



Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes

November 19, 1965 - June 23, 2014

Funeral services for Sharon Fleming Stokes, 48, will be held at 4:00 pm Friday, June 27, 2014 at the Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Eddie Fleming and the Rev. Donnie Kirby will officiate with burial in Westview Memorial Park Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 3-4 pm at the funeral home.

Mrs. Stokes died Monday, June 23, 2014. Born in Sumter, SC, she was a daughter of the late Plowden "Junior" and Letha Christmas Fleming.

She was a member of the Sumter Church of God of Prophecy and was the church clerk and treasurer for 20 years. She was a great wife and mother and a loving, encouraging woman. She loved singing gospel music.

Surviving are her husband of 30 years, Wayne Stokes of Hartsville, SC; daughters, Brittney (Darin) Joplin and Courtney (Casey Powell) Stokes of Hartsville, SC; brother, Eddie (Allene) Fleming of Sumter, SC; sisters, Tammy (Dallas) Herring and Lisa (Jeff) Neese of Sumter, SC; in-laws, Bill and Vivian Stokes of Hartsville, SC; sister-in-law, Missy Stokes of Hartsville, SC; special aunt, Debbie (Billy) Burrows of Sumter; special nieces, Sophie and Savannah; nieces and nephews, Eddie (Kayler), Kaela, Haley, Mitchell, Ashleigh, Kristen, and Heather (Jimmy).

Cemetery Details

Westview Memorial Park Cemetery

2223 Kelleytown Road
Hartsville, SC 29550
info@bpafuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 27. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home
306 W. Home Ave.
Hartsville, SC 29550
(843) 332-6531
info@bpafuneralhome.com
<http://www.bpafuneralhome.com>

Service

JUN 27. 4:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall

AF

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Allene Fleming - September 07, 2018 at 03:12 PM

SF

“ Sonya Williams Faile lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes



sonya williams faile - January 05, 2015 at 05:02 AM

G.

“ I would like to offer my deepest sympathies to you. All of us have experienced the loss of a loved one. I am so sorry for your loss. Please know that you are never alone. Turn to the Holy Scriptures for guidance and to help soothe your heart. Psalms 34:18 assures us that God is near to those broken at heart and crushed in spirit. Please accept my deepest sympathies

G.FDORD - December 26, 2014 at 03:19 PM

EB

“ *Eric And Jo Lynn Bradshaw lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes*



Eric and Jo Lynn Bradshaw - June 30, 2014 at 01:25 PM

WW

“ *Wes, Kathy And Brandon Walters lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes*



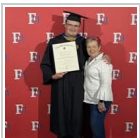
Wes, Kathy and Brandon Walters - June 29, 2014 at 04:02 PM

JF

“ *Janet Floyd lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes*



Janet Floyd - June 29, 2014 at 12:29 AM



“ *Eddie and Allene, I'm so sorry to hear about Sharon...love, thoughts, and prayers are with you all...*

Dianne James - June 28, 2014 at 08:26 AM

AF

*Thanks cousin!! Sadly, we know you know how it feels...
Take care! Allene & Eddie*

Allene Fleming - June 29, 2014 at 05:14 PM

LS

“ To Brother Wayne, Brittney and Courtney and all the family. My heart is deeply in sorrow for the loss of Sharon. You all have a special place in my memories. I will never forget the time I spent in Sumter and all the people at the Sumter Church of God of Prophecy. Though we are miles apart I think of everyone there often. I know that only God can comfort you in this great loss and it is my prayer that he will. She was a wonderful woman and I know she will be greatly missed. She was far to young and it is hard to understand but she is in our future now. Gone for now but waiting to welcome each of us to that heavenly home when this life is done. God's mercy and grace be with you all. Lenora Shelton

