



## Frances Hinchee Stearns

January 12, 2020

Frances Hinchee Stearns, 76, of Woodbridge Virginia, has passed away peacefully with her loved ones surrounding her on January 12th 2020 at 2:21 PM.

Frances was born in Grundy Virginia, on August 20th 1943. She graduated from Garden High School in Oakwood Virginia, and continued her education a number of years later to become a Hair Stylist. She was able to work from the comforts of home for many years before retirement. She enjoyed spending time with her loved ones, dancing, and she had such a love for food!

She was blessed to have had two great men in her life to share love and memories. Her first husband Harvey Hinchee Sr. was the loving father to their three children, he retired from 711 and passed away July of 2010. Her second husband, James Stearns was retired Navy, he had a love of photography and passed away April of 2018.

Frances is survived by her children, Harvey Hinchee Jr. And Lynette Nunn; grandchildren, Shawn (Ashley) Nunn, Tiffany (Brandon) Stempa, and Michael Hinchee; great-grandchildren, Austin Nunn, Skyler Nunn, Bryce Stempa, Bradley Stempa and Aubrey Nunn; siblings, Nancy (Buddy) Duty, Harold (Dorothy) Cooke, Maryann Bartram, Jean (Larry) Kline, Lawonne (Ira) Gibson, Kay Cook, and Leslie (Joan) Cook; also survived by her 9 nieces, 6 nephews

and countless cousins and friends.

She is preceded in death by her parents Hazel Hart and Gaston Cook; siblings, Carlos Cook and Robert Cook; and her beloved son Scottie Hinchee.

The Viewing will be held at Miller Funeral Home on Sunday, January 26, 2020 from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM and 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM. The funeral service will be officiated by Minister David Moshier and the Pallbearers will be Son- Harvey Hinchee Jr., Grandson- Shawn Nunn, Nephew- Shane Jewett, Newpew- Harold Boyd, Nephew by marriage- Pete Celio, Nephew by marriage- Nicholas Oldewurtel and will be held at Miller Funeral Home, Monday January 27, 2020 at 11:00 AM, followed immediately by interment at Dumfries Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Dumfries Cemetery

17821 Mine Road  
Dumfries, VA 22026

# Previous Events

## Viewing

JAN 26. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc.  
3200 Golansky Blvd.  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Frances Hinchee Stearns*

January 12, 2023 at 12:00 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy to Fran's family.  
I met her a long time ago at the VFW before  
she married Jim, always fun to be around her.  
So sorry!*



**anneliese sargent** - January 26, 2020 at 07:14 PM



“ *Fran, your love for your family will live forever.  
Your smile has left a mark on our memory  
that will never be forgotten.  
Mike, Barbara, Shelly and Diana Sizemore*



**Mike Sizemore** - January 26, 2020 at 09:58 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family  
of Frances Hinchee Stearns.*



January 25, 2020 at 12:53 PM

4F

“ 4604 Home Depot Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Frances Hinchee Stearns.



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**4604 Home Depot Family** - January 24, 2020 at 03:03 PM



“ A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Frances Hinchee Stearns.



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January 24, 2020 at 07:29 AM

JR

“ Sorry to hear about the loss of a long time friend.



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**Janice Rose** - January 23, 2020 at 06:58 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frances Hinchee Stearns.



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January 23, 2020 at 03:56 PM



“ 10 files added to the album Memories Album



Miller Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc. - January 23, 2020 at 03:22 PM



“ Maryann Bartram, & Chris & Lisa Bouthner & family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Frances Hinchee Stearns.



Maryann Bartram, & Chris & Lisa Bouthner & family - January 23, 2020 at 10:25 AM



“ Aunt Darlene, Uncle Dick, David and Brian purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Frances Hinchee Stearns.



Aunt Darlene, Uncle Dick, David and Brian - January 23, 2020 at 09:51 AM

EK

“ Frances was a lovely sweet girl that I remember well. We grew up in a small community in southwest VA. and attended the same high school. Many good memories of those years. May she rest in peace.

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**Elsie Dee Kreutter** - January 22, 2020 at 10:00 PM

SJ

“ I was so sorry to hear of her passing. Frances and Harvey were the first people we met when our young family moved to Woodbridge (I was 4 years old). I have many fond memories of the years we had together. So sad that they are now both gone. My sincere condolences to the family. May she rest in peace.

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**Suzette Jones** - January 22, 2020 at 07:44 PM

CK

“ I am so sorry to hear of Fran's passing. My condolences to her family and friends. I remember first meeting Fran at her wedding to Jim, her second husband. My mother was a first cousin and there were many years afterwards that our families got together. Those are sweet memories!

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**Celeste Kacedan** - January 22, 2020 at 07:26 PM

DW

We have many happy memories of family times together with my brother Harvey, Frances, Harvey Lynette and Scottie. We are saddened and ask God for comfort and strength for the family. Love, Aunt Darlene and Uncle Dick David and Brian

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**Darlene Hinchee Wilson** - January 22, 2020 at 08:24 PM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Frances Hinchee Stearns.*



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January 22, 2020 at 06:42 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Frances passing. I guess the last time we saw each other was when she came to my daughters wedding in 2004. She was a very friendly and outgoing person. I never knew her when she wasn't wearing a smile. We grew up together and attended high school at Garden together. We were first cousins. She will be missed by all. Tom McGlothlin, Bristol, TN*

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**Thomas Dale McGlothlin** - January 22, 2020 at 04:57 PM