



Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts

October 10, 1918 - August 11, 2020

Sis. Mattie Watts was born October 10, 1918, to the late Tilly Bradford and Lillian Maxwell in Belcher, Louisiana. She departed this life on Tuesday, August 11, 2020 at her home. She accepted Christ at an early age in Louisiana.

Later in life, as a young woman, she relocated to Waldo where she met and married the late Calvin Coolidge Watts. She became a member of New Bethel A.M.E. Church in Waldo, where she was an active member of the Women's Missionary Society, served on the Trustee and Steward Boards, Prayer Band, and was a dedicated member of the choir.

Sister Watts was preceded in death by her parents, her husband and six brothers.

She leaves to cherish her memories: one daughter, Annette Hardwell of Waldo, Arkansas; two stepsons, Calvin Watts, Jr. of Magnolia, Arkansas, and Larry (Asarene) Watts of Leeds, Alabama; seven grandchildren, Chasmund Watts, Desmond Hardwell both of Waldo, Arkansas, Calvin (Keesha) Watts III of Grand Prairie, Texas, Mundrick Watts of Fort Worth, Texas, Lydia (Walter) Bell of Norcross, Georgia, Lauren (Marvin) Stevenson of Cypress, Texas, Dexter (Kizzy) Crockett of Magnolia, Arkansas; and a host of great grandchildren, nephews, nieces, other relatives and friends.

Graveside Celebration of Life services will be held Wednesday, August 19th, 2020, at Smith Cemetery in Waldo, Arkansas, at 11:00 a.m., under the direction of R.L. Reed Funeral Home. Rev. Shirley Renix officiating/eulogist.

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, anyone attending the graveside services, "MUST WEAR A MASK." Thank you.

Visitation will be Tuesday, August 18th, from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Smith Cemetery

County Rd #27 N
Waldo, AR 71770

Previous Events

Graveside service

AUG 19. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Annette I am sending up prayers for Sadie Mae Courtney from!!*



Pamela Shaw - September 19, 2020 at 07:34 PM



“ *Annette you & your family is in my prayers!!*



Pamela Shaw - September 19, 2020 at 07:32 PM



“ *Annette you & your entire Watts family has my deepest sympathy & my Condolences*



Pamela Shaw - September 19, 2020 at 07:31 PM

DA

“ I will always remember the Sundays that I spent with you at church and your home and the smiles and hugs that you greeted me with. Bye for now, we will all see you in that Great Getting Up Morning!
Deborah Avery -Shreveport, LA



Deborah Avery - August 19, 2020 at 09:36 AM

MM

“ In The Loss Of Your Mother; Our mothers depart, but never their love and never the lessons they've taught us, never their guidance, never their blessings, never the joys they've brought us. With Deepest Sympathy as you celebrate her memory, and mourn your loss. Moses and Betty Murray

Moses and Betty Murray - August 18, 2020 at 09:39 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts.



August 18, 2020 at 05:28 PM

HJ

“ Hellen Jones sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts



Hellen Jones - August 18, 2020 at 10:09 AM

ER

“ *Praying for the family and asking God to give them strength and comfort them in this time of need in the mighty name of Jesus Amen* ”



Edna Rowden - August 17, 2020 at 06:47 PM

ER

“ *Edna Rowden lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts* ”



Edna Rowden - August 17, 2020 at 06:43 PM

KR

“ *Sorry for your loss* ”

Kenneth Ransom - August 17, 2020 at 02:07 PM

SC

“ *Sharon Cole sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts* ”



Sharon Cole - August 16, 2020 at 02:10 AM

SC

“ Sharon Cole lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts



Sharon Cole - August 16, 2020 at 02:09 AM



“ Annette you & your family has my deepest sympathy & my Condolences!! And ya'll are in my prayers!! And if you want to talk I am a phone call away!!