Lenora Shelton - June 27, 2014 at 07:21 PM

JP

“ God bless you. Matthew 5:4 , Love John Perry & Margie H. Poole

John Perry & Margie H. Poole - June 27, 2014 at 06:24 PM

TJ

“ very sorry for your lost we will be praying for you all
sister cauthen and tracy

tracy jenisek - June 27, 2014 at 04:00 PM

TH

Thank you Tracy! Tell your mom hello for me and thanks for all the prayers. - Tammy Fleming Herring

Tammy Fleming Herring - June 27, 2014 at 09:10 PM

AJ

“ Words cannot express the blessing that Sharon was in my life when I was growing up. She was an amazing woman, and while Im sad for those she left behind, Im happy for her up there in Heaven. I wish I could be there today to celebrate her life, but my heart is with y'all.

Ashleigh M. James - June 27, 2014 at 02:34 PM

AJ

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Ashleigh M. James - June 27, 2014 at 02:34 PM

KC

“ My dear sister in Christ, you were always such an inspiration to me. When my mama died you spoke encouraging words to me and you said that if I needed anything just call and I knew it was a promise we didn't get to talk as much as I would have liked but we did have some late night conversations and I always knew you were praying for me. I've always thought alot of you and your family and you've all been through some tough times. I hope that I can share some encouraging words to your girls at this time in their life that you did for me. I love you give my mom and grandma lots of love from me. You will be dearly missed by alot of people. As I heard the same song on the radio I played at mamas funeral "Shackles" in the car yesterday I could imagine my mom saying to you come on in sis and drop those shackles and ya'll were all dancing together. Heaven has truly gained another angel.



Kristy Chaplin - June 27, 2014 at 10:58 AM

EI

“ Well I could say a thousand things. You and Wayne have always treated me so good. You've been a second mama and Wayne's been a second daddy to me, and I hope you know how much I love you. There are a billion stories I could tell. One memory that sticks out is being in the Hartsville church and hearing you sing "Though Every Storm" for the first time. That soundtrack would come on with that classical type music and it was just so different than anything else we heard in a little country church. That big intro would come in with the violins and everything and it would just seem so grand.. and then you came in with that voice, and took it up another notch. That voice was God-given, I'd put you up against Allison Krauss or Patty Loveless anyday. When you sang it was like we were all getting treated to something a little out of our league. And I would not be surprised if you walked through those gates and Jesus told the angels in the choir "Hey yall sit this one out, listen to what this girl can do". And you passed that on to Britt, and Court too. So many good memories. I don't have the words I need... I hope you can here my heart. I'm very blessed to have had you in my life since day 1. And I'm going to spend today thanking God for that time.

Eddie Fleming II - June 27, 2014 at 09:41 AM

DJ

“ For a short season in my life God blessed me with you. I pray you know how much I love & miss you. But I'm goin to hold it together as best as I can for one day I know I'll see you again. Love you
momma stokes.

darin joplin - June 27, 2014 at 08:51 AM

CG

“ Always faithful, steady the course, never giving up, pressing towards the mark. What a legacy... The world is going to miss a person like you... Love you always!!! Carol G.

carol griffin - June 26, 2014 at 06:27 PM

LI

“ Wow HOW can I say what I need to say You have always been there for me I will miss you so much we may not have seen nor talked to each other as often as we wanted but We prayed for each other all the time no one will sing my song for me like you did!!! You look for me I'll be home soon. PLEASE GIVE MY MOMMA AND DADDY A HUG AND KISS FOR ME!! LOVE YOU SIS!!!

Liz - June 26, 2014 at 05:23 PM

CP

“ Missing you more than words can describe I made you a promise that I intend to keep till my last breath fly high love you sincerely your Son in Law

Casey Powell - June 26, 2014 at 04:24 PM

RM

“ I remember back a few years ago when Sharon was ask to sing at church on many occasions. She may not have known it at the time.but when she began singing I believe that heaven stood still. I know that she will be missed and I thank God for allowing me to have met her on this journey to heaven.

