



Grace Skipper Johnson

November 22, 1931 - June 22, 2017

Spartanburg...Grace Skipper Johnson, age 85, wife of the late Raleigh C. Johnson, passed away Thursday, June 22, 2017 at the Spartanburg Regional Hospice Home in Spartanburg.

Mrs. Johnson was born in Galivants Ferry, a daughter of the late Emory Lee and Getha Wallace Skipper. She was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church in Conway. Prior to retirement, she was the owner and operator of Grace's Catering. She was predeceased by brothers, Joe Skipper, Richard Skipper, and Sammy Skipper and a sister, Christine Lewis.

Surviving are a son, Michael J. Johnson and wife, Pam of Irmo, SC, a daughter, Donna J. Williams and husband, Fred, of Spartanburg, SC, six grandchildren, Sean Johnson, Zachary Johnson and wife, Sarah and Allison Johnson, Gantt Williams, Alan Williams and Walker Williams. She is also survived by her brothers, Payne Skipper and wife Gayle of Galivants Ferry, Bill Skipper and wife Janice of Conway, and Parmalee Skipper and wife Virginia of Kansas City, KS; sisters, Wanda Jenerette and husband Johnny, and Mary Partlow and husband Mark, all of Galivants Ferry, brother-in-law, Gilbert Lewis of Galivants Ferry; sisters-in-law, Geraldine Skipper and Corlous Skipper, both of Galivants Ferry, Wilminia Skipper and Esther Strickland, both of Conway. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 PM Monday at Trinity United Methodist Church in Conway with Rev. Dr. William R. Childs officiating. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Cemetery directed by Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel. The family will receive friends in the church parlor from 12:00 PM until 1:00

PM Monday.

Memorials may be sent to S.R.H.S. Regional Hospice Home, 686 Jeff Davis Drive, Spartanburg, SC 29303.

A special thank you to Rev. Dale of Westminster Presbyterian, the staff of SRHS Regional Hospice Home and the ladies of Pacifica Skylyn Assisted Living for their loving care of Ms. Grace,

Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Cemetery

1000 Hwy 544
Conway, SC 29526
(843) 347-4909
<https://www.hillcrestcemetery.com/>

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 26. 12:00 PM (ET)

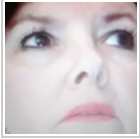
Trinity United Methodist Church
198 Long Avenue
Conway, SC 29526

Funeral Service

JUN 26. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Donna and Mike,
We would like to send our condolences on Mrs. Grace's death. I knew her well from all our years together at CHS. She prepared some great meals for the students and the teachers. Her catering service was used by so many in Conway, and the food was delicious.. Dana grew up with Donna as a friend and spent time with Mrs. Grace in her home. We know that heaven has gained a special angel. You will be in our thoughts and prayers.
With our love,
Debbie and Dana Johnson

Debbie Johnson - June 30, 2017 at 02:19 AM

PA

“ I just learned Mrs. Grace went to heaven. I am so sorry for you loss. She was such a wonderful person, always smiling, making us look forward to her lunches at CHS. She catered my sister, Ruthie's, wedding and everything was wonderful. You will be in our thoughts and prayers.

Paula Vaught Adams

Paula Vaught Adams - June 27, 2017 at 09:04 PM

MH

“ Mike, praying that God's grace will give you and your family comfort during this time. Love for you all.

Mary Hammond - June 25, 2017 at 10:56 PM

KG

“ Grace took my mom under her wing and loved her as if she were her own. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Karen Squires Graham - June 25, 2017 at 07:33 AM

BJ

“ This precious family will be in my continuous thoughts and prayers. I am originally from the Aynor area. When planning for my daughters' wedding, we contacted Mrs. Grace. It was absolutely beautiful! Everyone thought it was the best wedding that they had ever attended and, I thought so too. I will always cherish the wonderful memories she helped make. Prayers, love, and hugs to this precious as they go through this difficult time.



Betty Johnson - June 24, 2017 at 07:45 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Grace Skipper Johnson.



June 24, 2017 at 05:00 PM

CB

“ Donna, I am so very sorry to hear of Grace's death. I thoroughly enjoyed my years working with her at CHS. She was a special person. If I can do anything for you, please let me know. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Chip Brown

Chip Brown - June 24, 2017 at 04:21 PM

MK

“ Ms. Grace was a super nice person, a hard working lady, not to mention such a good cook! Her catering was wonderful! She was a sweet lady.

Mona King - June 24, 2017 at 04:14 PM

JO

“ I have so many fond childhood memories of my times spent with the Johnson family. Ms Grace was a loving friend to me and my parents. The world will never be the same without her and Mr Raleigh. My prayers ,love and thoughts go out you.. Donna and Mike.
Love and prayers . Jim O'Reilly



Jom - June 24, 2017 at 01:56 PM

MS

“ Remembering my wonderful sister Grace who never wanted to receive but to give to others. Her heart was as big as the universe and she loved unconditionally! So missed!



Mary Squires-Partlow - June 24, 2017 at 01:32 PM

WJ

“ Wayne Jollie lit a candle in memory of Grace Skipper Johnson



wayne jollie - June 24, 2017 at 11:14 AM

WJ

“ sorry for your loss thinking of all of you wayne jollie

wayne jollie - June 24, 2017 at 11:13 AM

ST

“ My condolences to the Johnson and Skipper families. Grace was a first cousin and friend.

Shirley Skipper Tarte - June 24, 2017 at 10:00 AM

AL

“ So sorry to hear about Mrs Grace she was a special person I loved very much !!!
Our prayers are with you all ! 🙏 AlandaMclain



alandamclain - June 24, 2017 at 08:49 AM

SF

“ Donna, Fred and family,
All of my family joins me in lifting your family in prayer as you go through the days ahead. May His peace hold you close and ease your broken hearts. +
Scott and Rena Fowler

Scott Fowler - June 23, 2017 at 08:47 PM