



## Sara Pace Burgess

October 28, 1918 - August 29, 2010

Sara Ilene Pace Burgess, 91, of Travelers Rest and formerly of Cleveland, wife of the late Folger Thornton Burgess, passed away Sunday August 29, 2010 at Falls Creek Living Center.

Born in Pickens County, she was a daughter of the late Seth L. and Nettie Simmons Pace. Mrs. Burgess ran Blythe Shoals Grocery Store in Cleveland for 38 years, she was a member of the Livestock Association, the Lion's Auxiliary, carried Meals on Wheels and worked at the Election Polls. She was also a member of Cleveland First Baptist Church for 46 years where she taught Sunday School for many of those years.

Surviving is a daughter, Elaine Voyles; two sons, Douglas (Betty) Burgess and Joel (Ann) Burgess; 9 grandchildren, Kathy Voyles, Cyndi Lim, Doug Burgess, Jr. Wendy Hinojosa, Robin Blakemore, Kelly Drew, J J Burgess, Malcolm Burgess and Stacy Boyd; 14 great grandchildren and 6 great great grandchildren.

In addition to her husband and parents she was predeceased by a son, Jack Warren Burgess; a granddaughter, Toni Lynn Burgess; 3 sisters, Aldine Brown, Rosalia Jones and Azilee Pace and 5 brothers, Dwight, Hoyt, Ed, John and Don Pace. Mrs. Burgess was the last surviving member of her immediate family.

Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at Cleveland First Baptist Church with burial to follow at Saluda Hill Baptist Church Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 6 until 7:30 Monday evening at The Howze

Mortuary.

The family will be at their respective homes.

Memorials may be made to Cleveland First Baptist Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 305, Cleveland, SC 29635.

Online condolences may be expressed to the family at [www.thehowzemortuary.com](http://www.thehowzemortuary.com)

The Howze Mortuary, Travelers Rest is in charge of arrangements. (864) 834-8051

# Previous Events

## Visitation

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

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

## Service

AUG **31**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Cleveland First Baptist Church  
1 Church Drive/P.O. Box 305  
Cleveland, SC

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“ Joel, Ann and family,

*Our sincere sympathy is extended to all of you. May God'S presence be felt by you in this sad time.##imported-begin##Metz and Karen Robertson##imported-end##*

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“ Joel and Family,

*Sorry to hear about the loss of your Mother. We are praying that God will comfort you and your Family during this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Bill & Myra Martin##imported-end##*

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“ My sincere sympathy and prayers are with you and all your family. Mavis##imported-begin##mavis cain pittman##imported-end##

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. Mrs. Burgess was a dear lady and I am so glad to have known her.##imported-begin##Scott Ayers##imported-end##

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