



Virginia W. Waterman

September 28, 1926 - April 6, 2015

Virginia W. Waterman, 88, of Iron Mountain, died Wed. April 6, 2015 at Dickinson County Memorial Hospital. She was born on Sept. 28, 1926, in Orangeburg, SC, the daughter of the late Willie and Fannie (Summer) Wiles.

She married Patrick Waterman on Aug. 18, 1945 in Orangeburg. He preceded her in death in 2001. Virginia moved Iron Mountain in 2010.

Virginia was a Jehovah's Witness. She enjoyed gardening, flowers, sewing, and quilting.

She is survived by four children Linda (David) Fornetti of Norway, Beverly (Jim) Alfonso of Antigo, WI, Ford (Vicki) Waterman of Kingsford, and David "Bruce" (Elaine) Waterman of Galt, CA, one brother W.D. (Catherine) Wiles of Georgia, two half-sisters Joyce (John) Collins of Branchville, SC and Jewell (Robert) McClellan of Cordova, SC, nine grandchildren Sandra "Tom" Tollefson, Sara (Erik) Kleiman, Amy (Randy) Jackson, Tony (Christine) Alfonso, Tanya (Dennis) Dal Santo, Tara (Scott) Person, Christa (Craig) Hollander, Lance (Sarah) Waterman, and Russell (Abby) Waterman, twenty-one great grandchildren Aidan, Kiernan, Fiona, and Riley Tollefson; Amanda, Jurgen, Anja, and Jaeger Kleiman; Wyatt Jackson; Gianna Alfonso; Dylan, Tori, and Lexi Dal Santo; Austin and Abby Person; Faith, Sean, and Mercy Hollander; Cody and Lukas Waterman, and Brandon Waterman, and many

nieces and nephews.

Virginia was preceded in death by her step mother Mattie Wiles, and brothers and sisters Bill Wiles, Dannie Wiles, Vernelle Wiles, Mag Smoak, Eldon Wiles, Ada Jean Garrett, Margie Howell, Willis Wiles, and Doris Jackson.

At Virginia's request, there will not be any services.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Virginia W. Waterman online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com.

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“*Mrs. Waterman rented my grandmothers house in my side yard for several years. She was a dear lady who brighted the yard with beautiful flowers. She once found a ceramic red bird digging in the dirt and saved it for me, believing that it once belonged to my granny. I will always remember her kindness. She was a beautiful soul who enhanced this earth just by being a part of it. It was an honor to share a part of life with her. Blessings, Lane Woodward Orangeburg, South Carolina*

Lane Woodward - April 27, 2015 at 11:17 AM

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“*Lane Woodward lit a candle in memory of Virginia W. Waterman*



Lane Woodward - April 27, 2015 at 10:59 AM

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“*I grew up in Branchville, and knew Virginia very well, she grew up in the Cattle Creek community..she was a few years older than I, but we both prominated during the Cattle Creek Camp ground...great times were had, and I remember her well. My sincere and heart felt condolences go out to the entire family, yes, I also knew Margie, and most of her sisters and brothers. She was very closely related to the Summers family, also the Rickenbacker family. I had not seen her since we were children together..happy memories I remember well! Colleen Newsome Jolly, Bamberg, SC*

Colleen Newsome Jolly - April 22, 2015 at 09:11 AM

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“*Ford, Vickie and family - Just a note to let you know you have our sympathy for the loss of your mother/grandmother. It's hard to lose a loved one. We can take comfort in the knowledge that they are now walking among the angels in heaven. May God bless you and give you peace in this time of sorrow. Lynn & Ken Stohl*



Lynn Bouffiou Stohl - April 08, 2015 at 07:06 PM