



Franklin Leon Davis

May 5, 1948 - April 18, 2012

Franklin Leon Davis, 63, of Walhalla, SC, husband of the late Shelby Jean Davis, died Wednesday, April 18, 2012 at his residence.

A native of Oconee County, Mr. Davis was the son of the late Henley McCoy and Delia Carver Davis. He worked for Chicopee Mill, later retired Avondale Mill and was of the Baptist faith.

Mr. Davis is survived by a daughter, Betty Jean Davis Sheriff (Larry) of Westminster, SC; brother, Winfred M. Davis (Louise) of Pelzer, SC; sisters, Frances Hightower of Seneca, SC, and Patricia Nicholson (Guy) of Westminster, SC; and one grandson, Leon Edward Sheriff.

In addition to his wife and parents, Mr. Davis was predeceased a daughter, Tina Renee Davis; grandson, Hoyt Franklin Sheriff; siblings, Moses Davis, Evelyn Hunnicutt, Dolly Smith, Geneva Moore, and Macarthur Leroy Davis.

Graveside services will be held Friday, April 20, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Neville Cemetery, Walhalla, SC.

The family will receive friends Friday, April 20, 2012 from 12:30-1:30 PM at Davenport Funeral Home.

Flowers are accepted or memorials may be made to Relay For Life, American Cancer Society, ATTN: Renee Kelley, Community First Bank, 1600 Sandifer Blvd., Seneca, SC 29678.

The family is at the residence.

Tribute Wall



“ *Franklin Leon Davis*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *My Dear Family,
We are saddened for the loss of uncle Leon. Although our hearts are heavy and greiving, I know that Jesus will continue to comfort and give peace abundantly. We love you Bookoos!!!##imported-begin##Glenda, Jim, Kayla & Heather##imported-end##*

April 20, 2012 at 10:43 AM



“ *Betty and family, I am sorry to hear about Leon. I will always cherrish the memories of our families friendship and our time spent as neighbors. Love and prayers and God bless you all.
Olan##imported-begin##Olan Thompson##imported-end##*

April 19, 2012 at 10:55 AM



“ Betty & Family we are so sorry to hear about the loss of your Dad. We always thought he was a very kind person & loved him very much
We will miss seeing him as we did Shelby at the family dinners it won't be the same anymore but we are all faced with the loss of our loved ones, It's always comforting to know they are in a better place in Heaven.
Shelby was waiting for him & now they are together again.
May God Bless & Comfort all of you in your time of sorrow.
We will keep you in our prayers.##imported-begin##Marvin & Libby Long##imported-end##

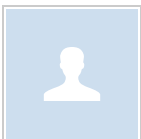
April 19, 2012 at 09:07 AM



“ To the Family of Franklin Leon Davis,

So sorry to learn about the loss of your Dear Loved One, Franklin. Please know that so many people share your grief with you to help you through this difficult time of sorrow. Please accept my deepest condolences as we await the time when Christ Jesus will awaken all of those who have fallen asleep in death; including your Beloved, Franklin. (John 11:41-44)##imported-begin##J. Moore##imported-end##

April 18, 2012 at 10:58 PM



“ Betty, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prays are with you. Let me know if you need anything. Love ya, Amy Sanborn and family##imported-begin##Amy Sanborn##imported-end##

April 18, 2012 at 04:50 PM