



## Lottie Wood McFarlin

March 31, 1920 - January 9, 2010

McFARLIN – Lottie Wood McFarlin of Crabapple, GA, passed away on Saturday, January 9, 2010 at the age of 89. Born on March 31, 1920 to store keepers and farmers, Twiggs and Venie Wood, she experienced the Great Depression, plowing behind her mule named Kate. Lottie learned early the values of hard work, determination, and endurance that served her well throughout the rest of her life. It was here that Lottie gained her appreciation for God's earth and its bounty. As a young woman, Lottie went to work for the Georgia Dept. of Revenue where she met her husband, the late George W. McFarlin of Franklin County. They were married in 1941, and George was soon called to the ministry. After pastoring and working at Central State Hospital in Milledgeville in the early 1950's, the McFarlins settled in Crabapple in 1953. George then joined the Georgia Dept. of Agriculture and became pastor of Crabapple Baptist Church. Alongside the community, George and Lottie farmed cotton on their land to raise money for the church. Lottie went on to complete a 20-year career with Fulton County Schools, retiring in 1985. While home, she enjoyed working in her beautiful yard and serving her famous Sunday dinners made of vegetables from her garden, along with homemade cakes and pies. Lottie is survived by her children and their spouses: Richard and Judy McFarlin Fritz, Rolly and Linda McFarlin, Jim and Charlotte McFarlin Connah, and Tim and Kay McFarlin. She leaves behind her grandchildren: Chet and Shannon McFarlin Sherwood, Josh and Erin Fritz Lawson, Chris and Lauren Fritz Gratian, Cameron Connah, Beth Connah,

Courtney McFarlin, Will McFarlin, Ben McFarlin and Josh McFarlin; great grandchildren, Sophie Sherwood and Collier and Evelyn Lawson, all who knew her as “Nanny”. She was predeceased by her first son, Bo, age 2, in 1949 and by her husband, Reverend George McFarlin in 1976. Lottie’s legacy is one of steadfast Christian faith, strength of character, hard work, belief in education, and a strong sense of family. Lottie lived her life by quiet example and demonstrated her faith through the support of her church, home and foreign missions, the Georgia Baptist Children’s Home, and through the establishment of a scholarship for women in ministry. We remember Mother with great love and admiration. In lieu of flowers, the family asks donations be made to the George and Lottie McFarlin Scholarship for Women in Ministry, McAfee School of Theology, Mercer University, c/o Dr. Ron Wilson, Advancement Office, 3001 Mercer University Drive, Atlanta, GA 30341. Visitation will be at Northside Chapel Funeral Directors in Crabapple on Monday, January 11th from 6 to 9 PM. Funeral services will be held at Roswell First Baptist Church at 11:00 AM on Tuesday, January 12th followed by interment at Green Lawn Cemetery in Roswell. Northside Chapel Funeral Directors and Crematory, Roswell/Alpharetta, 770/645-1414.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 11. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors and Crematory  
12050 Crabapple Road  
Roswell, GA

## Service

JAN 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Roswell  
710 Mimosa Blvd.  
Roswell, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lottie Wood McFarlin*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *Our sympathy for your loss. We understand how much she was cherished, and will be remembered.##imported-begin##Fran and Arthur Sherwood##imported-end##*

January 19, 2010 at 01:30 PM



“ *Charlotte, Thinking about you and you family everyday. Sending you love and light! Brooke##imported-begin##Brooke##imported-end##*

January 13, 2010 at 07:35 PM



“ *Charlotte, I am so sorry that I did not find out until after the funeral today or I would have been there but I loved both your parents dearly and have such fond memories of being in your home as a teen--I cherish those times. But the blessing is she had a wonderful full life. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your entire family.*

*Love,*

*Vickie Page##imported-begin##Vickie Page##imported-end##*

January 12, 2010 at 12:27 PM



“ *Tim, Charlotte, Rolly, & Judy,*

*I am truly sorry to hear about the death of your mother Lottie. I told mother today and she cried. Mother is in assisted living and will not be able to attend the services due to her health. She liked your mother very much. She told me of times when they would go to uncle Twiggs and all of the childred would run and play for hours. God has blessed you with such a wonderful family. I will be praying for God to bless you during this time.##imported-begin##David Bales##imported-end##*

