



Paul Fortson

September 19, 2010

Salem, SC—Paul Fortson, 81, of 370 Mountain View Road, Salem, SC, husband of Bessie Lee Lusk Fortson, died Sunday, September 19, 2010, at Oconee Medical Center, Seneca.

A native of Oconee County, Mr. Fortson was the son of the late Lee Pascal and Ola Wilson Fortson. He was a heavy equipment operator and a member of Mt. Carmel #2 Baptist Church.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Fortson is survived by son, Doug Fortson of Salem; daughters, Wanda Nix, Genelle White and Gayle Duncan, all of Salem; brother, Roy Fortson of Salem; sister, Imogene Lusk of Salem; six grandchildren; and ten great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Fortson was predeceased by son, Paul Stephen Fortson; brothers, James Curtis (Dud) Fortson and Verner Fortson; sister, Doris Grant; and grandchild, Brian White.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 22, 2010, from the Chapel of Davenport Funeral Home, Walhalla, with burial to follow in Mountain View Wesleyan Church Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 p.m., Tuesday, September 21,

2010 at the funeral home.

The family is at the residence.

Tribute Wall



“ *Paul Fortson*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Our thoughts, prayers, and love are with you all. The service was very comforting yesterday. Seperation from a loved one is never easy. I thought what Jeff, Leon, and Frankie had to say was very nice and showed exactly what kind of man uncle Paul was. He is waiting on you all to join him. He will hug you and, as was said in the poem, he'll say "they, they, they..."*

*Love,
Randall, Lorrie, & Justin##imported-begin##Randall
Lusk##imported-end##*

September 23, 2010 at 08:09 AM



“ *We are so sorry for the loss of Paul,, for all of you but for him ,, he got a GREAT PROMOTION!Your loss is Heaven's Gain... YOu all are in our thoughts and prayers at this time...##imported-begin##Frankie & Sherri Duncan Harris##imported-end##*

September 22, 2010 at 08:03 AM



“ *Our thoughts & prayers are with you at this time.##imported-begin##Larry & Barbara Smith##imported-end##*

September 21, 2010 at 06:55 PM



“ *Bessie&Family, I wanted to tell you that you all are in my prayers&thoughts during this difficult time you all are going through. Please know when you need to always look to the Lord for his comfort as his arms will continue to hold you all as well as walk with you. We Love You all and May God Be With You All.##imported-begin##Jimmy&Angela Lusk##imported-end##*

September 21, 2010 at 01:05 PM



“ *I know that Tommy, Mama and Uncle Paul are celebrating their reunion in Heaven along with so many others. Uncle Paul, too, will be missed but his suffering is now over as his new life has just begun. Heaven is now a brighter place. We love you all. Teresa##imported-begin##Teresa Chastain##imported-end##*

September 21, 2010 at 09:09 AM



“ *Bessie and your family, so sorry for your loss, Paul will be missed. God put him on this earth to be a blessing and he certainly was. I was always so glad to see him at singings, July 4th celebration, churchs etc. He was always uplifting to everyone. May God comfort you at this trying time.*

Love you all,

Glenda##imported-begin##Glenda Towe##imported-end##

September 20, 2010 at 09:40 PM



“ We send our deepest sympathy.

Allen, Sherry & Zeke##imported-begin##The Allen Moore Family##imported-end##

September 20, 2010 at 06:47 PM



“ Thinking of you during your time of loss. Praying for you and your family.

Ronney & Marti##imported-begin##Marti Jennings##imported-end##

September 20, 2010 at 06:36 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during your time of loss.

Jimmy, Kim Alexander and Family##imported-begin##Kim Alexander##imported-end##

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“ Bessie and family, we were saddened to hear of Paul's passing.

Praying for God to strengthen and comfort you today and the tomorrows to come.##imported-begin##Ronnie & Sandra Burrell##imported-end##

September 20, 2010 at 05:06 PM



“ *Bessie and family,
We are so sorry to hear of Paul's passing but we know he's in Heaven with the Lord and no longer suffering. You'll never know how much he meant to our family; the friendship of him and you is priceless. I know Paul and my daddy are so happy to see each other again. Our prayers will be you and your family. We love you all very much.*

Debora Hembree Henson and family##imported-begin##Debora Henson##imported-end##

September 20, 2010 at 04:31 PM



“ *Dear Bessie, Gayle and all... You are in our thoughts and prayers during this very sad time... We love you, Abed, Tonja and all of your Steak House Cafeteria family.##imported-begin##Tonja Lee AlNajjar##imported-end##*

September 20, 2010 at 02:33 PM



“ *Ms. Bessie, and children the Salem community and everyone that knew Paul have lost a good friend. He will be missed, but the memories are what makes the days bearable and I know all of you have such wonderful memories of him. May God comfort all of you in the difficult days ahead. Love you all.##imported-begin##Glenn and Janice Price##imported-end##*

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