



Josephine Adkins Pruett

December 18, 1919 - March 20, 2013

Josephine Adkins Pruett, age 93 of North Tazewell, VA died Wednesday, March 20, 2013 at the Mayfair House in Claypool, VA. She was born December 18, 1919 at Witten's Mill, VA and was a daughter of the late Enoch and Amanda Evelyn Lambert Adkins. Mrs. Pruett was of the Christian faith and was a member of the Riverside United Methodist Church at North Tazewell, VA where she taught Sunday school and held several offices. She was a former "Pink Lady" volunteer at Carilion Tazewell Community Hospital, where she served faithfully for over twenty – five years; she also volunteered at the Historic Crab Orchard Museum in the Pisgah community of Tazewell, VA. She was a loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother and a lady who will be missed by all who knew and loved her.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Max Lloyd Pruett; four sisters, Elvina Vencill, Elizabeth Hager, Euva Martin, and Mary Helmondollar; four brothers, George Adkins, Walter Adkins, John Adkins and Jim Adkins; son-in-law, William Deskins. She was the last surviving member of her immediate family.

Those left to cherish her memories include her daughter, Joy Sue Pruett Deskins of Tazewell, VA; her son, Lloyd Victor Pruett and wife, Bonnie of Princeton, WV; four grandchildren, Vickie Sue Pruett, Keith Pruett, Greg Deskins and wife, Cindy and Ameer Beth Deskins; two great-grandchildren, Katie Deskins and Adam Deskins; several nieces and nephews; other family members and friends also survive.

Funeral services for Josephine Adkins Pruett will be conducted at 3:00 p.m. Saturday, March 23, 2013 at the Hurst – Scott Funeral Home Chapel in Tazewell, VA with the Reverend Don Watkins officiating. Burial will follow at Grandview Memory Gardens in Bluefield, VA. The grandchildren and great-grandchildren will carry their beloved grandmother to her final resting place. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Saturday, March 23, 2013.

In lieu of flowers the family ask that memorial donations be made to the Holston United Methodist Home for Children: PO Box 188, Greenville, TN 37744 – 9982.

Cemetery Details

Grandview Memory Gardens

38659 Gov . G.C. Peery Hwy
Bluefield, VA 24605

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 23. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home of Tazewell
870 Main Street
Tazewell, VA 24651
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

Service

MAR 23. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Josephine Adkins Pruett*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Josephine Adkins Pruett*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *The Welborn's and Fleet Painting Service Employee's purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Josephine Adkins Pruett.*



The Welborn's and Fleet Painting Service Employee's -
November 03, 2015 at 12:45 PM



“ *Joy, I am so sorry about Aunt Josie .I did not hear of her passing until late Saturday . I am so glad that my mom and I got to visit with her a couple of Sunday's ago .She was a wonderful lady and will be sorely missed . My mom and I both have cherry trees that she gave us the cheeries to get them started .Will treasure them always . Love and prayers ,Kay and family*

Kay Vencill - March 24, 2013 at 05:56 PM



“ *May the Holy Spirit always keep you one with Grandma Pruett and Bill. Praying for all of you and wishing you peace.*

Ann - March 23, 2013 at 10:00 PM

PT

“ Praying for your family at this time. Cherish the memories that you.

Pat Thompson - March 23, 2013 at 08:41 AM

MR

“ Josephine's presence will surely be missed within our Mayfair Family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all always. Praying Gods loving arms gives you peace and comfort always. God bless you all.

Mike & Kim Ratliff - March 22, 2013 at 07:48 AM

VE

“ Joy, Greg, Beth, and family - our thoughts and prayers go out to you in your time of loss. Remembering all the fond memories and stories shared of your mom and grandmother - quite a lady. Vernon, Sharon, Allison, Bryce, and Lillie Mosley

Vernon - March 22, 2013 at 07:46 AM

DC

“ Dwight And Betty Conn lit a candle in memory of Josephine Adkins Pruett



Dwight and Betty Conn - March 22, 2013 at 07:09 AM

CW

“ *Chris White lit a candle in memory of Josephine Adkins Pruett*



Chris White - March 22, 2013 at 04:01 AM

AS

“ *All of Keith's friends at Tremblay & Smith purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Josephine Adkins Pruett.*



All of Keith's friends at Tremblay & Smith - March 21, 2013 at 07:31 PM

LI

“ *We are so sorry for your loss....Aunt Josephine will surey be missed... You are all in our prayers.... Love to all you...Clarence Jr. and Linda Robinette*

lindarobinette - March 21, 2013 at 06:45 PM

SC

“ *Shirley Conn purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Josephine Adkins Pruett.*



Shirley Conn - March 21, 2013 at 06:37 PM