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January 11, 2010 at 04:30 PM



“ *Dear Charlotte,*

*This is not the first time I have told you this, but I truly believe that there is no one who has been more loving, caring and supportive of their Mom, than you. She lived a long and rewarding life ~ and you were there every step of the way, making her final years full of love and life. You are a wonderful daughter.  
Love, Katherine##imported-begin##Katherine Smith##imported-end##*

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January 11, 2010 at 01:37 PM



“ *Please accept our condolence and we are so sorry for your loss. May our Lord provide you comfort during this time of loss.*

*David & Vicki Stanco##imported-begin##David & Vicki Stanco##imported-end##*

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January 11, 2010 at 01:12 PM



“ Charlotte and Jim,  
Please know that we have you in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. You all were so blessed to have had such a fine Christain woman in your lives. We love you.  
With Heartfelt Sympathy,  
Chip and Debbie Melton###imported-begin##Chip and Debbie Melton###imported-end##

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January 11, 2010 at 09:33 AM



“ Charlotte,  
  
Please accept our heartfelt sympathy for your loss. May you and your family experience the peace of God with the knowledge your mother is at home.  
  
David and Margaret McDonald###imported-begin##David McDonald###imported-end##

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January 11, 2010 at 07:03 AM



“ **TOGETHERNESS**

*Death is nothing at all. I have only slipped away into the next room.*

*Whatever we were to each other, we still are. Call me by my old familiar name. Speak to me in the same easy way you always have. Laugh as we always laughed at the little jokes we enjoyed together. Play, smile, think of me, pray for me.*

*Life means all htat it ever meant. It is the same as it always was. There is absolute unbroken continuity. Why should I be out of your mind because I am out of your sight? I am but waiting for you, for an interval, somewhere very near, just around the corner.*

*All is well. Nothing is past. Nothing has been lost. One brief moment and all will be as it was before --only better. Infinitely happier. We will be one, together forever.##imported-begin##Chiavelli Family##imported-end##*

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January 11, 2010 at 06:45 AM



“ *Dear Charlotte and Jim, I was so sorry to hear about your Mother, Charlotte. She sounds like she was a lovely person to know and love.*

*Thinking of you,*

*Joanna##imported-begin##Joanna Ramos##imported-end##*

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January 11, 2010 at 05:43 AM



“ We are so sorry for your lose. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.

*The Hughes##imported-begin##Marian and Keegan Hughes##imported-end##*

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January 10, 2010 at 10:25 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Lottie had a wonderful life and was loved dearly by many. She will be missed and never forgotten.##imported-begin##Anne and Bob Meyer##imported-end##

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January 10, 2010 at 08:20 PM



“ To: Judy and Richard, Rolly and Linda, Charlotte and Jim, Tim and Kay and their extended families.

*Rolly and I have talked a lot about our families over our careers at Honeywell. We have shared the best of times and sometimes the loss which you have just endured.*

*We know how devoted you all were to your parents. You have our deepest condolences.*

*Marcia and I will have a Mass said at St. Francis of Assisi in Wichita, KS for your mother. It is just the "Catholic" thing to do.*

*We trust your fond memories will carry you all through this difficult time.*

*Love to All,*

*Mike & Marcia Rowley##imported-begin##Mike & Marcia Rowley##imported-end##*

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January 10, 2010 at 08:14 PM



“ Charlotte,

*Sending you, and your family, all of my love and support.*

*Much love,*

*Kathryn##imported-begin##Kathryn Stoddard##imported-end##*

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January 10, 2010 at 07:59 PM



“ *Tim and Kaye,*

*Our prayers and thoughts are with you as you take this journey of grief. Your mother will be missed by many and her life was a testimony that will speak to generations to come.*

*In Christ,*

*Shirley & Ken##imported-begin##Ken & Shirley C.*

*Howell##imported-end##*

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January 10, 2010 at 07:18 PM