



Alga Teague Watts

March 4, 1912 - October 15, 2007

Alga Teague Watts, of Newport passed away October 15, 2007, age 95. A native of Cocke County, she was the middle child of twelve children born to John Franklin and Amanda Black Teague. All have preceded her in death except one sister, Lucile Hayes of Newport. She was also preceded in death by her husband of 62 years, Benjamin J Watts and a daughter, Amanda Augusta. Living to cherish her memory are her children; Emma (Ron) Lane of Dunwoody, GA, Alvin (Jean) Watts of Newport, B.J. (Jan) Watts of Louisville, KY, Jerry (Linda) Watts of Newport, and Rebecca (Phillip) Kindred of New Market, TN. Grandchildren, Claire Santuae, Scott Lane, Paige Felter, Kathy Ragan, Ben Watts, Beth Cruz, Rachel Livesay, Melissa Campbell, Dan Watts, Ricky Watts, Chad Watts, Jamie Watts, Robert Kindred and Michael Kindred. She has 27 great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild; several nieces and nephews, five sisters-in-laws, one brother-in-law and many good friends and neighbors. Mrs. Watts and husband Ben were instrumental in starting the Riverview Mission which later became Riverview Baptist Church. In her life she crafted over 100 quilts, most of which are cherished by family and friends. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Riverview Baptist Church, 644 River Street, Newport, TN 37821. The family will receive friends at Manes Funeral Home on Thursday, October 18th from 5-7 pm. A service celebrating her life will follow the receiving of friends. Graveside services will be at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, October 19th at Union Cemetery in Newport.

Manes Funeral Home Newport is in charge.

Tribute Wall



“ *Alga Teague Watts*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Angel Wings Always Around Us.....Alga & Ben Watts were Angels Among Us....Thank you both for ALL you have done for me and my family.....Alga & Ben were a very important part of my childhood when we lived on River Street....they ALWAYS bought us kids new s*

Kathy Stewart Barnett - January 13, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Beth and Kathy, I'm sorry for your loss. Grandmothers are so special.May God's love embrace you!Prayers, Evelyn*

evelyn webb - October 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *sorry for your loss-my prayer are with the family.*

Peggy (France) Stephenson - October 23, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sincere sympathy to each of you at this time of loss.*

Mildred Rader - October 23, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Penny Ervin - October 22, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ Alvin and Jean and family: Mrs. Watts was a very special lady who will never be forgotten. I am sorry for your loss, and your family will be in our prayers. May God bless each of you.

The Hemsworths - October 19, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ Mrs. Watts was such a help to me as a little boy on Clifton Heights.
Jimmy Dunn

JIMMY B. DUNN - October 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ My thoughts and prayers were with all of you tonight. I so wished I could've been there. Mrs. Watts was an example for all who knew her, me especially. I will miss sending her cards and seeing the wonderful smile on her face. I loved her, and will always th

Joan Davis Jenkins - October 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ Alvin and Jean, Im sorry about your loss. Mrs. Watts was a wonderful lady. She will be greatly missed by many. May God be with you and your family during this difficult time.

Grant, Casey, & Addison Webb - October 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ Our sympathies are with the entire Watt's family. To A wonderful and thoughtful family. All Our Memories, Robert & Martha Pack

Robert and Martha Pack - October 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Tim Watts - October 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *We're thinking of you. Jennifer, Heath, Madison & Lil' Heath Hembree*

Jennifer Hembree - October 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *To the family: I am Janice's niece, Katrina. I want to tell you how much I enjoyed the time I spent with Alga as a child. She was very much like my Mamaw George. They were both strong willed women who loved life, their family, and their churches with e*

Katrina Atchley - October 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ *Jamie and Family, We are so sorry for your loss. You are in our prayers. If you need anything please let us know. We love you, brighter days are ahead. Kay and Kim Gregg*

Kim Gregg - October 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ *Alga Teague Watts*

Tiffany Dover - October 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ *Alvin and family, you are in our prayers.*

Robert & Wilma Miller - October 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ Alvin, Jean, & Family, You are in our deepest thoughts and prayers in your time of loss. May God Bless!

Roger & Keela Ball - October 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

CE

“ May God comfort your family.

Carol - ALLIED EMS - October 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ John 14:27 Psalm 34:18 You are in our thoughts and prayers. May God comfort you all. Bill and Myra (Woodson)Fowler

Myra Woodson Fowler - October 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Dear Becky, Phillip and family: We were so sorry to learn of the death of your Mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Love, Bill and Bobbie Christenberry

Bill & Bobbie Christenberry - October 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ Alvin and family. So sorry to hear of your loss. May God be with now and always.

Kathy and Earl Woody - October 16, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ We are thinking of you and keeping your family in our prayers. With Much Love and Concern.

Terry&Kim Ball - October 16, 2007 at 12:00 AM

WI

“ You are in our prayers.

Wayne & Roella Ivy - October 16, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ In our prayers at this time.

Tommy & Waynella Ivy Large - October 16, 2007 at 12:00 AM

FP

“ Alga Teague Watts

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DW

“ Beth, My prayers are with you and your family as I know you will miss your grandmother very much. Now she has the rewards she has worked for all her life!!

Dawn Williams - October 16, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Alvin and Family Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with all of you during your time of loss. May God Bless you and keep you in the palm of his hand during this time. Rejoice in knowing that God has just received another angel into the fold.

Jerry, Jan & Sydney Sneed - October 16, 2007 at 12:00 AM