



## Laura Ann Torkelson

January 16, 1921 - April 29, 2015

Laura Torkelson, age 94 years, of Greenbrier, TN passed away at her daughter's home in Killeen, Texas on Wednesday, April 29, 2015. She was born January 16, 1921 the daughter of the late Hans Jarnes and Laura Davnes Jarnes. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 67 years, Oscar Torkelson; 2 sisters and their spouses, Betty Holbrook & Alice Ellstrom; brothers and their spouses, Peter, Swen, Norman, Hoaken & Carl Jarnes.

A Celebration of her life will be held on Wednesday, May 6, 2015, 2:00PM, at Austin & Bell Funeral Home, Greenbrier Chapel with Pastor Dick Harbour & Pastor William Little officiating. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother & great grandmother. She was a teacher and long time member of Ridgetop Seventh Day Adventist Church. She was a soft-spoken, loving woman of great faith.

She is survived by her children and their spouses, Jack & Liz Torkelson, Greenbrier, TN & Jill & Dick Harbour, Killeen, TX; 5 grandchildren, Andrew (Leslie) Torkelson, Walden (McKenzie) Torkelson, Leslie (Laura) Camacho, Alan (Esther) Camacho, Kristina (Tyler) Rettler; 7 great grandchildren, Katelyn, Sophia, Alana, Ethan, Noah, Violet & Peyton Jo.

Friends may visit with the family on Tuesday, May 5, 2015 from 3-8PM and on

Wednesday, May 6, 2015 prior to the service from 12-2PM.

Final resting place will be at Greenbrier Cemetery with Elder Morgan Hellgren, Elder Doug Armantrout, Gary Fisher, Leslie Camacho, Alan Camacho, Andrew Teton Torkelson, Larry Kelly, Keith Ellstrom, Ken Ellstrom serving as pallbearers. Honorary Pallbearers, Dennis & Phyllis Lane, Gary and Alice Zimmerman, Timothy Walden Torkelson.

The family requests donations are made "In Memory of Laura Torkelson" to the Sanctuary Piano Fund of the Temple Church in Killeen, TX, C/O Austin & Bell Funeral Home, 2619 Hwy 41 South, Greenbrier, TN 37073.

# Cemetery Details

## Greenbrier Cemetery

Greenbrier Cemetery Rd  
Greenbrier, TN 37073

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 5. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Greenbrier  
2619 Hwy 41 S  
Greenbrier, TN 37073  
(615) 643-4000  
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## Visitation

MAY 6. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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## Celebration of Life

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MAY 6. 2:00 PM (CT)

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## Interment

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MAY 6. 3:00 PM (CT)

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