

# OBITUARY

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A beautiful and sweet life came to a close on Thursday morning, August 28, 1969 when Mrs. Lovie L. Watkins was called to her heavenly home. She was living at 1502 Caroline street in Cincinnati, Ohio the home of her son, Mr. J. J. Watkins.

Daughter of the late Nelson and Lovamae Linscomb she was born August 18, 1890 in Cherokee County, South Carolina. She was joined in marriage to Mr. Asia Watkins on October 5, 1902 and to this union 19 children were born. He passed May 19, 1960.

She was converted at an early age and joined Green Bethel Baptist Church at Bolling Springs. After her marriage, she joined Suck Creek Baptist Church. Later after moving to Forest City, she joined and served at Oak Grove Baptist Church. Even in Cincinnati she kept her faith. One day before her passing, she made a confession, saying, she was a christian and was on her way to heaven. We will miss her, for we loved her and we know this is God's way; His will must be done.

She leaves to mourn her passing, three daughters, Mrs. Rosa Lee Rodgers of Forest City, N.C.; Mrs. Pauline Love and Mrs. Olean Griffin of Chicago, Ill.; ten sons, Mr. R. E. Watkins of Forest City, N.C.; Mr. J. J. Watkins, Mr. Nelson Watkins and Mr. Caldwell Watkins of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mr. Marshall Watkins, Mr. Lubble Lee Watkins, Mr. Wayne Watkins and Mr. Perry Watkins of Chicago, Ill., Mr. Russell Watkins and Mr. Henry Watkins of Asheville, N.C.; one half-sister, Mrs. Estelle Anthen of Philadelphia, Pa.; two half-sisters, Mrs. Nora Sutson of Blacksburg, S.C. and Mrs. Vera Parker Collins of Boston, Mass.; 43 grandchildren, 39 great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and many friends.

The Family.

Acknowledgments.....

The family acknowledge and appreciate your expressions of love, kindness and sympathy in our time of grief and sorrow.

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## FOR

MRS. LOVIE L. WATKINS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1969 - 2:30 P.M.

OAK GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

FOREST CITY, N.C.

Rev. H. C. Dodd -- Pastor

Order Of Services

Processional ..... Choir

Hymn ..... "Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross"

Scripture Reading:

The Old and New Testament...By Rev. H. C. Dodd

Prayer

Remarks ..... Sister Mamie Smith

Hymn ..... "In The Garden"

Eulogy ..... Rev. H. E. Ferguson

Solo ..... Sister Vennie Smith

Recessional ..... Choir

INTERMENT IN SUCK CREEK CEMETERY

Route 3, Gaffney, S. C.

By Foster Funeral Home

Gaffney, S. C. Phone 489-2422

## Casket Bearers

Mr. Clement Sarratt  
Mr. Dan Hull  
Mr. Jim Lutler  
Mr. J. O. Gibbs  
Mr. Summitt Humphries  
Mr. Fred Thompson

## Flower Bearers

Mrs. Ossie Sarratt  
Mrs. Gussie Hull  
Mrs. Maggie Lutler  
Mrs. Mary Price  
Mrs. Annie Miller  
Mrs. Leola Walker  
Mrs. Melvin Landrum