard this is to go through but know you all are in many thoughts and prayers including ours. If we can do anything just let us know. David, Beth, Kayla & Hanna##imported-begin##David & Beth Lee##imported-end##

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March 17, 2009 at 01:40 PM



“ I will always remember growing up and staying with my Uncle Buddy and Aunt Ruth (Mother). She treated me as if I were one of her daughters, not just a niece. I always felt lots of love in that house. I cherish my memories. Chocolate covered peanuts were always in the "kelvinator"! I will miss her very much. Gail, Jackie, the whole family, I love you all so much and will see you soon. Robin##imported-begin##Robin Johnson Duke##imported-end##

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March 17, 2009 at 01:00 PM