



Bernice Worsham Doss

March 9, 1926 - June 22, 2013

Bernice Worsham Doss, 87, formerly of Altavista and Heritage Towers of Danville died Saturday, June 22, 2013 at Eden Estates of Eden, NC. She was the wife of the late William Thomas Doss.

She was born March 9, 1926 in Pittsylvania County, a daughter of the late Robert Walter Worsham and Lucy Montgomery Worsham and a member of New Prospect Baptist Church.

She is survived by four daughters, Elizabeth Kane of Hawaii, Janie Kathrine (Kay) May of Charlotte, NC, Jean Slempe and her husband Charles of Big Stone Gap and Frieda Starkey of Danville; nine grandchildren, Michael Adkins and his life partner Robin Ices, Stephanie Anderson and her husband Ryan, Allison Emerson and her husband Scott, Chuck Slempe and his wife Erin, Wes Slempe and his wife Sarah, Andrew Slempe and his wife Cara, Hunter Slempe, Lexie Rodriguez-Slempe, and Andy Rodriguez-Slempe; and six great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Lacey Worsham and Alan Worsham; and a sister, Lula Mae Francis.

A funeral service will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 26, 2013 at Finch and Finch Chapel, Altavista by the Rev. Bob Yeaman with interment

to follow at Altavista Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 6-7:30 p.m., Tuesday at Finch and Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista and other times at the residence of her daughter, Frieda Starkey, 111 Forest Ct., Danville.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider Danville Life Saving Crew, 202 Christopher Ln., Danville, VA 24541 or online contributions at www.disc.org.

Cemetery Details

Altavista Memorial Park

642 Wards Road
Altavista, VA 24517

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **25**. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

Finch and Finch, Altavista
809 Main St.
Altavista, VA 24517

Funeral Service

JUN **26**. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Finch and Finch Chapel
809 Main St.
Altavista, VA 24517

Tribute Wall

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“ To the family of Bernice W. Doss. Bernice was a sweet, nice lady. Haven't seen her for years but always remember her. Sorry I didn't get to funeral and to see the family because I was out of town at the time. She will be missed and loved by all that knew her.
Clara Childress

Clara Childress - July 08, 2013 at 12:23 PM

NW

“ Nina Darlene Wright White lit a candle in memory of Bernice Worsham Doss



Nina Darlene Wright White - June 27, 2013 at 05:49 AM

NW

Bernice was my Grandma "Lula Mae's" Sister. I remember her well though its been some years now. She was always the sweetest, kindest lady, spoke with such a soft voice. She will be loved and missed by all. (For those who haven't realized this too...she actually passed away on Grandma's birthday)

Nina Darlene Wright White - June 27, 2013 at 05:52 AM

MB

“ Mona Bennett lit a candle in memory of Bernice Worsham Doss



Mona Bennett - June 26, 2013 at 08:12 AM



“ *Robert Finch lit a candle in memory of Bernice Worsham Doss*



Robert Finch - June 25, 2013 at 07:37 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Bernice Worsham Doss.*



June 25, 2013 at 12:58 PM



“ *Trey Finch lit a candle in memory of Bernice Worsham Doss*



Trey Finch - June 25, 2013 at 11:07 AM