



Hazel Elizabeth Norris

May 12, 1925 - August 31, 2009

Branchville

Mrs. Hazel Elizabeth Cain Norris, 84 years of age, died Monday, August 31, 2009. Mrs. Norris was born on May 12, 1925, in Yelvington, FL. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Johnnie F. Norris Sr., children, Johnny F. Norris Jr. and wife Sue, Christine Redding and husband Dan, Charlene Negrón and husband Tony, one sister, Inaree Evans and husband Belford of East Palatka, FL, two brothers, Tommy Cain of Palatka, FL, and Russell Cain and wife Terry of St. Augustine, FL. She is also survived by grandchildren, Dan Redding, Jr. and wife Melanie, David Redding, Becky Skeen and husband Eric, Michael Coble and wife Brooke, and Alex Norris, and great-grandchildren Coleman Skeen, Aubrey Skeen, and Kylie Skeen.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Lewis P. and Carrie Belle Cain, and two brothers, Stanley Cain and Leon Cain.

Mrs. Norris was a graduate of Hastings High School. She was a faithful servant to the Lord Jesus Christ, and her life reflected her faith. She was a member of the Branchville Baptist Church where she served as a Sunday school teacher. She has lived in Knoxville, TN, Lithonia, GA, Salisbury, NC, and many other places, where she was a true reflection of what Jesus Christ expects from His children.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, September 3, 2009, at 2:00 P.M., at Branchville Baptist Church, with Rev. Dallas Redding and Dr. Ron Heddle officiating. The casket will be placed in the church at 1:00 P.M.; burial

will be in Ott Cemetery, in Branchville.

The family will be receiving friends Wednesday, from 7 to 9 P.M., at Ott Funeral Home, in Branchville, and friends may call at the residents at other times.

Memorials may be made to Branchville Baptist Church, P.O. box 116, Branchville, S.C., 29432.

Tribute Wall

JC

“ *I will miss my dear Aunt Hazel.*

John Dean Clements - September 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ *John & family,
Sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. She seems to have lived a long and fulfilling life but I know from personal experience that it still hurts to lose your mother at any age. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers at this difficult time.
God Bless,
Mike*

Mike Willard - September 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ *Dear Norris Family,
I was very sorry to hear that Mrs. Norris had passed away. There is no doubt about where she is. I have many good memories of her in different rolls at Oakwood. My love, prayers and sympathy are with you.
Sharing your sorrow,
Atchley Maples*

Atchley Maples - September 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *We're sure gonna miss Aunt Hazel. You all are in our thoughts and prayers. She had embroidered a piece and gave it to Colleen several years ago and Colleen thought that was the nicest thing- it's just a reflection on how Aunt Hazel was. We love all of you...*

George and Colleen - September 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ We are so sorry to hear of Hazel's passing. Please know that your whole family is in our thoughts and prayers. She was a wonderful person and will be greatly missed by all.

Ted Huckaby, Nancy Keck, Phillip Huckaby - September 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ Hello John,
I am truly sorry about the loss of your Mother. I wish you peace and comfort in the coming days.
God's Blessings to you and your family.
Bonnie Marie Shields

Bonnie Marie Shields - September 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ So very sorry to hear about your mother's passing.. Mrs. Norris was one of a kind.. She always made me feel like part of the family.. Those years of growing up at Oakwood Baptist were very special because of people like her.

Brenda Wade Fulwood - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Johnny, please know that I'm keeping you and your family in my prayers. Sorry I never had the priviledge of meeting your mom. I know you will miss her greatly.
Dick

Dick Hinton - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ Dear Johnnie and family.

*We shall never forget your days
at Oakwood and will never forget
your acts of kindness while you
were there. We have always loved all of you.*

With our deepest sympathy.

Don and Barbara Goodman

Don & Barbara Goodman - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. We are
missing you here at LHE, but know you are needed there.
Love, Donna Rasch*

Donna Rasch - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *As a railroad employee under Mr. Johnnie's authority, I traveled to
railroad functions in Mrs. Hazel's company and found in her a down-
home charm,
keen sense of humor and friendliness not seen in many of the
women one meets. With just a word she could make you feel at
home around her. She will be missed. My best to her family,
especially Mr. Johnnie.*

God Bless You All....

Dwain Word - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ *John & Family:
So sorry to hear about Hazel, she was a fine lady , We know she is
in a much better place. our prayers are with you . all our love Ed &
Betty Crowe*

Ed & Betty Crowe - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ *Johnnie, Carol and I were shocked to hear that Hazel has left us. I
remember well the
wonderful times we had at all the railroad functions we attended
together. You and your family were blessed to have had her in your
lives and she will be missed tremendously. I just wish we could be
with you in Branchville at this time, however, this is not possible.
You are in our prayers.
Art Hanak*

Art & Carol Hanak - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ *Johnney-I am so sorry to hear of Hazel,s passing.I wish i could be
there eith you.I will keep you in my pray*

Billy Edwards - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NH

“ *I was so sorry to hear that Mrs. Hazel passed. She was a very fine
lady with a great sense of humor, and a wonderful personality. I
know she will be missed terribly.*

Naancy O. Hendricks - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NT

“ Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to you & your family,Christine. we know that God will supply the needed grace and strength during this time. We are praying for all of you.

Love in Christ, Nat & Joanne

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Nat & Joanne Thompson - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ Christine, we are very sorry to hear of your mother's passing. We will be keeping you and your family in our prayers.

Paul E. Brown - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ Rocky and Connie would like the family of Hazel to know that she touched the hearts of Jonnie's fellow workers. She indeed was one of the kindest persons we have known and the family should be proud of her life. Our condolences to Jonnie and his family.

Rocky and Connie Perkins - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ I am so sorry for your loss but I know your mom is in a better place where she is in no pain anymore. I know it is hard on the family just rember some day really soon we will all be together again.

Love and Prayers from The Whaley family

Ruth Whaley - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family, Christine. It sounds like she lived an amazing life and is truly in the hands of God.

Sherry Moore - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ I remember Hazel so fondly in my formative years and what a positive influence she was on me. Also I remember she always had a smile and just a little bit of loving mischief about her. I have been truly blessed for having known Hazel. My deepest sympathy to Jonnie and the family.

Linda Lett - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Christine,

I am very sorry to hear about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. God Bless.

Melissa Stilley

Tangipahoa Parish School System

Melissa M. Stilley - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Chris, We are so very sorry to hear of your Mom's death. We will keep all of you in our prayers. Wish we could be there to express our condolences in person. Your family was raised in our Tuesday morning devotions at school. God bless.

Mike and Joanne Whitley - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TV

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this very difficult time.

Tommy and Gidget Vickers - September 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ *Mr John and family, we were so very to hear of Ms. Hazel's passing.
You are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*

Betty & Ski - September 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM