



## Velma Mae Hawker

June 25, 1925 - December 27, 2015

Velma Mae Matherly Hawker, age 90, of 15000 Old Richmond Road, Keeling, VA died on Sunday, December 27, 2015 at Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mrs. Hawker was born in Chatham, VA on June 25, 1925 to the late Charlie Watson Matherly and Sara Jane Norcutt Matherly. She lived all of her life in Pittsylvania County, VA. Mrs. Hawker retired from Disston where she worked on the assembly line. She was of the Baptist faith. In December, 1950, she married Irvin Barksdale Hawker who preceded her in death on August 5, 1980.

Mrs. Hawker is survived by a son, Larry Hawker and wife Donna, of Keeling, VA, two grandchildren, Cassie Lyn Hawker and Joshua Irvin Hawker, both of Keeling, VA, one sister, Hilda Leigh of Danville, VA, special friends, Janet White and Gary Talbott, both of Keeling, VA, and her faithful companion, Duffy. In addition to her parents and husband, she was predeceased by a son, Bobby Barksdale Hawker, brothers, Bennie, Charles, Everett, Roy and Cyril Matherly, sisters, Irene Shreves, Edith Barbee, Mary McDowell, and Clara White.

A Graveside Service will be held on Wednesday December 30, 2015 at 2:00 PM in Highland Burial Park with the Reverend Carl Burger officiating. The family will receive friends Tuesday night from 6:30 to 8:00 PM at Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel and at other times at the residence.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests that memorial donations be made to the American Heart Association, 3140 Chaparral Dr. Building C, Suite 106

Roanoke, VA, 24018.

Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel is respectfully serving the Hawker family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **29**. 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (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 **30**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Highland Burial Park  
3049 North Main Street  
Danville, VA

# Tribute Wall

TH

“ This is Teresa Hawker, Jesse Jr.'s daughter. I lost my father July 2, 2015. I remember Velma from when I was very small. My deepest condolences to the family.

Teresa Hawker - January 12, 2016 at 09:41 AM

LD

“ To larry and donna, cassie and josh-our sympathy to you in the loss of such a special mother, mother-law and granny. She was a kind, sweet and fun person to be with and will be missed dearly by all that knew her. She is in a better place with jesus and her beloved son bobby and all the rest of her family and she is smiling and happy now.praise the lord she's not suffering anymore! Love Linda and Bob

Linda Doss - December 29, 2015 at 12:27 PM

LD

“ Linda Doss lit a candle in memory of Velma Mae Hawker



Linda Doss - December 29, 2015 at 12:06 PM

TR

“ I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my prayers.

Terri Rasmussen - December 28, 2015 at 04:43 PM