



## Joyce Garland

May 21, 1939 - November 20, 2011

Joyce Hill Garland passed away Sunday, November 20, 2011, after a lengthy illness. Joyce was born May 21, 1939 in Flat Rock, NC, and lived the majority of her life in upstate South Carolina. She was the daughter of the late Frank and Ethel McCrain Hill.

Joyce retired from the J. P. Stevens plant in Slater, SC. During her employment she was selected to weave the fabric that was used by NASA to make the spacesuits for the first space walks which are now in the Smithsonian Museum. She was also an avid cook and entrepreneur owning successful restaurants in upper South Carolina. She was a member of North Fork Baptist Church in Travelers Rest, SC, and attended In Jesus Name Church while living in Hendersonville, NC.

Surviving are her two sons: Joe Garland and wife Angela of River Falls, SC, Mark Garland and wife Kathy of Travelers Rest, SC; grandsons: Devin and Kody Garland, Shay Waldrop; granddaughters: Jodie Winchester, Charlee Owens; sisters: Helen Lindsey of Travelers Rest, SC, Evelyn Hill-King of Hendersonville, NC, Linda Spratt of Kalispell, MT; brothers: Larry Hill and Coy Hill of Hendersonville, NC; and several nieces and nephews. Her niece, Erica Hensley-Kerr was a devoted caregiver during Joyce's lengthy illness.

Joyce was predeceased by brothers Brownlowe, Calvin, and Ralph Hill, and

sisters Dorothy Dunlap and Mae Barnett.

The family will receive friends Tuesday evening from 6 until 7:30 p.m. at The Howze Mortuary.

Funeral services will be Wednesday afternoon at 3 p.m. at North Fork Baptist Church, with burial to follow in the church cemetery.

The family will be at 606 River Falls Rd., Marietta, SC 29661.

Memorials may be made to Life Care Center of Hendersonville, 400 Thompson St., Hendersonville, NC 28792.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **22**. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary  
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369  
Travelers Rest, SC

## Service

NOV **23**. 3:00 PM (ET)

North Fork Baptist Church  
162 Callahan Mountain Rd.  
P.O. Box 610  
Travelers Rest, SC 29690  
(864) 593-4168

# Tribute Wall



“ *Very sorry for your loss. Sincerely, Connie Nix*”

November 23, 2011 at 02:20 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Sincerely Ruth Ingram.*”

November 23, 2011 at 02:14 PM



“ *DEAR FAMILY,*

*OUR PRAYER IS THAT THE LORD WILL GIVE YOU THE STRENGTH AND COURAGE TO GET THROUGH THE DAYS AHEAD. MAY HE ALSO GRANT YOU PEACE WITHIN YOUR HEARTS KNOWING THAT YOUR LOVED ONE IS NOW WITH HIM. OUR FONDEST MEMORY IS HER SMILE ESPECIALLY WHEN SHE SANG WITH US ON SUNDAY NIGHTS. WE WILL MISS JOYCE.* Clayton and Myra Stepp

November 22, 2011 at 05:49 PM



“ November 22, 2011

*I am so sorry for your loss, Joyce was a wonderful Mother and in turn had a wonderful family, never have I ever witnessed such support from family members in all my years in the healthcare field, and this will probably never happen again for this is a very special family and Joyce was one special lady, please note that my meeting Joyce was a special event in my life and I have never grown so close to one of my patients so quickly, I will never forget her and her special family, I feel for you all and the pain you must suffer at this time, I will be praying and thinking of all of you during the days ahead, May God bless you and your family Deborah Briggs (Lifecare of Hendersonville)###imported-begin###Debbie Briggs###imported-end##*

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November 22, 2011 at 04:05 PM



“ Dear Joe,

*Tommy and I are so sorry to hear that your precious mother has departed from all her loved ones. May you find comfort in knowing she is in a Divine Heaven with Jesus, our Savior. God's Word tells us "We are confident, I say, and willing rather to be absent from the body, and to be present with the Lord." (2 Corinthians 5:8). May this biblical scripture give you blessed assurance in the difficult days ahead. We extend our condolence to you, your family and friends. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Put your faith in Jesus and hold steadfast to all your fondest memories.*

*With Our Sincerest Sympathy,*

*Sherry and Tommy###imported-begin###Sherry and Tommy Williams###imported-end##*

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November 22, 2011 at 10:08 AM



“ WE ARE SO SORRY TO HEAR OF THE PASSING OF YOUR MOTHER - YOU AND YOUR FAMILY ARE IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS - GOD BLESS YOU ALWAYS - BUTCH AND JEWEL AND FAMILY###imported-begin##BUTCH AND JEWEL DOCKERY & FAMILY###imported-end##

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November 22, 2011 at 07:48 AM



“ Joe, we are very sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. You and your family will be in our prayers.###imported-begin##Rex & Geraldine Lance###imported-end##

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November 22, 2011 at 01:29 AM



“ Sorry to hear about Joyce. She was a sweet lady. Our prayers are with you all.###imported-begin##Mike and Tammy Edens###imported-end##

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November 22, 2011 at 01:11 AM



“ sorry for your loss, hope to see you soon, your friend in Christ, David Helton###imported-begin##david helton###imported-end##

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