



Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman

July 30, 1925 - August 23, 2014

Funeral services for Sarah Hicks Freeman, 89, will be held at 4:00 pm Tuesday, August 26, 2014 at Chapel Hill Baptist Church. The Rev. Grover Johnson will officiate with burial in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends from 5:00 pm until 7:00 pm on Monday at Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home, and other times at the residence, 1003 East Carolina Avenue, Hartsville, SC.

Mrs. Freeman, widow of Marion T. Freeman, died Saturday, August 23, 2014. Born in Hartsville, SC, she was a daughter of the late Grayton and Maggie Tyner Hicks. She was married to her late husband of forty-four years. She raised seven children with a strong hand. She was a loving mother (Mama). She adored and loved her grandchildren, their special name for her was Granny. She had a host of nieces and nephews whom she loved very much. Her love for her family was unconditional. When things were not going well in our life, she was always in our corner. There is an empty space in our lives today, but we all have so many special memories of her in our hearts to cherish. She was an avid bingo player at one point in her life. She retired from Hartsville Manufacturing after 36 years of service. Most importantly, she was a true believer in Jesus Christ.

Surviving are her sons, Buddy (Wanda) Freeman of Hartsville, SC, Freddie (Ginger) Freeman of Hartsville, SC; daughters, Shirley (Larry) Gainey of

Patrick, SC, Vivian (William) Johnson of Hartsville, SC, Joyce Talbert of Hartsville, SC; grandchildren, Steve (Kerry) Parker, Jerry (Bambi) Dixon, James (Debbie) Dixon, Timmy Dixon, Lynette Johnson Tadlock, Michelle Johnson Caddell, Frankie Freeman Jr., Tonda Freeman, Tasha Freeman, Brian Gainey all of Hartsville, SC, Dawn (Jayson) O'Neal, of Hartsville, SC, Phinon (Mike) Woodside of Newark, DE, Garrit (Erin) Hawk of Hartsville, SC, John Talbert of Hartsville, SC; brother, Jimmy Hicks of Orangeburg, SC, sister-in-law, Hannah Johnson of Hartsville, SC; 30 great grandchildren; 8 great-great grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her daughters, Virginia (Frank) Parker and Margaret (Buck) Dixon; grandson, William Michael Johnson; brothers, Otis Hicks, Colin Hicks, Gene Hicks, and Grayton Hicks; sisters, Caroline Dixon and Sally Gregory.

We would like to express our thanks to her caregivers, Janice Bowen, Barbara Weatherford, and Joyce Griggs, and Tammy Timmons with Nurses On Call. Also we would like to thank the staff of Morrell Rehab for the loving care and support you gave our mother and our family during her stay.

Cemetery Details

Chapel Hill Baptist Church Cemetery

1569 Ruby Rd.
Hartsville, SC

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **25**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

AUG **26**. 4:00 PM (ET)

Chapel Hill Baptist Church
1569 Ruby Road
Hartsville, SC

Tribute Wall

RA

“ Robert Andrews lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Robert Andrews - June 27, 2025 at 12:56 PM

MO

“ I love you aunt Sarah and you will be dearly missed! I know my mom Linda Hicks King is in Heaven shouting and dancing with you! My prayers are with our family!

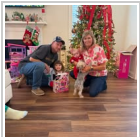


melinda king odom - September 05, 2014 at 01:15 PM

MC

“ Freddie and Family, We were so very sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. Our thoughts and prayers will be with you all during this difficult time.

Matt and Janice Cassidy - August 28, 2014 at 08:47 AM



“ Angie Flowers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Angie Flowers - August 27, 2014 at 08:28 AM

CD

“ *Connie Dixon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



connie dixon - August 27, 2014 at 12:16 AM

EG

“ *Eleanor Garnett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Eleanor Garnett - August 26, 2014 at 09:17 PM

JC

“ *Jimmy Cross lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Jimmy Cross - August 26, 2014 at 08:45 PM

HB

“ *freddie and frankie, sorry to hear of your mothers passing. my thoughts and prayers are with you and your families at this difficult time.*
howard barfield

howard barfield - August 26, 2014 at 08:25 PM

CM

“ *Vivian we are in prayer fou you and family.*

charles mclendon - August 26, 2014 at 10:09 AM

LP

“ *Lisa Robbins Peavy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Lisa Robbins Peavy - August 26, 2014 at 08:00 AM

