



## Ruth Roark

February 10, 1919 - April 26, 2015

Tennie Ruth Roark, age 96, of Springfield, TN, died Sunday, April 26, 2015 at NHC in Springfield. Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday, April 28th, at 11 o'clock am in the chapel of Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield with Bro. Steve Freeman and Tim Felts officiating. Burial will follow in Springfield Memorial Gardens with family and friends serving as pallbearers.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Monday, April 27th, from 4-8:00PM and again on Tuesday from 9:00AM until the hour of service.

Ms. Roark was born February 10, 1919 in Logan County, KY to the late Zachariah Taylor and Lucinda Ellen Scarbrough Swallows. She had been employed at Wilson Sporting Goods before retiring and was a member of Grace Baptist Church.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her daughter, Linda Roark Hand; grandson, Michael Hand; brothers, Clayton Swallows, Joseph Swallows and Russell Swallows; and sisters, Mozella Woodard, Louise Ellis, Martha Satterfield, and Annie Mae Satterfield.

Survivors include her daughters, Cheryl Felts and Sarah (Billy) Bibee, both of Springfield; son-in-law, Billy Wayne Hand of Springfield; grandchildren, Sandra Self, Tim Felts, Kerry Felts, Kelley Anderson, and Russell Bibee;

eleven great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield is in charge of these arrangements.

AUSTIN & BELL FUNERAL HOME-

509 WALNUT STREET, SPRINGFIELD, TN (615) 384-1000

# Cemetery Details

## Springfield Memorial Gardens

Springfield, TN 37172

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 27. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield  
509 Walnut St.  
Springfield, TN 37172  
(615) 384-1000  
<https://austinandbell.com>

## Visitation

APR 28. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ruth Roark.* ”

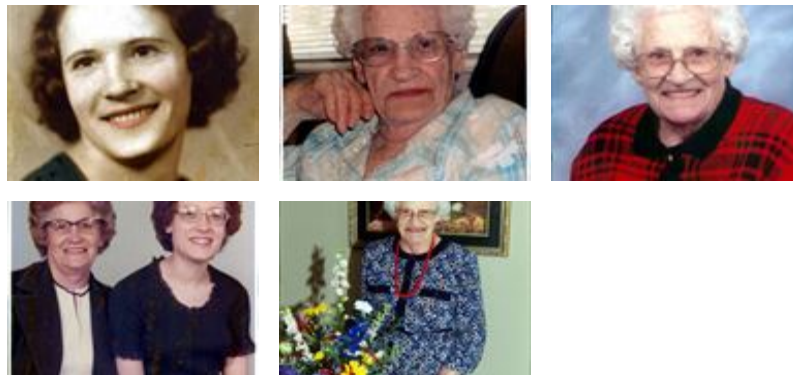


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**Austin & Bell Funeral Home** - April 27, 2015 at 09:10 AM



“ *Christy King Hudson lit a candle in memory of Ruth Roark* ”



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**Christy King Hudson** - April 26, 2015 at 04:13 PM