Ronnie Mooney

Ron Mooney - June 26, 2014 at 03:47 PM

CG

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family.* ”



Connee Gamble Grantham - June 26, 2014 at 08:44 AM

AH

“ *Wow...As I look at the picture of you and type this, I still can't believe it's true. Without you in my life as a child, I don't know where I would be today. I remember calm yet fun hilarious nights of playing Clue at your house. I remember voice lessons and home cooked meals. You brought me into your home when mine was scary and dangerous. You showed me how to love, how to be a part of a normal family. You showed me what a happy family should look like. You taught me that it's OK to come from where I did...that God had a plan for me. You taught me about God. You taught me to sing when I wanted to cry. You were my shelter when I needed to hide away. I wish I could have spoken to you just one more time to tell you all of this in person. This is so unfair. You will forever be loved an immeasurable amount. Rest easy Mama Shay. Rest easy.* ”

April Hayes - June 26, 2014 at 07:24 AM

CA

“ Oh how I'm going to miss her encouraging words, always exactly what I needed to hear and when I needed to hear it! She was more than just my friend's mama; I called her "Ma". I will miss her dearly, but I find joy in knowing that ONE glorious day I will be worshipping at my Heavenly Father's feet with her!! And I CAN'T WAIT! As for my family she left behind; Pa, Tater, and Court; I am ALWAYS a phone call away if you need me and I love y'all with all my heart. TATER- This tragedy has opened my eyes to how life has wedged it's way into our friendship and I vow to you, from this moment on, I will not take for granted our friendship anymore. You mean more to me than you'll ever know, so much that I still have the napkin you left on my doorstep. It's hanging on my wall and it's my encouragement to keep going strong. I love you and I'm always, ALWAYS here!

Cayce - June 26, 2014 at 12:47 AM

BJ

“ Sweet mama. My heart feels so shattered. You weren't supposed to have me but God knew I would need you as my mama. You taught me of Jesus...you taught me to sing...you kept me calm when my silly brain wanted to make me panic. And now here I am facing the hardest days of my life without you. I love you so much more than words could ever say. I see you every time I look in a mirror. If I can muster up some of your strength I will make it through this. Pick out a pretty grand baby to send me and your Darin. You will always be my heart, Ma.

Brittney Stokes Joplin - June 25, 2014 at 09:24 PM



“Even though you're gone from this world, the memories we share are ours to keep.”

You were like my second Mom. Always looking out for me, checking on me, and showing me how much you love me. Words can't even begin to describe the sadness in my heart. I feel so selfish thinking you were taken from this world too soon even though I know you're in a much better place with no sorrow and no pain. You have been and will forever be loved Aunt Sharon. Fly high, rest easy, and keep an eye out for me. I love you!

Haley

Haley Herring - June 25, 2014 at 09:19 PM

ST

“Sarah Towery lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes



Sarah Towery - June 25, 2014 at 08:32 PM

LN

“It was an honor to call you my sister and a privilege to call you my friend. My world won't be the same without you here. Give mama and daddy a hug for me and tell them to save a place at the table for the rest of us. I know Heaven's choir is more beautiful with your voice in it! Fly high my sweet sister. I love you and will miss you.

Lisa Fleming Neese

lisa neese - June 25, 2014 at 08:20 PM

JS

“ Praying for peace that passes all understanding for all of you. I am so very sorry for your loss.

Joy Waddell Steele - June 25, 2014 at 07:32 PM

LG

“ There just aren't words to express how we feel. Alicia, Matt, Robin, Allen and I loved Sharon so much. Almost eight months ago she sang Amazing Grace at Allen's funeral. Now he can hear her in heaven. Allen was always so amazed at her singing cause she would just open her mouth and it came out effortlessly. Heaven surely gained a gem. We need to live our lives in such a way as to see her again. Much love to all the family.