Pam Shaw - August 15, 2020 at 08:05 PM



“ Pam Shaw lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts



Pam Shaw - August 15, 2020 at 08:02 PM



“ Pam Shaw lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts



Pam Shaw - August 15, 2020 at 08:02 PM

JA

“ *She will always remain dear to my heart. She taught me so much about the strength and determination that a woman can have - in the early years of my life. The unconditional love she showed is incomparable.*

Rest my dear auntie 🌹

Jacqueline Allison - August 15, 2020 at 06:45 PM

JP

“ *Mrs. Mattie was a special lady. She always had that beautiful smile every time I saw her. I was BLESSED to be her friend. I will be praying for her family!!*

Jean Polk - August 15, 2020 at 01:29 PM

JJ

“ *My condolence to the family of Mrs. Mattie Pearl Watts. Joyce Johnson*

Joyce Johnson - August 15, 2020 at 09:27 AM

RH

“ *Regina Henderson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts*



Regina Henderson - August 14, 2020 at 07:49 PM

WB

“ #RestInHeavenAuntMattie... 🙏💕🙏

"What we have once enjoyed, we can never lose. All that we love deeply becomes part of us." - Helen Keller



Willie Bradford - August 14, 2020 at 03:11 PM

JW

“ *There are no words to express the way my heart feels. From the day I met you Bigmomma you have been an inspiration in me and my grandbabies life. Thank you for the memories, You will truly be missed. Let my son know how much his babies loved and Cherished you. Rest In love Bigmomma~Daajayy~*

Jacquelyn Willis - August 14, 2020 at 10:54 AM

BG

“ *Praying for the family..*



Brooklyn Gibson - August 14, 2020 at 09:30 AM

MC

“ *Michael Clayton sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts*



Michael Clayton - August 14, 2020 at 07:19 AM

ER

“ *Edna Rowden lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts*



Edna Rowden - August 14, 2020 at 07:17 AM

ER

“ *Sorry for your loss praying for the family*



Edna Rowden - August 14, 2020 at 07:16 AM

ES

“ *Earnestine Strahan lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts*



Earnestine Strahan - August 14, 2020 at 01:02 AM

SL

“ *It was never a dull moment from talks to prayers anything I needed she was there and vise versa thank god for allowing me to get to know such a beautiful heart and she had just that I will miss you Mattie P*



Shaquana Leaks - August 13, 2020 at 11:42 PM

MW

“ *Marie Wingfield lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts*



Marie Wingfield - August 13, 2020 at 11:35 PM

IS

“ *Irene Smith lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts*



Irene Smith - August 13, 2020 at 11:23 PM

PM

“ *We love you*



Paulette Moore - August 13, 2020 at 09:42 PM

BB

“ *Becky Watson Biddle lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts*



Becky Watson Biddle - August 13, 2020 at 09:31 PM

MP

“ *Mary S. Pickings lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts*



Mary S. Pickings - August 13, 2020 at 08:10 PM



“ *Dianne Willis lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts*



Dianne Willis - August 13, 2020 at 04:23 PM

TE

“ *Tearee Easter lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts*



Tearee Easter - August 12, 2020 at 08:25 PM

WG

“ Wanda Goodner sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts



Wanda Goodner - August 12, 2020 at 05:36 PM

WG

“ Wanda Goodner lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts



Wanda Goodner - August 12, 2020 at 05:33 PM

WG

Ms. Mattie Pearl lived a great life. An excellent example of the way a real Christian lady should present herself. Rest in peace

Wanda Goodner - August 12, 2020 at 05:36 PM

DF

“ Dianne Fields lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts



Dianne Fields - August 12, 2020 at 04:14 PM

SP

“ Sandra Page sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts



Sandra Page - August 12, 2020 at 01:53 PM

SP

“ Sandra Page lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts



Sandra Page - August 12, 2020 at 01:53 PM



“ Sherry Marshall lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mattie Pearl Watts



Sherry Marshall - August 12, 2020 at 01:00 PM

DF

Waldo has lost another wonderful pillar of the community. Mrs. Mattie Pearl always greeted you with a hug and a sweet smile. I pray a special prayer for her family and friends. Treasure your precious memories and know that she will always be a part of your lives. She loved everyone unconditionally and she will be missed. God Bless

Deloris J. King and Family - August 26, 2020 at 11:38 AM