



Mary Sikes Meredith

August 9, 1910 - June 14, 2015

Mary Sikes Meredith passed away June 14 at the Christian Care Center in Springfield. She was 104 years old.

Mrs. Meredith was preceded in death by her husband, Jules B. Meredith; an infant, Thomas E Meredith; and four siblings. She is survived by two daughters, Corinne (Jim) Balthrop of Springfield, and Lisa (Wendell) Van Landingham of Ocala, Florida. Also surviving is a stepson, J. Blair Meredith of Fayetteville, North Carolina, five grandchildren and ten great grandchildren.

Mrs. Meredith was born in Greensboro, North Carolina on August 9, 1910, as Mary Elizabeth Sikes. She went to get a degree in music at UNCG and taught piano, chorus, choir and voice at various times in her life. After marrying in 1944, she and her husband eventually settled in Memphis. She lived there until 1982 when she moved to Springfield. She was a Methodist.

In lieu of flowers gifts can be made to the Gorham MacBane Capital Fund or the Gorham MacBane Large Print Library.

The family wishes to thank many of her sitters through out her decline. Special thanks to the loving attention she received from the staff at Christian Care Center.

Visitation will be Saturday, June 20, 2015 from 1pm until the hour of service at 3pm. Burial will be at 4:00pm, Monday, June 22, 2015 at Fairview Cemetery, Trinity, North Carolina.

Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield, Tennessee in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **20**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield
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Springfield, TN 37172
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Funeral Service

JUN **20**. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of *Mary Sikes Meredith*.



June 18, 2015 at 01:40 PM



“ *37 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Austin & Bell Funeral Home - June 18, 2015 at 09:43 AM



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“ *Miss Mary was a wonderful lady who excelled in many things. She loved her piano, her home , most of all her family. She loved playing bridge and most of the time beat all who played with her. She was a very gracious lady with joyful outlook on live. She loved her family and was delighted over talking about each of them and especially when a new baby joined the family. She has been missed since she entered the nursing home but now it will be an even greater feeling of loss for us neighbors.*

To Corrine and Lisa and their families I offer you my most humble sympathy. But we all know if there a piano in heaven she is running her fingers up and down that keyboard or is trying get up a bridge game.

*With much love and respect,
Mary Sue Head*

Mary Sue Head - June 16, 2015 at 11:20 AM