



Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight

June 13, 1941 - November 10, 2012

Seneca, SC – Hazel Ruth Rochester Knight, wife of Melvin Knight of Seneca, SC, died Saturday, November 10, 2012 at Greenville Memorial Hospital.

A native of Oconee County, Mrs. Knight was the daughter of the late Edward Rochester and Lois Murphy Hawkins. She was retired from department store retail management and was a member of Bounty Land Church of God, where she was Sunday school superintendent for the past ten years. She was also director of a senior group, the “Goodtimers”.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by son, Alan Knight of Augusta, GA; brother, Kenneth Rochester and his wife, Annette, of Seneca, SC; and sisters, Ann Thornhill and her husband, Jim, of Greer, SC and Kathy Barnett and her husband, Ron, of Easley, SC; brother-in-law, Jim Kuerth of Seneca, SC; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Knight was predeceased by sister, Joan Kuerth.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, November 13, 2012 at Bounty Land Church of God, with burial to follow in Oconee Memorial Park.

There will be no public viewing, however, the family will receive friends from 1

– 2:00 p.m. prior to the service at church.

Flowers are accepted or memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

The family will be at respective homes.

Cemetery Details

Oconee Memorial Park

1923 Blue Ridge Boulevard
Seneca, SC 29672
<http://oconeememorialpark.com?>

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Just learned of Hazel's death....and we were so saddened. Immediately I thought of Hazel as my sister in Christ who sang with Eloise Pickle and me as a trio, with Melvin at the piano....I look forward to singing with them again on the 'other side'....Heaven is just sweeter. Our prayers are with her family that God will comfort and heal as only He can for the days ahead. Barbara and Julian*

Barbara & Julian LeRoy - November 26, 2012 at 07:54 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I pray God will comfort you during this time of sorrow. Hazel was a special lady and I always enjoyed working with her at Rose's Department Store. She will be missed by all that knew her. God bless you and your family. Love in Christ, Curtis and Rachel Branch*

Racehl Marie Branch - November 14, 2012 at 05:28 AM



“ *Melvin and Alan, our prayers are with you during this difficult time. Hazel was a beautiful person and will be missed by all who knew her. Our loss is Heaven's gain. We rejoice in knowing we will meet her again!*

Roger Riggins - November 13, 2012 at 09:42 PM

PB

“ *Pat Bennett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight*



Pat Bennett - November 13, 2012 at 09:40 PM

DA

“ *Don Albertson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight*



Don Albertson - November 13, 2012 at 07:37 PM

NO

“ *Our condolences to the family of Hazel Knight. She will be missed by all. We treasure having known her . Our prayers are with the Knight Family at this time. Norm and Cathy Olsen*

Norman and Catherine Olsen - November 13, 2012 at 11:56 AM

JG

“ *My condolences are with Hazel's family at this trying time. I remember Hazel as a nice, quiet young lady when we were in high School. I know she will be missed by one and all.*

Jean Rochester Patterson Geer - November 13, 2012 at 10:00 AM

JS

“ *Jill Stone lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight*



Jill Stone - November 12, 2012 at 11:49 PM



“ *Sue Norwood lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight*



Sue Norwood - November 12, 2012 at 09:32 PM



Just would like to say, this is a very precious lady. I was deeply sadden to hear of this loss. She will be missed by everyone, and one day very soon we will be rejoicing with Hazel and what a day that will be. We love you, and our thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time. Soon to be together and never forgotten.

Sue Norwood - November 12, 2012 at 09:39 PM

HR

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time---God bless you all....Harold Rice Family*



Harold Rice - November 12, 2012 at 09:06 PM

MI

“ *Mark and Susan (Reece) Irby purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight.*



Mark and Susan (Reece) Irby - November 12, 2012 at 06:13 PM

CB

“ *I am saddened to hear of Hazel's death. Please accept my sympathy and prayers. To Melvin and family - You are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*
Cheryl Brock

Cheryl Brock - November 12, 2012 at 03:23 PM

CN

“ *Charles And Becky Nichols lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight*



Charles and Becky Nichols - November 12, 2012 at 01:35 PM

AN

We sure will miss your beautiful laugh and love that you shared with us always. You were a great Sister in Christ and a cousin. Your place at church will be remembered as your pew will be empty by Melvin's side. Lots of good memories with both of you will never be forgotten. Will miss going to the Rochester Reunion with Melvin, Alan and Hazel. Love to both Melvin and Alan. One day we will get to rejoice with her in Heaven. With Love unknown to the family. God be with you both.

Anna Nichols - November 12, 2012 at 01:43 PM

TH

“ Thomas lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight



thomas - November 12, 2012 at 11:41 AM

JS

“ The Class of 1959 sends their deepest sympathy to Melvin, Alan and family. Hazel was always at our reunions, but this year in August, she responded that she could not attend. We missed her and was looking forward to seeing her at our next reunion. We're always saddened when one of our "family" passes. We'll always remember our sweet, quiet friend with fondness. Rest in peace, Hazel. We love you.
Joyce Keown Smith
Walhalla High School
Class of 1959



Joyce Keown Smith - November 12, 2012 at 11:18 AM



“ Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight.



November 12, 2012 at 11:09 AM

BG

“ You are all in our thoughts and prayers. May God give you His peace in the promise of knowing you will see Hazel again. She is with Him, whole again.

Bonnie Galloway - November 12, 2012 at 09:41 AM

DG

“ Debbie Gladden lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight



Debbie Gladden - November 12, 2012 at 09:18 AM

SD

“ Samantha Hightower Dobson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight



samantha hightower dobson - November 12, 2012 at 08:49 AM

BQ

“ Bobby And Betty Quarles lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight



Bobby and Betty Quarles - November 12, 2012 at 08:08 AM

AK

“ 1 file added to the album Hazel Ruth Rochester Knight



Alan Knight - November 12, 2012 at 07:26 AM

BQ

Hazel was such a beautiful lady inside and out. she was an inspiration to me thru her christian life and such a humble attitude and manner.

Bobby and Betty Quarles - November 12, 2012 at 08:19 AM

LA

“ LC/Mary Jo Alexander lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight



LC/Mary Jo Alexander - November 12, 2012 at 01:14 AM

FC

“ Frank & Judy Crowe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight



Frank & Judy Crowe - November 11, 2012 at 04:29 PM

CL

“ Carolyn Littleton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight



Carolyn Littleton - November 11, 2012 at 01:25 PM

BB

“ Barbara Burrell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Hazel Ruth Knight



Barbara Burrell - November 11, 2012 at 09:49 AM

AC

*Praying for Melvin, Alan & family, so sorry for your loss, it was heaven's gain for the Lord calls the best..God Bless. Rev. & Mrs. Terry Carver
Clemson Church Of God*

Alice Moore Carver - November 12, 2012 at 08:05 PM