



Ruth Ellen Kernodle

December 16, 1926 - July 17, 2010

Mrs. Ruth Ellen Randolph Kernodle, 83 of Salisbury passed away Saturday, July 17, 2010 at Genesis Health Care.

She was born December 16, 1926 in Gilford Co. to the late Maggie Elizabeth Cates and Major Lee Randolph. She graduated from Gibsonville High School in Gilford Co.

Mrs. Kernodle was a homemaker and a long time member of Coburn Memorial United Methodist Church, an active member in Women's Society, a former member of the Board of trustees, and she taught in the kindergarten department for several years at Coburn Memorial.

She was preceded in death by six brothers Melvin, Osburne, Wesley, Herman, Jennings, and Tommy Randolph and one sister Ailene Tarvin.

Those left to cherish her memory her husband of 62 years William "Bill" Kernodle married May 16, 1948, one daughter Emily Connolly and husband Roger of Wading River, NY, three grandchildren April Zay and husband Brian of Hamilton, NJ, Wendy Mullikin and husband Ethan of Santa Clara, CA, Brien Connolly and wife Amy of Syracuse, NY, and Great grandson Elijah Zay.

Funeral Service will be held 2:00 pm Wednesday July 21, 2010 at Summersett

Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Annalee Allen officiating burial will follow at City Memorial Park.

Visitation will be held 6-8 pm Tuesday July 20, 2010 at Summersett Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to Coburn Memorial United Methodist Church 901 South Church St. Salisbury, NC 28144.

Summersett Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ I'm sorry for your loss. I see the pain my mother feels over losing her husband (my father) of 60 years 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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“ to my favorie aunt. please know that you will be missed more then words can say.. i know that u will miss us as much as we will miss you.... but now you are at peace at rainbow bridge waiting on us to come . i know that you had a great reunion with your sister aileen , you mom , dad and all of your brothers.. so dear aunt ruth after the reunion please rest and be at peace love you forever .. you were like a mom to me.. wish i could have come to be with uncle bill and emily at this time.....###imported-begin###jenell garve###imported-end##

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“ To the Kernodle Family,

My deepest sympathy and thoughts are with you.

As a child, your Mother and my Mother (Mary Blankenship) were in the same bridge club and I have wonderful memories from those days. Your Mom made a real impression on me as she was always kind and personable and took the time to make a little kid feel "special".

May it give you comfort to know that your Mom affected a lot of lives in a very positive, meaningful way.

Prayers to your family.

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