



Ouida C O'Barr

August 13, 1935 - February 27, 2015

Ouida O'Barr, 79 of the Scant City area, Arab died Friday, February 27, 2015 in Marshall Medical Center North.

Mrs. O'Barr was born August 13, 1935 in Kilmichael, Mississippi. She graduated as valedictorian from Winona Mississippi High School in 1953. She began work at the Commercial Appeal Newspaper in Memphis, Tennessee. In 1959, she met and married Richard O'Barr in Jackson, Mississippi, at the First Methodist Church. Richard's cousin, Sam Sims, of Union Grove stood up for them. They had three children, Mary Lynne, Michael and Mark.

Ouida worked in Huntsville for Chrysler Corporation and Thiokol Chemical on Redstone Arsenal. She lived with her family in Titusville, Florida; Decatur, Alabama; Atlanta, Georgia; Athens, Georgia; Shreveport, Louisiana and lastly in Arab, Alabama.

She worked as secretary for the school superintendent in Athens, Georgia and as secretary for the communications department at Louisiana State University in Shreveport.

She is survived by her spouse: Dr. Richard D. O'Barr; a daughter: Mary Lynne Wilson (Gordon); two sons: Michael D. O'Barr and R. Mark O'Barr (Jeb); 9 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren and two sisters: Mary Bert Powell and

Estelle Kimsey.

Funeral service will be 10:30 a.m. Sunday, March 1, 2015 at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, Brother Matt Chance, officiating. Burial will be in Hopewell Cemetery, Hanceville, Alabama, Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, directing.

Visitation will be 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. also on Sunday, March 1, 2015 at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel.

Cemetery Details

Hopewell Cemetery (Cullman County)

492 County Road 582
Hanceville, AL 35077

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 1. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel
1340 North Main Street
Arab, AL 35016
(256) 586-4100

Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry for your loss.....

Melanie Risher - March 01, 2015 at 01:30 PM

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Myrna & Charles Burleson (Myrna Heaton)

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