

Flower Bearers

Family & Friends

Pall Bearers

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Appreciation

The family of Dorothy "Neanie" Watkins would like to thank all who showed there love, concerns, warm expressions, calls, visits, preparation of food, cards and prayers. All was appreciated during our time of bereavement. Special thanks are extended to staff at Massey Cancer Center at MCV, Centra Southside Community Hospital and the Med Vac Team of West Point Virginia.

*Celebrating & Honoring
The Life
Of
Dorothy Ann Watkins
"Neanie"*

Sunrise

December 6, 1942

Sunset

November 7, 2011



Saturday, November 12, 2011

2:00 PM

Calvary Baptist Church

Prospect, Virginia 23960

Reverend Darryl Brown, Pastor

Reverend Edward McKoy, Eulogist

*God saw the road was getting rough,
The hills were hard to climb,
He gently closed those loving eyes,
And whispered "Peace Be Thine,"
And those weary hours, the days of pain.
The sleepless nights are past,
The ever patient worn-out frame,
Has found sweet rest at last.*

*Lovingly Submitted,
The Ross-Watkins Family*

Professional Services Entrusted to
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The Obituary

Dorothy Ann Watkins, affectionately known as "Neanie" was born to the late Bernell Ward and Bessie Ross Baker on December 6, 1942 in Prince Edward County, VA. She entered into eternal rest on November 7, 2011 at Centra Southside Community Hospital in Farmville, VA, after a long battle with Cancer.

"Neanie" accepted Christ as her personal savior and joined Calvary Baptist Church. She was joined in holy matrimony to John Clifford Watkins, Sr. They shared 50 years of loving memories together. This union gave them eight loving children.

"Neanie" was known for being pretty spunky and didn't mind telling anyone what was on her mind. She was a very generous person that would go out her way to help if she could. "Neanie" was a dedicated, devoted and compassionate Wife, Mother, Grandmother and Friend. "Neanie" opened her heart and home to anyone who came into her life, she had many hobbies including completing jigsaw & crossword puzzles, playing cards and bingo with family and friends.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories to: her Husband John Watkins Sr., Prospect VA; six Children Frances Styles (Nathan), John Watkins Jr., Eduardo Watkins (Kathy), Carl Watkins (Janella), Iva Watkins (Devoted Friend Lorenzo), and Jewel Watkins (Devoted Friend Cleon) all of Prince Edward County; Two Sisters Rebecca Brown and Linda Ward of Farmville, VA; Five Brothers Edward Ross (Marie) and Burnell Ross of Baltimore, MD, Michael Ward (Diane), Wilbur Ward, and Mordecai Ward (Laverne) all of Prince Edward County; Two Aunts Ollie Dupuy and Thelma Foster of Prince Edward County; Stepmother Sally Ward and Step sister Patricia Baldwin (Robert) of Farmville, VA; Four Sister-in-Law Ruby Taylor of Clinton, MD, Annie Gordon and Christine Watkins of Prospect, VA, and Marion Ward of Farmville, VA; Two Brother-in-Law John Moore "J.T" of Roanoke, VA and Samuel Watkins (Lulu Mae), of Petersburg, VA; Sixteen Grandchildren; Nineteen Great Grandchildren; A host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends; Nannie Taylor of Massachusetts and Ruby Taylor of North Carolina who were raised as sister; Beloved Family Dog, "Mister"; A very special friend, Sister Clytie Allen.

She was preceded in death by Two sons Clinton and Baby Boy Watkins; one Brother, Curtis Ward; one Sister, Mary "Lulu" Holman (Eddie Lee); One Great Granddaughter Alexis Lockett; One Sister-in-Law, Mary Moore; One Brother-in-Law, Leroy Watkins.

Your Love Continues To Grow



The Order of Service

Prelude	
Family Processional.....	Quiet Music
Solo.....	Mary Jackson
Scripture Reading	
Old Testament.....	Reverend James Allen
New Testament.....	Pastor Darryl Brown
Prayer of Comfort.....	Pastor Darryl Brown
Solo.....	Horace Davis
Acknowledgements.....	Church Clerk
Obituary.....	Read Silently
Expression of Love and Reflections.....	
"Limit Two Minutes Please"	
Solo.....	Janice Dungee
Eulogy.....	Reverend Edward McKoy
Recessional.....	Choir

Interment in the church cemetery

"The family will receive friends in the church fellowship hall following interment"