

NORA TANKERSLEY

Birth: Jul. 11, 1919 Dungannon, Scott County, Virginia, USA
Death: May 3, 2013 LaGrange, Troup County, Georgia, USA

Nora Ethel Hartsock Tankersley, 93, of LaGrange passed away Friday, May 3, 2013 at LaGrange Nursing and Rehabilitation.

Mrs. Tankersley was born July 11, 1919 in Dungannon, VA, daughter of the late Arris Bartley Hartsock and Sallie Dingus Hartsock. She had lived in LaGrange since 1983 and was a member of East Vernon Baptist Church. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Robert V. Tankersley, three sisters, Leona Stewart, Eva Cunningham, and Helen Hartsock, and two brothers, Hubert Hartsock and Carnel Hartsock.

Mrs. Tankersley began her career in the garment and stitching industry in 1936 with Fox Knapp Garment Company in St. Paul, VA. She served as a consultant with Kurt Salmon Associates, Inc and Industrial Management Consultants from 1939 through 1943 and also from 1957 through 1959. Mrs. Tankersley and her husband began their own consulting business, Tankersley and Tankersley, where they specialized in the needle trade industry until he passed away in 1956. After the passing of her husband, she began her employment with Roydon Wear, Inc. in 1959 and because of her widely diversified experience and high qualifications in the stitching and needle trade industry she was appointed Director of Manufacturing in 1971 and directed all phases of stitching and finishing in the McRae, Reidsville, and Mt. Vernon Plants and the Roydon Wear, Inc. Mrs. Tankersley retired December 31, 1981.

Survivors include her daughter and son-in-law, Beverley and Jack Wetherington, Jr. of LaGrange; two grandsons and one granddaughter-in-law, Burns and Francis Wetherington of Kennesaw, GA and Bobby Wetherington of LaGrange; two great granddaughters, Kalieann Wetherington and Amelia Wetherington; one brother, W. B. Hartsock of Kingsport, TN; numerous nieces and nephews; and adopted family, Gene and Bonita Bishop and family.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 A.M. Wednesday, May 8, 2013 in the Chapel of Striffler-Hamby Mortuary. A private burial will follow in Shadowlawn Cemetery. The gathering of family and friends will be on Wednesday from 10:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.

Family links:

Parents:

[Arris Bartley Hartsock \(1879 - 1962\)](#)

[Sallie *Dingus* Hartsock \(1889 - 1985\)](#)

Sibling:

[Nora *Hartsock* Tankersley \(1919 - 2013\)](#)

[Eva *Hartsock* Cunningham \(1920 - 2010\)**](#)

*[Calculated relationship](#)

**Half-sibling

Burial:

[Shadowlawn Cemetery](#)

LaGrange

Troup County

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