



Onie Green Farthing

February 7, 1926 - December 14, 2014

Onie Green Oakes Farthing, 88, formerly of 1614 Glenn Street, Danville, VA, died Sunday, December 14, 2014 at Roman Eagle Rehabilitation & Health Care Center after being in declining health for the past five years.

Mrs. Farthing was born in Chatham, VA, on February 7, 1926, a daughter of the late Major D. Oakes and the late Mary Crowder Oakes. She lived her life in Danville, VA, and was a former member of Keen Street Baptist Church, now United Baptist Church.

She retired in 1989, after 28 years, from Health-Tex Corporation where she had worked in the sewing room.

On March 29, 1946 she married Harvey Lee Farthing, he died on August 20, 1990.

In addition to her husband, she was predeceased by a son, Harvey Lee Farthing, Jr. on August 15, 2010, and by six brothers and four sisters.

Survivors include a daughter, Laverne F. Riggan, and her husband David, of Burlington, NC; four grandchildren, Robert David Riggan, of Burlington, NC, April Roberts, Sherry Farthing, and Harvey Lee Farthing, III, all of Abilene, TX; and six great grandchildren.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday, December 17, 2014 from 9:30 until 10:30 A.M. at the Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel followed by a graveside services that will be held at Floral Hills Memory Gardens with the Rev. Dr. Adam Woods officiating.

Cemetery Details

Floral Hills Memory Gardens

1665 South Boston Rd
Danville, VA 24540

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 17. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel
703 North Main Street
Danville, VA 24540
(434) 793-5511
info@wrenn-yeatts.com
<https://www.wrenn-yeatts.com>

Graveside

DEC 17. 11:00 AM (ET)

Floral Hills Memory Gardens
1665 South Boston Rd
Danville, VA 24540

Tribute Wall

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“ Aunt Onie was always smiling with a pleasant personality. I have to admit she was one of my favorite aunts. We enjoyed going thru her photo albums together. She always kept me up to date on what was going on in the family. She loved her family very much and always talked about their accomplishments. Susan Oakes Ross



Susan Ross - December 16, 2014 at 07:06 AM

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Laverne, Jimmy and I are thinking of you and your family. Just hold on to all of your memories and good times with your Mom. As you always do, keep on smiling!
Jimmy and Wanda Scearce

Wanda Scearce - December 17, 2014 at 05:09 PM