



Martha Reed

October 28, 1932 - August 12, 2013

Martha Wayne Reed, 80 of Arab died Monday, August 12, 2013 in Marshall Medical Center North.

Mrs. Reed was born October 28, 1932 in Memphis, Tennessee the daughter of Amos and Martha E. Franks. She was a previous resident of Huntsville, but has called Arab her home since 2007. She was retired from and worked in the accounting department at the River Line Barge and Shipping Company; she was a member of Faith Rock Baptist Church.

She is survived by two sons and daughters-in-law: Vincent L. and Cathy Reed of Arab and Clayton P. and Robin Reed of Mississippi; 5 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren; two brothers and sisters-in-law: Jack and Martha Frances Franks and David and Betty Franks; preceded in death by her husband: Leon Patrick Reed (April 21, 2006), her parents: Amos and Martha Franks, a brother: Ross Franks and a sister: Joy Collier.

There will be no local service or visitation.

Funeral service, visitation and burial arrangements are being taken care of by Brantley-Phillips Funeral Home; you may contact them at: 2470 U.S. Hwy 51 – Hernando, MS 38632 (Telephone: 662-429-6262 for more information).

Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel assisted the family locally.

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“ I wanted to let you know how very sorry I am to hear about Martha. She and Pat were a big part of my life when they lived in Huntsville. We met at Twickenham and they became "adopted parents" for us for many years. I will never forget Martha's laugh, her generosity, her fabulous cooking and her many stories that she told. I remember her telling the story of meeting Pat's family for the first time and waking up to the bed covered in snow, which had blown in through the walls of the house! Martha was such a blessing to me and I'm grateful that I had the privilege of knowing her. I'm thankful that she's now in the Lord's arms, and very thankful for her life and her example. May God comfort your family during this tremendous loss.

Carolyn Dodson (formerly Carolyn Horan)

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