



## Judith Hawkins Williams

June 7, 1941 - February 16, 2011

Judith “Nanny” Hawkins Williams, 69, of 2225 Tigerville Rd., passed away on Wednesday, February 16, 2011 at Greenville Memorial Hospital.

Born in Greenville County, she was the daughter of the late Rex and Minnie Capell Hawkins. She was retired from Piedmont Industries and a member of Belvue Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband of 50 years, Larry Williams; children: Meri (Ansel) Gilreath and Missy (Chris) Rathbone; grandchildren: Dylan Rathbone and Ansley Gilreath; sisters: Marguerite (Cecil) Ballenger, Linda (Lloyd) Carter and Sarah Elaine (Sam) Nalley; brothers: Harold (Margaret) Hawkins and Gary (Betty) Hawkins; a special sister-in-law: Carolyn Hawkins and a special brother and sister-in-law: Morris and Pat Williams.

Along with her parents, she was also predeceased by a brother, Larry Hawkins.

Visitation will be held Friday afternoon from 5 until 6:30 p.m. at The Howze Mortuary with a memorial service to follow in the Howze Mortuary Chapel at 6:30 p.m.

The family will be at 5315 Mountain View Rd., Taylors, SC.

Memorial may be made to the Greenville Humane Society, 328 Furman Hall Rd., Greenville, SC 29609.

# Previous Events

## Service

FEB 18. 6:30 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *larry&family*

*larry,so sorry to hear of judy's passing. we were best friends during our childhood and teenage years.*

*barbara carlson,,saginaw,texas##imported-begin##barbara{ballenger}carlson##imported-end##*

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February 21, 2011 at 11:57 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. Wish we had known she passed away. We do not get the paper every day and did not know until today. Our prayer's are with you.*

*2/19/11*

*Ben & Barbara*

*James##imported-begin##Ben & Barbara James##imported-end##*

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February 19, 2011 at 06:31 PM



“ *Meri and Missy,*

*I am so sorry to hear about your mom. If there is anything that I can do please do not hesitate to let me know. You guys mean alot to me and I love you both. I know your mom will be greatly missed. I still miss my mom everyday. Just be sure to enjoy the time you have left with your dad. Please know you are in my prayers and thoughts.##imported-begin##Teresa Reagan##imported-end##*

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February 19, 2011 at 01:32 PM



“ Marguerite

*I was sorry to hear about Judy passing. my sincere sympathy to the family. It has been many years since our high school days at TR but the memories remain.*

*pat Hawkins Martin*

*Silver Spring Md.##imported-begin##Patricia Martin##imported-end##*

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February 18, 2011 at 08:31 PM



“ Missy I want to express my deepest sympathy to you and your family. I was never Blessed to meet your Mom. I can only imagine what type of person she was thru knowing you. I am sure she was a Loving, Caring, Awesome Lady that Loved and Appreciated her family just like you. I know you miss her and words cannot help that BUT, Know that you are one of her GREATEST Legacies. Smile, Hold your head up High and let her spirit carry you thru. Remember her words of encouragement and share them with your family and friends. There are people all around willing to embrace you with True Love including ME!##imported-begin##Jackie McJimpsey##imported-end##

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February 18, 2011 at 03:49 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Judy was a very special woman and will be greatly missed.

*Love and Prayers,*

*Terry##imported-begin##Terry Gwinn##imported-end##*

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February 18, 2011 at 10:27 AM



“ Dear Meri and Missy,  
I am at a loss for words. My heart breaks for both of you cause I know how close you girls are to your mom. Hold your memories close to your heart for there you will always find her.  
Please know I am here for either of you.

With deepest symphay,

Valieta##imported-begin##Valieta Frady##imported-end##

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February 17, 2011 at 10:25 PM



“ To my sweet mama, I will always love you. I miss you so. It was just a few days ago that I talked to you never knowing that it would be my last. You and Papa have always meant so much to me. I have so many precious memories of our times spent together at "the fence", sitting on the porch talking away for hours exchanging gardening stories, recipes, and laughter and sometimes tears. There is an empty spot in my heart now but it will always hold your smile and laughter there.

I love you always,

Denise##imported-begin##Denise Richardson##imported-end##

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February 17, 2011 at 10:19 PM



“ Words cannot express the sadness I feel for you all in the loss of Judy.##imported-begin##Sylvia ##imported-end##

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February 17, 2011 at 09:39 PM



“ *Meri and Missy, I am so sorry for the loss of your Mother. I did not know her very well, but the two of you proves what kind of lady she was. I know she loved both of you and especially Ansley and Dylan. Just keep strong for your Daddy. Love You!*

*Keith and Kim Stidham##imported-begin##Kim Stidham##imported-end##*

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February 17, 2011 at 09:21 PM



“ *Sorry for the loss of your mother.  
you will be in my prayers*

*Patricia Smith  
Crystal River Fl.##imported-begin##patricia smith##imported-end##*

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February 17, 2011 at 07:24 PM