



Farrie Rowena Black

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Farrie Black, 91, of Newport, passed away peacefully on December 21, 2011. She was surrounded by her family and devoted caregivers.

Mrs. Black was a faithful and life long member of Lincoln Avenue Baptist Church. She attended church services as long as her health permitted. Mrs. Black was a member of the Willing Workers Sunday School Class and the Loxley Circle. Mrs. Black served in various capacities over the years including church treasurer, Sunday School teacher, choir member and pulpit committee member. Mrs. Black and her late husband also enjoyed participating in the Joy Group.

After retiring as office manager at Stokely Van Camp, Mrs. Black devoted her time to gardening, quilting, and church activities. Mrs. Black and her late husband especially enjoyed caring for their beloved great-grandson, Seth Moore.

Mrs. Black was preceded in death by her husband the late Clarence Black, granddaughter, Andi Balch, her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas, sister Myrtle Hawkins.

Mrs. Black is survived by her daughter, Donna Balch, Newport, granddaughters Abby Balch and Amy Quinton, both of Newport, great-grandson Seth Moore who Mrs. Black dearly loved and cherished, sister and

brother-in-law Dorothy and Bill Hobbs, Corona, California. Mrs. Black is also survived by several nieces and nephews, her church family, neighbors and countless friends who faithfully visited, sent cards, prepared food, and offered prayers.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to all of Mrs. Black's devoted caregivers who provided love and compassion during Mrs. Black's extended illness. The family also wants to thank Tammy Francis and the staff at Smoky Mountain Home Health and Hospice for providing care, compassion and guidance throughout Mrs. Black's illness.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 Tuesday, December 27, 2011 at Manes Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Rich Lloyd officiating. Burial will follow in Union Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm Tuesday prior to funeral services.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorials be made to First Baptist Church of Newport, 261 East Broadway, Newport, TN 37821 and Newport Grammar School Athletic Fund, 301 College Street, Newport, TN or the charity of your choice.

Manes Funeral Home in charge.

Tribute Wall



“ *Farrie Rowena Black*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *So sorry for the loss of your Mother.. Praying for God to comfort and give you strength to get thru each and every day..Praying for Donna and family!*

Darlene Brooks - January 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *May God give you comfort at this sad time,you are in our thoughts and prayers. Reece,Cheryl&Cody Grooms*

Cheryl Grooms - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *You will be missed Miss Farrie*

Randy Smith - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Farrie Rowena Black*

Kaye Bryant Balch - December 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *DONNA, SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT THE DEATH OF YOUR MOM.*

Janice Lee Seay - December 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

YC

“ *Abby, I am so sorry to hear of your grandmothers passing. You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers*

Yvonne Cameron - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *Farrie Rowena Black*

Greg Cates - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ *Condolence and Prayers to you and your Family. Your friend Adell S. Davis*

Adell Davis - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ *Donna and family. I am sorry to hear of your mothers death. She was a sweet lady and had a wonderful life.*

Ronald Robeson - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

EF

“ *Donna, Amy & Seth : We are so sorry to learn of your loss. We will keep you all in our prayers. Deepest Sympathies, Emma, Shane & Addison*

Emma Allen & Family - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *Praying that the Lord will comfort you with His Peace... surround you with His Love... and encourage you with His presence. Love & Deepest Sympathy, Jabo, Tammy, Madison & Montana*

Tammy Francis - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ Donna, Amy and Seth ~ Words seem so inadequate at such a difficult time. Ms. Farrie was an extraordinary lady. May God wrap His loving arms around you and may you feel the love, peace and strength that only He can give you. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Rosa Sutton - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I will keep you in my prayers. Sorry that I am unable to come to the funeral home when you are receiving friends.

Carol Chason - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LG

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Lisa Giles - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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GB

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gerald & angie black - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ Amy and Donna, I am so sorry for your loss. You will be in my thoughts and prayers,

Jane Ann Turner - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *Abby, we are so sorry for your loss. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. Love ya. Walt & Gail*

Gail Sutton - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LI

“ *Donna and Amy, I am truly sorry to hear about your loss. You both are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Lisa Ivey - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ *We want to express our sympathy for the loss of your mother and grandmother. She was a beautiful and special lady. You are a special family, and we will be lifting you up in prayer. May God bless you and keep you close.*

Aaron and Susan McMahan - December 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ *Donna and Amy, So sorry to hear of your loss.*

Buster Woody - December 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ *Farrie Rowena Black*

George and Diana Hayes - December 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ *Thinking of your family at this time of loss and keeping you in my prayers.*

Charlotte Atkins - December 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *donna, amy, seth so sorry for your loss. i know you all will miss her greatly. deepest sympathy,cindy wise& family*

cindy wise - December 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ *Sorry to learn of your loss. We will keep the family in our thoughts and prayers.*

Kay and Kim Gregg - December 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ *Thinking about you during this difficult time. Prayers sent your way.*

Rhonda Williams - December 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *Donna and family, so sorry to learn of Farrie's passing. She and Clarence were special people.*

Louise & Jimmy Hux - December 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ *I'm so sorry for you loss.*

Linnie Denton - December 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ *Farrie Rowena Black*

Steve Webb - December 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Donna i am so sorry to hear about your mom. She was a special person and will be missed. I am sorry that i won't be able to come by the funeral home when you are receiving friends

LIZ MCNABB - December 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ We are sorry for your loss.

Gerald, Dale & Nancy Raines - December 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ Farrie Rowena Black

Wiley & Kate Morgan - December 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AS

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Arzella Mantooth Shelton - December 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ My condolences to the family. Farrie was a special lady who will be missed by those who knew her.

Linda D Clark - December 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ I will be thinking of you all in the days to come.

Michelle Crum - December 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ Farrie Rowena Black

Robert and Martha Pack - December 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM