

FLOREAL BEARERS

Nieces

PALL BEARERS

Nephews

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT'S

The family acknowledges, with grateful appreciation, the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown during the sad hours that are now passing. May God richly bless and keep each of you.

Arrangements by:

~FARRAR FUNERAL SERVICES~

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~HOMEGOING CELEBRATION~

For

Mrs. Merrial A. Cheek

August 20, 1917

May 16, 2006



Friday, May 19, 2006

3:00pm

Coxes Chapel United Methodist Church

Ramseur, North Carolina

Rev. Roger Green, Pastor, Officiate



~ORDER OF SERVICE~

Hymn.....Choir

Scripture.....Old Testament

Reverend Mattie Walden

New Testament

Reverend Gennell Wilkerson

Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend Mary Jernigan

Song.....Mrs. Jeannie Alston

Acknowledgements.....Mrs. Jacqueline Headen

Obituary.....Mrs. Judy Ware

Remarks.....Mr. Eddie Mason

Family & Friends

Song.....Choir

Eulogy.....Reverend Roger Green

Song.....Choir

Recessional

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Interment  
Church Cemetery

*SHE IS GONE*

*You can shed tears that she is gone  
or  
you can smile because she has lived.*

*You can close your eyes and pray that she'll come back,  
or  
you can open your eyes and see all she's left.*

*Your heart can be empty because you can't see her  
or  
you can be full of the love you shared.*

*You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday  
or  
you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday.*

*You can remember her and only that she's gone  
or  
you can cherish her memory and let it live on.*

*You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back,  
or  
you can do what she'd want: smile, open your eyes, love and go on.*

~UNKNOWN~

*~OBITUARY~*

On the 16<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2006, Merrial A. Cheek was called to her glorious home to be with her Lord and Savior. She celebrated a fruitful life of 88 years.

Merrial was a diligent member of Coxes United Methodist Church until her departure. She served as a Deaconess, an usher, a kitchen helper, and a choir member. She was the oldest member of Coxes Chapel.

She retired from Chatham Novelty with over 30 years of servitude. She was also employed with Townsend for a number of years.

Merrial was united in Holy Matrimony in 1939 to Walter Cheek who preceded her in death in 1998. Out of that union four children were born. She is survived by two daughters: Betty Rogers and Jean Mason, both of Siler City, NC; three sisters Hazel Brooks, Doris Brown (Fred) both of Siler City, NC, Margaret Jones of Alexandria, Va.; five sisters-in-law: Grace Edwards of Siler City, NC; Margaret Edwards of Siler City, NC, Celia Brown of Coleridge, NC, Pauline Hardy of Wilson, NC, and Callie Waddell of Sanford, NC; one brother-in-law: Jimmy Herring of Dudley, NC; five grandchildren: Kenneth Cheek (Stephanie) of Pittsboro, NC, Michael Cheek (Marjorie) of Franklinville, NC, Pandora Mason of Siler City, NC, Eddie Mason (Sonya) of Sterling, Va., and James Mason of Downingtown, Pa.; seven great-grandchildren: Chelsey, Coty, Desmond, Rasheed, Tyler, Sydney, and Elisha; a special neighbor: Lonnie Glover, and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.

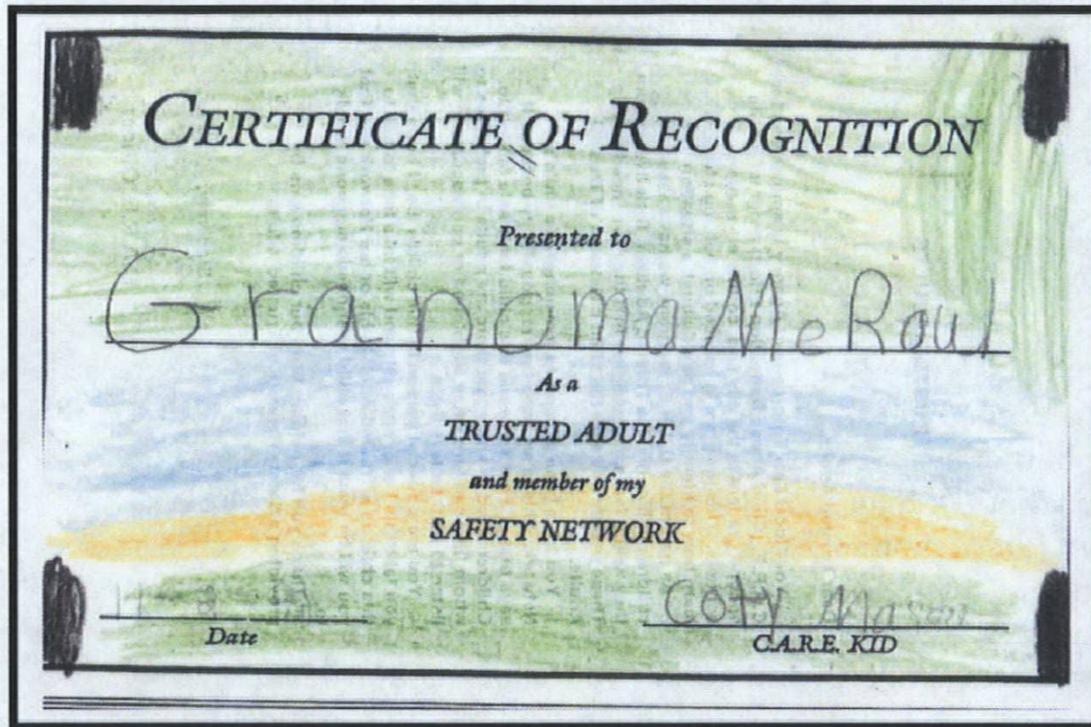
Merrial was a mother to many whether it was her constant "nagging" in order to keep you on the right track or just that dreaded look from her eyes. Either way she was surely known for her wit.

Just the acknowledgement that Merrial will no longer be in pain and will be with her beloved husband, and her Heavenly Father is assurance that "All is Well With Her Soul."



*~Together Again~*

From  
Your Great Grandchildren



*We Love You, and will miss You!!*

Chelsey -  
Coty  
Desmond  
Rasheed  
Tyler  
Sydney  
Elisha



*~And then there was THREE~  
Aunt Hagel Brooks  
Aunt Margaret Jones  
Aunt Doris Brown  
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