



## Dorris Hays

November 2, 1936 - June 3, 2012

Funeral services for Mrs. Dorris Hays are scheduled for 4 PM, Tuesday, June 5, 2012 at Living Water Pentecostal Church. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. Pafford Funeral Home of Lexington is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Hays, of Scotts Hill, passed away peacefully at her home Sunday morning, June 3. Dorris was born on November 2, 1936 in Decatur County to the late Orval Lee Mangrum and Lettie Ruth Mitchell Holman. She married Roy Hays in 1950 and they were longtime residents of Memphis, TN, before moving back to Scotts Hill several years ago. She was a member of Rushing Grove Pentecostal Church. Dorris is survived by her husband of 62 years, Mr. Roy Hays of Scotts Hill, her six children, Kenny (Ann) of Memphis, Johnny (Vicky) of Bartlett, Eddy (Peggy) also of Bartlett, Robby (Tammy) of Arlington, Jessica (Jeremy) Fields of Scotts Hill, 9 grandchildren, and 15 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son, Sammy Hays.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 5. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Living Water United Pentecostal Church  
Scotts Hill, TN

## Service

JUN 5. 4:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Saddened on the passing of Dorris. She was so sweet & kind to my family. She and my dad (John Rogers) were cousins. We got to know our cousins when they'd come from Memphis to visit Arb & Lettie when we were kids. Dale enjoyed playing baseball with the boys as kids. Enjoyed seeing Doris and Bo at the Rogers reunions in recent years. I know the deep hurt & sadness on Sammy's passing was so very hard and unbearable. Just want to let the boys & Bo know you're in our thoughts & prayers.##imported-begin##Dale & Regina Moody##imported-end##

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June 08, 2012 at 06:01 PM



“ My deepest sympathies to the family in the loss of your beloved Mrs. Hays. May the fond memories shared bring comfort during this time of grief and pain.  
( Isaiah 25:8)##imported-begin##A. Jackson##imported-end##

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June 06, 2012 at 10:04 AM



“ Im saddened by the passing of Mrs.Hays,I had the pleasure of knowing her for a very long time. I will miss her she will forever be in our hearts. May she rest in peace.##imported-begin##Kimberly Roe##imported-end##

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June 05, 2012 at 04:05 PM



“ So sorry to hear about Dorris. God bless you Bo and family.##imported-begin##Bill & Barbara Barnhill##imported-end##

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June 04, 2012 at 07:07 PM



“ Things my Granny Hays taught me:

-A spit bath is just as good as a real bath as long as everyone sees that your face is clean.

-A spit bath can also be given to children in the backseat of a car while the bather is driving said car.

-A long arm is just as good as a seat belt for 2 girls standing in the front seat of the car.

-Candy runs to the local gas station are best if after midnight....and only if you buy candy cigarettes.

-Shucking corn and shelling peas is best in a screened in porch with country music playing in the background.

-There is never TOO much salt in chicken gravy,

-Biscuit and Gravy eating contests are best if they are held in Granny Eddy's little country kitchen in Scotts Hill, TN.

-A girl's first unmentionables are always best given to her at her birthday party in front of everyone. :)

-Always have Angel Food ice cream in your freezer.

-Playing Yahtzee all by yourself all night is just as fun if not more fun than playing with other people.

-Marriage is forever...stick it out. She did for 62 years.

-Make the best of the hand that is dealt to you in life.

-Love all people like they were your own family.

-Never shave your legs above your knee----you'll get cancer.

-The best form of birth control is an aspirin. Hold it between your knees and NEVER let it drop.

-Be the kind of wife and mother that your children and husband can adore---even on your bad days.

Because Roy and Dorris got married 62 years ago....I am here.

What a legacy they both have created. ....6 kids, 9 grand kids, 15 great-grandchildren, and a host of adopted sons and daughters. All because two people fell in love....

Go hug your grandparents if you still have them. Cause I am sure not ready to start losing mine.....##imported-begin##Mandy Hays##imported-end##

June 04, 2012 at 06:19 PM



“ I was only a "Hays" by marriage for a few years, but from the day we met, I was part of her family. She never treated me like an "ex"daughter-in-law. I was her daughter-in-law period - paragraph. I didn't make a point to see her much the last few years, but everytime I talked to Amanda, I asked about her & Papaw. We had some great times and I am honored to be a part of Dorris's family. Don't know what I would have done at times without her and Papaw. Dorris, you will be remembered by so many people. Papaw, Kenny, Johnny, Eddy, Robby & Jessica, Chris, Cortney, Kelly, Amanda, Chris, Freddy, Blaine & Drew as well as the great-grandchildren, you are in my thoughts & prayers.##imported-begin##Traci Barnhill Hays Perkins##imported-end##

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June 04, 2012 at 04:39 PM