



## Mattie Bell Collier

January 8, 1920 - November 13, 2013

### Branchville

Mrs. Mattie Bell Collier, 93 years of age, died Wednesday, November 13, 2013. Mrs. Collier was born in Cattle Creek, a daughter of the late John Ellison Connor and May Belle Summers Connor. Mrs. Collier loved fishing, cooking and spending time with her family and friends. She was a member of Branchville United Methodist Church and the widow of the late Hubert Griffith Collier.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday, November 17, 2013, at 2:00 P.M., at Ott Funeral Home in Branchville, with Rev. Bill Burke officiating. Burial will follow in Sardis Cemetery in Branchville.

She is survived by one son, Johnny Collier of Branchville, two daughters, Emma Williams of Branchville Nancy C. Fair (Ben) of Orangeburg, two sisters, Margaret Balzano of James Island, and Betty Rae Hutto of Branchville, one son in law LeGrand Fender of St. George, five grandchildren, Darlene Bell (Kevin), Carla Newsome (Kenny), Kim Leggett (Chad), Benji Fair, and Timmy Collier. She is also survived by seven great grandchildren, Leslie Buckman (David), Devin Bell, Carlie Gainey (Brian), Madison Leggett, Carter Leggett, Jake Collier, and Ella Collier, three great great grandchildren, Kaigen Anna & Kenley Gainey, and Camden Buckman, honorary grandchildren, David, Jennifer, Brittany, and Haley Hess, and a number of nieces and nephews. She is also survived by her two fishing buddies, Gladys Crum, and Willard Wolfe, and two other special friends, Alva Leviner and Dale Hoover. She is

preceded in death by one daughter, Ann Collier Fender, one sister, Cora Fabian, and one brother, Lee Connor.

The family will receive friends Saturday, from 5 to 7 P.M., at Ott Funeral Home in Branchville; at other times friends may call at the residence of Carla and Kenny Newsome. Memorials can be made to Branchville United Methodist Church. Online condolences can be made at [www.ottfh.com](http://www.ottfh.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ *I'm sad about Aunt Mattie's passing but know she is in a beautiful place. She was always so kind and loving to me. My condolences to Nancy, Emma and Johnny, and the entire Connor family.*

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**Dorie Lester** - November 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Mrs. MattiBell was a wonderful lady and will be missed severly. My father and Mrs. Gladys were always in the wind fishing and have a good ole time. I have only fond memories of this lady and the lord has one heck of an addition to his Fishing league; you will be missed.*  
*Love Johnny Wolfe*

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**Johnny Wolfe** - November 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Dear Collier family; we are sorry for your loss. Soon God will return the earth back to a paradise and your loved one will be able to live on earth eternally. Rev 21:3,4*

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**P Dixon** - November 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM