



Elsie Lyle Simpson

December 28, 2008

Walhalla, SC—Elsie Lyle Simpson, wife of the late Frank Norris Simpson, of 1207 North Catherine Street, Walhalla, SC, died Sunday, December 28, 2008, at her residence following a long illness.

A native of Westminster, SC, Mrs. Simpson was the daughter of the late Walter W. and Lilly Pearl Kelley Lyle. She was retired from Schlumberger Industries where she was a supervisor for 36 years. She was a member of Rocky Knoll Baptist Church and a life long Democrat.

Mrs. Simpson is survived by son, Donald L. Simpson and wife, Doris of Easley, SC; daughter, Eleanor Simpson McGuire of Central, SC; sister, Gladys Atkinson of Catawba, SC; granddaughter, Kris McGuire of Spartanburg, SC and grandson, Robert Dane Simpson of Easley, SC; and two great grandchildren.

In addition to her husband and parents, Mrs. Simpson was predeceased by son, Robert Frank “Bobby” Simpson; daughter, JoAnne Simpson; and brothers, C.W. Lyle and Rev. Willis Parks Lyle.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3:00 PM, Tuesday, December 30, 2008, from the Chapel of Davenport Funeral Home with burial to follow in Oconee Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 2:00-3:00 PM, Tuesday, December 30, 2008, at the funeral home prior to the service.

The family is at their respective homes.

Tribute Wall



“ *Elsie Lyle Simpson*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Dear Mama,
You always treated me as your own child. Bobby was pallbearer at my dear father's funeral. (Who bore a remarkable resemblance to Uncle Bug Atkinson!) You knew my parent's died nine days apart and you took me into your heart to love me as your daughter. I shall never forget your kindnesses to me. You will forever be "Mama" to me.*

*All my love, your daughter-in-law,
Kathy Simpson###imported-begin###Kathy H. Simpson###imported-end###*

January 07, 2009 at 03:01 PM



“ *I worked for Elsie at Sangamo during my summer between college semesters. She was so kind to me, and I always enjoyed seeing her later around Walhalla. She was a super lady!###imported-begin###Susan Neal###imported-end###*

January 05, 2009 at 10:41 AM



“ I have known and worked for Elsie for 38 years. She was a special person and enjoyed life to it's fullest. She was always willing to help you do anything she could. I have truly enjoyed knowing Elsie and she will always hold a special place in my heart. May God be with her family and comfort all of you only as He can, is my prayer.
Love In Christ
Ruby White###imported-begin###Ruby White###imported-end##

December 30, 2008 at 09:13 PM



“ Larry & I worked with Ms. Elsie for many years at Schlumberger. She was a dear friend and great sport. I will always remember how she loved to dance at our Christmas parties. I loved to watch her because I knew she enjoyed life to the fullest. I enjoyed lunch at her home many times while we talked about income taxes.
Elsie's memory will live forever for us. I know we will see her again someday.###imported-begin###Larry & Shirley Hawkins###imported-end##

December 30, 2008 at 06:43 PM



“ Eleanor, just today as I passed your Mother's house I realized she had died. I am so sorry. I remember how much Bobby thought of you and your Mother. I am the only one left of our immediate family now with brother Edward passing in September. In case none of these names make sense, I am the sister of Bobby Lee who really liked your family.###imported-begin###Louise L Towe###imported-end##

December 30, 2008 at 04:34 PM



“ *Don & Doris*
My thoughts and prayers are with you and the rest of your family.##imported-begin##Donna Cranford##imported-end##

December 30, 2008 at 04:09 PM



“ *I never got the opportunity to meet Elsie, but I know her daughter, Ellie, and a finer person there has never been. Thank you for sharing her with us...and rest peacefully...knowing the daughter you brought into this world is well loved.##imported-begin##Lisa & Bill Edmondson##imported-end##*

December 30, 2008 at 12:50 PM



“ *Thank you Elsie for loving me. I'll meet you in the morning.##imported-begin##James Spearman##imported-end##*

December 30, 2008 at 12:08 AM



“ *It is with great saddness I read of E. Simpsons passing. What a friend our community and county has lost. A life long Democrat, we could always count on her yard for the signs at the Oktoberfest. And the inaguration in 1992 of a new President William J. Clinton seems like yesterday as she strolled the mall of Washington. Yes, your legacy lives on in all of us, as your rewards await you-our dear friend. Godsped.##imported-begin##Mike Evatt##imported-end##*

December 29, 2008 at 09:18 PM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. She was a fighter till the end. We will always remember her and the laugha we shared.

Love,

Donna and Lynn##imported-begin##LYNN and DONNA##imported-end##

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