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flowers were other favorites of hers.

Those who are left to cherish her memory are her daughters and sons-in-law, Cindy and Clay Williams of Florence, SC, Susan Canipe of Morven and Beth and Barry Ricketts of Southern Pines; her grandchildren, Callie Huneycutt (Greg) of Pinehurst and Michael Ricketts (Ashlyn) of Vass; and her great-grandchildren, Merritt Jane Huneycutt and Andie Paige Huneycutt.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband James Harding "Jim" Canipe and by her brothers, Harry Treadaway and Bill Treadaway.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church, 117 Third St., Cheraw, SC 29520 or to Hospice Haven at Richmond County Hospice, 1119 N US 1 Hwy, Rockingham, NC 28379.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home and online condolences may be made at www.leavittfh.com.

Mrs. Emma Jean Lowry

On Wednesday, December 11, 2024, Mrs. Emma Jean Lowry, 91, passed away peacefully at McWhorter Hospice House in Monroe.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, December 17, 2024, in the Chapel of Leavitt Funeral Home in Wadesboro. Interment followed in Anson Memorial Park. The family greeted friends prior to the service Tuesday at the funeral home.

Emma Jean was born July 17, 1933, in Anson County, and was a daughter of the late Clarence Benjamin Gaddy and the late Janie Viola Short Gaddy. She was a member of the last graduating class of Deep Creek High School and was the only girl in the class. It was during her school days that she met the love of her life, John Alexander Lowry, who was in her graduating class as well. She and her sister Iris were a part of a radio program on WADE Radio in Wadesboro when they were young ladies.

She owned and operated Arrow Realty in Simpsonville, SC, driving to Simpsonville for the work week and back home to Norwood for the weekends. Following retirement, she worked with the Stanly County School System as a substitute teacher in the Norwood area schools.

Those who are left to cherish her memory are her sons and daughters-in-law, Tim and Kelly Lowry of Mt. Gilead and Jimmy and Linda Lowry of Norwood; and her grandchildren, Cory Lowry (Megan) of Locust, Tyler Lowry (Shayla) of Aquadale, and Will Lowry and Emily Lowry, both of Norwood.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband John Lowry and by her sisters, Iris Sellers and Myrtle Lee Hildreth.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice of Union County, 700 W. Roosevelt Blvd., Monroe, NC 28110.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home and online condolences may be made at www.leavittfh.com.

Mr. Carl Herbert Taylor

On Thursday, December 12, 2024, Mr. Carl Herbert Taylor, 89, passed away peacefully at Anson Health and Rehab in Wadesboro.

Funeral services were held on Monday, December 16, 2024, at Hopewell Methodist Church with Rev. Patrick Ledford officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery. The family greeted friends prior to the service in the church fellowship hall on Monday.

Herbert was born January 22, 1935, in Anson County, and was a son of the late Carl Brinkman Taylor and the late Gladie Kiker Taylor. He was a graduate of Burnsville High School and had retired from Little Cotton Manufacturing in Wadesboro.

He was a lifelong member of Hopewell Methodist Church. He enjoyed gardening and farming and always looked forward to reading the Charlotte Observer every day. He had read the Bible through multiple times.

Those who are left to cherish his memory are his children, Patricia Conklin (Terry), Rodney Taylor (Bink) and Becky Taylor, all of Peachland; his daughter-in-law Terri "Punk" Wright of Wadesboro; his grandchildren, David Conklin (Claire), Kevin Conklin (Meleah) and Jeremy Taylor (Whitney) all of Polkton, Neal Conklin (Jessica) of Wadesboro, Sarah Taylor (Heather) and Brian Taylor (Laurie), all of Albemarle, and Anthony John (Sarah) of Peachland; his great-grandchildren, Brayden Conklin, Ada Conklin, John Neal Conklin, Reese Conklin, Blaise Conklin, Archer Conklin, Silas Conklin, Maddux Conklin, Remi Kate Conklin, Kaylee Thompson, Steven Howell, Peyton Howell, Holden Taylor, Merritt Taylor, Easton Taylor, Mason Taylor and Skye Taylor; his great-great-grandchildren, Korrina Thompson, Kenneth Thompson, Aerial Thompson; his sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Gladys Taylor of Lumberton, Vicky Taylor of Texas, Betty Pope (Jerry) and Carson Cox (Alice), all of Polkton and Ila Mae Barwig of Mt. Gilead; and his nieces and nephews and their families.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife Frances Cox Taylor; his son Arnold Taylor and by his brothers Kirby Taylor and Roger Taylor.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hopewell Methodist Church, 1715 Hopewell Church Rd., Peachland, NC 28133.

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Mrs. Betty Treadaway Canipe

On Friday, December 13, 2024, Mrs. Betty Treadaway Canipe, 94, passed away peacefully at Richmond County Hospice Haven in Rockingham with her family at her bedside.

Services were held on Tuesday, December 17, 2024, by the graveside in Pleasant Hill Cemetery in McFarlan with Rev. Keith Stewart officiating.

The family greeted friends following the service at the cemetery.

Betty was born November 15, 1930, in Anson County, and was a daughter of the late Randolph Treadaway and the late Elsie May Greene Treadaway. She was a graduate of Wadesboro High School and Pfeiffer Junior College. Following graduation from Pfeiffer she enrolled in Presbyterian School of Nursing in Charlotte where she received a degree as a Registered Nurse.

She worked in nursing for more than 30 years with most of that time spent at Chesterfield General Hospital in Cheraw, SC and Anson County Hospital in Wadesboro. Her nursing career not only was in hospitals, she also worked for a period of time as plant nurse in manufacturing plants in the area, private duty and home care situations. Her nursing was also a gift to others in her community.

Betty was long-time member of First United Methodist Church, Cheraw, SC and very active in the United Methodist Women.

She dearly loved her family and especially time shared with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She enjoyed decorating her home for all seasons and special occasions. Watching and feeding the birds and having plants and beautiful

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