SE

“ *Sam And Judy Elgin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Sam and Judy Elgin - August 25, 2014 at 08:11 PM

SD

“ *I am truly sorry for your loss. our lord is our strength. and refuge. my thoughts and prayers are with you. love sandy dennis-pound*

sandy dennis-pound - August 25, 2014 at 07:51 PM

SD

“ *Sandy Dennis-pound lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



sandy dennis-pound - August 25, 2014 at 07:43 PM

DC

“ Dawn Crawford lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Dawn Crawford - August 25, 2014 at 07:33 PM

VJ

“ Von Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Von Johnson - August 25, 2014 at 06:21 PM

FG

“ Vivian, Shirley, and Tasha,
I am so very sorry for your loss. All of your families are in my prayers. May the Lord bless and keep you.
With Sympathy and Love,
Frieda Goodman



Frieda Goodman - August 25, 2014 at 06:15 PM

CD

“ Carolyn Dixon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Carolyn Dixon - August 25, 2014 at 05:46 PM

TB

“ TUB AND CAROL BEASLEY lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



TUB AND CAROL BEASLEY - August 25, 2014 at 03:01 PM

LP

“ Linda Byrd Parker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Linda Byrd Parker - August 25, 2014 at 02:59 PM

LS

“ To all of the family, Granny was a very special woman and I loved her. She was a tough ole cookie, but had the biggest heart full of love. I know there will be a void in everyones life, but she is healed and she left an impact with everyone she came in contact with. She will be greatly missed by many! I regret that I will not be able to make it in for the service, but please know that all of you are in my thoughts and prayers. Sending love to all of the family.

Love, Lynn

Lynn Shaw - August 25, 2014 at 02:35 PM

GB

“ I met Mrs. freeman about six years ago when my mother, BerNelle Beckham and she shared a room in rehab at Morrell NH. She was my set of eyes, when I wasn't there. While mother might not have told me everything i needed to know, i knew Mrs. Freeman would! For that i am so grateful. She was loved by many, based on the number of family and friends who came to visit. She never complained while I was visiting mother. I know God had her there to be the angel she was, when we needed one. My prayers go out to all the family and friends and now mother and she can pick up where they left off!

gloria beckham butler - August 25, 2014 at 01:34 PM

FC

“ Freida Collins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Freida Collins - August 25, 2014 at 01:10 PM

KG

“ Kent & Linda Watson Gainey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Kent & Linda Watson Gainey - August 25, 2014 at 12:58 PM

JG

“ Freddie and Family, We were so very sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. Our thoughts and prayers will be with you all during this difficult time.

Jean and William Gullede

Jean and William Gullede - August 25, 2014 at 12:56 PM

TO

“ Tonda Steen Odom lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Tonda Steen Odom - August 25, 2014 at 12:43 PM

TO

Thoughts and Prayers for your family.

Tonda Steen Odom - August 25, 2014 at 12:44 PM

BS

“ Blake & Jennie Sellers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Blake & Jennie Sellers - August 25, 2014 at 12:19 PM

DW

“ Our thoughts are with the entire family. Our sympathies.

Dave & Darlene Woodside - August 25, 2014 at 12:11 PM

LJ

“ *Libby Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



libby johnson - August 25, 2014 at 11:16 AM

LJ

my deepest sympathies to the family. GOD has a new angel..

libby johnson - August 25, 2014 at 11:17 AM



“ *Dianne Byrd lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Dianne Byrd - August 25, 2014 at 10:43 AM

CS

“ *Charles And Lavonde Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Charles and Lavonde Smith - August 25, 2014 at 10:42 AM

MB

“ *Misty Brown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Misty Brown - August 25, 2014 at 10:36 AM

ME

“ *Marie Eurten lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Marie Eurten - August 25, 2014 at 10:31 AM

JF

“ *Johnny And Denise Mclain And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Johnny and Denise Mclain and Family - August 25, 2014 at 09:54 AM

