



Mrs. Ruth Brands Conner

August 9, 1916 - July 31, 2016

Ruth Brands Conner, 99, died peacefully in her sleep on Sunday, July 31, 2016 at Trinity Oaks' Virginia Casey Unit in Salisbury, NC.

Born August 9, 1916, in Scio, NY, Mrs. Conner was a daughter of the late Ernest and Maude Flint Brands. She was educated at Scio Central School, and was a member of the class of 1935.

She married Harvey Conner on July 12, 1941, and was a resident of Scio, NY for 81 years. She was employed as secretary of Scio Central School for 12 years, retiring in 1978.

A lifelong member of Scio United Methodist Church, Scio, NY, she was secretary and treasurer of the Church Memorial Fund for 30 years. She was a member of the Belmont, NY Order of the Eastern Star, and served as treasurer of Fairlawn Cemetery Association for many years.

Mrs. Conner and her husband moved to Salisbury in 1997. She attended Milford Hills Methodist Church. She was an avid Bridge player, and continued to play regularly until the age of 95.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 61 years, Harvey Conner, on September 5, 2002.

Mrs. Conner is survived by her sons Donald Conner of Salisbury and Bruce (Marilyn) Conner of Seneca Falls, NY; four grandchildren: Tom (Lauren) Conner of Phoenix, AZ, Colleen (Shawn) Stephens of Salisbury, NC, Bradley (Laura) Conner of Cincinnati, OH, and Deanna (Doug) Gable of Cooperstown, NY; and six great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be conducted at 2 PM – Sunday (August 7) at Summersett Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Carol Williams-Gilbert, minister of Milford Hills United Methodist Church officiating.

The family will receive friends following the memorial service.

Memorials may be made to the Virginia Casey Unit at Trinity Oaks, 820 Klumac Rd., Salisbury, NC 28144.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

Summersett Memorial Chapel
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Visitation

AUG 7. 2:30 PM (ET)

Summersett Funeral Home
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144
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