



## Tonya Cornelius Rape-Stoner

June 22, 1942 - July 7, 2010

Mrs. Tonya Cornelius Rape-Stoner, 68, of Spencer, passed away Wednesday, July 07, 2010 at her residence.

Born June 22, 1942 in Catawba County, she was the daughter of the late Forest Troutman Cornelius, Jr., and Ruth Self Cornelius. She graduated from North Rowan High School, and attended Salisbury Business College, Rowan Technical Community College and Central Piedmont Community College. She worked as a secretary at First Union National Bank, NC Federal Savings & Loan, and Robert Bare Associates.

Mrs. Stoner attended Mt. Moriah Lutheran Church in Landis and Central United Methodist Church. She was a member of the Spencer Women's Club.

Those left to cherish her memory are her husband, Thomas Ray Stoner, Sr., whom she married June 22, 1995; one son, Charles "Chuck" Rape of Spencer and Hickory; one step-son, Thomas Ray Stoner, Jr. of Pageland, SC; one daughter, Jennifer Hancock (Neil) of China Grove; one step-daughter, Patricia Ann Simpson (Steve) of Indian Trail, NC; one sister, Rita Kimball of Fort Wells, FL; two grandchildren, and two step-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held Friday, July 9, 2010 at 11:00 AM at Central United Methodist Church with the Rev. Ross O'Neal officiating.

The family will receive friends following the service at their home at 301 Fourth Street Spencer, NC 28159.

Memorials may be made to Central United Methodist Church 200 Fourth Street Spencer, NC 28159 or to China Grove Middle School – Relay for Life 1013 N. Main Street China Grove, NC 28023.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Rape-Stoner family. Online condolences may be made at [www.summersettfuneralhome.com](http://www.summersettfuneralhome.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ I'm sorry for your loss. I see the pain that my mother feels over losing her husband (my father) so I can understand your pain. Death is never easy to accept which is why it's called an enemy in the Bible at First Corinthians 15:26. But Jesus gave us a hope in the Bible at John 11:25: "I am the resurrection and the life. He that exercises faith in me, even though he dies, will come to life." So, we will be able to see our loved ones again by means of the resurrection. Then we will never have to lose them again. Why can we say that? Because God has promised us this in the Bible at such scriptures as Isaiah 25:8, Isaiah 26:19, and Revelation 21:3-5. Isn't this good news? Please read these scriptures in your own Bible. Sincerely, Rosemarie###imported-begin###Rosemarie###imported-end##

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“ Tommy~  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of sorrow. May God give you the peace that only he can during this time. Sorry we could not make it but Aunt Barbara has been sick. If there is anything we can do, please let us know.###imported-begin###Barbara Stoner/Pam Bollinger###imported-end##

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“ so sorry for your lost. ms. tonya was a very special lady with a kind heart. she was loved and will be missed. if ya'll need anything just let us know.###imported-begin###rebecca short###imported-end##

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“ *Jenny, Chuck & Tommy we mourn your loss. We cherish our great memories of good times. May God bless you.##imported-begin##Lou & Lester Honeycutt##imported-end##*

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