Linda K. Grant - June 25, 2014 at 05:56 PM

CD

“ Carolyn Dixon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes



Carolyn Dixon - June 25, 2014 at 04:37 PM

Joyce
Bilton

“ Praying for peace and comfort for this family. I loved Sharon and knew her for many years through my best friend her sister Lisa Fleming Neece. Love and prayers

Joyce Bilton - June 25, 2014 at 03:47 PM



“ Sharon, we loved you so much. You were a blessing to this family and it's so hard to say goodbye. I know you are shining above and watching over your loved ones. You will truly be missed. Rest in peace, you will never be forgotten.



We love you Wayne, Brittney and Courtney. Stay strong for she's a beautiful angel with the biggest smile there is.

*Love,
Aunt Dianne and Kelly*

Kelly Hutchinson - June 25, 2014 at 03:37 PM



“ Wayne, sorry to hear about the passing of Sharon, I pray God will send you all peace and comfort during this difficult time of you loss.

EA Boykin - June 25, 2014 at 02:22 PM



“ My heart is broken over the loss of my sweet cousin Sharon- not only my cousin but my dearest childhood friend. May you rejoice in heaven where all your troubles will be left behind x Love and prayers to your family Sharon-especially your precious girls...
Brenda (Mitchell) Walmsley

Brenda - June 25, 2014 at 10:41 AM

TH

“ *First, she was my sister - then she became my best friend - now, she is my guardian angel! I will miss my big sister more than words can express but it eases the pain a little to know she is with mama and daddy now, feeling more love than she has ever known!! I love you Shay Shay!!!*



Tammy Fleming Herring - June 25, 2014 at 10:07 AM

DM

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Dallas, Tammy, Haley & Mitchell - June 25, 2014 at 10:02 AM

LB

“ *My deepest sympathy, thoughts and heartfelt prayers are with you all during this time of loss and grief. I enjoyed working with Sharon during the time she was at Methodist Manor years ago. I know how special you all are to each other from the light in her eyes when she talked of you! May God wrap His arms of mercy and love around you, carrying you as you journey through this valley.*

Lorre Baird - June 25, 2014 at 09:38 AM

AF

“ *Allen Mixon Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes*



Allen Mixon Family - June 24, 2014 at 10:57 PM

AF

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Allene Fleming - June 24, 2014 at 10:55 PM

YL

*We will always miss you Sharon!!!
Eddie, Allene, Kaela & Lil Eddie*

Your brother & Sister in law - June 25, 2014 at 07:59 AM

AK

“ *Angie Kennedy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes*



Angie Kennedy - June 24, 2014 at 07:39 PM

JK

“ I had never met Sharon in person but through Wayne we became Facebook friends and I have to say that there is no doubt she had a place prepared for her. From reading her post I knew she had a beautiful heart and loved her family. I am in much prayer for her family and friends as you all grieve your loss but am rejoicing for her. I pray that God wraps His arms around each of you and gives you each the peace and comfort you need for the road ahead. Love in Christ.

Jill Hall Kelley - June 24, 2014 at 07:19 PM

SC

“ To Sharons family and friends. She was a angel on earth for you. Now she is one that watches over you from above



sheila capell - June 24, 2014 at 03:52 PM

WY

“ Wilma Yarborough sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes



Wilma Yarborough - June 24, 2014 at 03:30 PM

WY

Soar high in the heavens my friend spreading the love and humility as you did on earth. Until we meet again on that wonderful day.

Wilma Yarborough - June 24, 2014 at 03:34 PM

AJ

“ *Ann King Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes*



Ann King Johnson - June 24, 2014 at 03:23 PM

EJ

“ *Ethel Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Sharon Fleming Stokes*



Ethel Johnson - June 24, 2014 at 03:21 PM

EJ

*Wayne, Courtney & Brittany, & extended family, We are praying for peace, comfort and understanding..
Larry, Ethel & Wally*

Ethel Johnson - June 24, 2014 at 09:07 PM