



## Bonnie Craft

July 14, 1924 - January 2, 2011

Bonnie Craft, 86, of Laurel, died Sunday, January 2, 2011, at Comfort Care Nursing Home in Laurel.

Funeral services will be held at 10 am Thursday, January 6, 2011, at Memory Chapel with burial in Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Jones County. Rev. David Hagan and Rev. Kenny McMinn will officiate.

She was retired from Reliance Manufacturing as a seamstress and was a member of Life Church, where she was active in her church work. She was also a former Girl Scout Leader.

Mrs. Craft was preceded in death by her twin sister, Oneeda Westerhold. She is survived by her husband, Lonnie Craft of Laurel; one daughter, Judy Craft Wells and husband Bill of Lake Wylie, SC; and two granddaughters, Lauren Wells and Kendall Wells.

Pallbearers will be Buddy Clinton, Harvey Lofton, Rev. Thomas Winn, Phill Wells, Jack Wilson and Dr. Rusty Stevens.

Visitation will be held from 5 until 7 pm Wednesday, January 5, 2011, at Memory Chapel of Laurel which is in charge of the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

PL

“ Judy, I am so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. I was out of town or I would have come to the funeral home visitation to see you. I'm praying for you and your family, esp. Lonnie. I love you and have such happy, fun memories of your parents from when I was a little brat with you, Sherry, & Liz C.! Much love, Pam

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**Pam Rayner Lewis** - January 08, 2011 at 03:06 PM

RB

“ Lonnie, Judy, Bill and family, We were sadden to hear of Bonnie's passing. I have so many good memories at First Assembly as we worked in WM's, planned for suppers, went on WM Retreats, worked in Sunday School! Bonnie was always faithful to offer her help in any project we were working on. I remember when we had moved to Cleveland and she heard we were at Mom's for a short visit. She and Lonnie made a special effort to come by to see us. Bonnie was my friend.  
Our prayers are with you all. Nancy and Robert Buxton

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**Robert and Nancy Buxton** - January 06, 2011 at 07:51 PM

JG

“ Bonnie was my Mom's dearest friend from childhood. My sweet little sister was even named after her. I've known Bonnie Craft my entire life and I never remember a time when just being in the room with her didn't bring a smile to my face. She had a way of making me feel ten feet tall. The simple loving-kindness Bonnie always showed to me has meant far more than the ocean full of pious words I've heard from so many others. The best work I can do in this world is to share that same kind of love with those around me.  
Peace to the family now and in the days to come.  
All my love, James Graham

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**James Graham** - January 06, 2011 at 03:58 PM

SG

“ *Judy and Bill, thinking of you at this time and knowing that the loss of your wonderful mother will lessen while the memories will grow stronger and more lovely each day.*

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**Sheila Gwin** - January 06, 2011 at 01:39 PM

EB

“ *Dear Bro.Lonnie,Judy and family.I am so sorry to hear of Miss Bonnie's passing.I know how your hearts are broken.She was a precious lady.We don't grieve for the loved ones that have gone to heaven,we grieve for ourselves.You're in my thoughts and my prayers.Evelyn Beard*

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**Evelyn Beard** - January 05, 2011 at 10:13 PM

CP

“ *Judy: I am thinking of you in this difficult time. May happy memories replace the sadness in your heart.*

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**Cindi Holifield Pippen** - January 05, 2011 at 12:05 PM

BS

“ *Judy, just wanted you to know that our thoughts and prayers are with you. We know what a difficult time this is.  
Love you, Becky and Jakie*

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**Becky Spencer** - January 05, 2011 at 10:55 AM

LT

“ *Bonnie was a dear friend and a faithful member of the church we pastored in Laurel from 1991 until 1995. She was a beautiful lady in every sense of the word.*

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**Larry & Debbie Trotter** - January 04, 2011 at 10:14 PM