EB

“ *Eddie Blackmon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Eddie Blackmon - August 25, 2014 at 09:48 AM

KG

“ Kelly Gainey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Kelly Gainey - August 25, 2014 at 09:22 AM

PS

“ Patricia Steen lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Patricia Steen - August 25, 2014 at 09:03 AM

HF

“ Heath & Shannon Freeman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



heath & shannon Freeman - August 25, 2014 at 05:42 AM

GG

“ Gayle Tolson Gilbert lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Gayle Tolson Gilbert - August 25, 2014 at 02:44 AM

LP

“ *Linda Price lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Linda Price - August 24, 2014 at 10:37 PM

GO

“ *Grady O'Neal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Grady O'Neal - August 24, 2014 at 09:44 PM

CD

“ *Connie Dixon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Connie Dixon - August 24, 2014 at 09:12 PM

PM

“ *Shirley , Vivian and family, I am so sorry for your loss. You will be in my thoughts and prayers in the days ahead. If you need anything I'm just a phone call away. God Bless you all in this difficult time. Our loss is Gods gain, love you all, Phyllis McCoy*

Phyllis McCoy - August 24, 2014 at 08:48 PM

RM

“ *Robyn Myers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Robyn Myers - August 24, 2014 at 08:15 PM

GE

“ *Gene And Peggy Evans lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Gene and Peggy Evans - August 24, 2014 at 07:51 PM

TG

“ *Teresa And Gene Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Teresa and Gene Gibson - August 24, 2014 at 07:38 PM

CG

“ *Cindy Griggs lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Cindy Griggs - August 24, 2014 at 07:34 PM

SH

“ *Shirley Hicks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



shirley hicks - August 24, 2014 at 07:24 PM

SC

“ *Shirley, Vivian, & family my thoughts & prayers are with you in this difficult time.*

Suzanne V. Cooke - August 24, 2014 at 06:50 PM

SC

“ *Suzanne V. Cooke lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Suzanne V. Cooke - August 24, 2014 at 06:47 PM

GB

“ *Gerald & Phyllis Driggers Braddock lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Gerald & Phyllis Driggers Braddock - August 24, 2014 at 05:52 PM

AH

“ *Ann Hedgepeth lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Ann Hedgepeth - August 24, 2014 at 05:38 PM

CV

“ *Carolyn Vaughn lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Carolyn Vaughn - August 24, 2014 at 05:03 PM

NG

“ *Nell Gainey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Nell Gainey - August 24, 2014 at 04:52 PM

LL

“ *Lynne Luther lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Lynne Luther - August 24, 2014 at 04:01 PM

AC

“ Adam And Stacey Gregory Catoe lit a candle
in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



Adam and Stacey Gregory Catoe - August 24, 2014 at 03:55 PM

PE

“ PeeWee And Jackie Edwards lit a candle in
memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman



PeeWee and Jackie Edwards - August 24, 2014 at 03:39 PM

SH

“ Shirley Hall lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Sarah Hicks Freeman



Shirley Hall - August 24, 2014 at 03:39 PM

SG

“ So sorry to hear of Mrs. Freeman's passing.
Your entire family are in our thoughts and
prayers. Scott and Cheryl



Scott and Cheryl Gainey - August 24, 2014 at 03:36 PM

AC

“ *Ann Crowley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Ann Crowley - August 24, 2014 at 03:29 PM

GV

“ *Gary Vann lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Gary Vann - August 24, 2014 at 02:17 PM

GV

Freddie, So sorry for your loss

Gary Vann - August 24, 2014 at 02:18 PM

HL

“ *Helen Wilson Lloyd lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Helen Wilson Lloyd - August 24, 2014 at 02:05 PM

RJ

“ *Ruby Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Ruby Jones - August 24, 2014 at 01:47 PM

BD

“ *Betty Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



Betty Davis - August 24, 2014 at 12:30 PM

PH

“ *Our prayers and thoughts are with all of you.
Love in Christ,
Blake and Patricia*

Patricia Hoffman - August 24, 2014 at 10:15 AM

JG

“ *JEWEL WALTERS GIBSON lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Hicks Freeman*



JEWEL WALTERS GIBSON - August 24, 2014 at 10:08 AM