



Mrs. Lena Elizabeth Folsom

March 19, 1949 - July 13, 2014

Mrs. Lena Elizabeth Folsom, age 93, of Shelbyville, formerly of Nashville, passed away Sunday, July 13, 2014.

Funeral services will be 11 AM Tuesday, July 15, 2014, at Feldhaus Memorial Chapel. Reverend Peter vanEys will officiate. Graveside services will be 1 PM Tuesday at Woodlawn Memorial park.

The family will receive visitors 6-8 PM Monday at Feldhaus Memorial Chapel.

Mrs. Folsom was born January 26, 1921, in Leeville, Tennessee, to the late Reverend Charles P. and Willie Lena Brashear Givens. She was a retired Administrative Assistant to the Pharmacist at St. Thomas Hospital. She was an avid supporter of the Nashville Symphony and held membership in Calvary United Methodist Church in Nashville.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 41 years, Albert E. Folsom, three sisters, Ruth Givens (Thomas) Chambliss, Grace Givens (Otto) Dorris, and Claudia Givens (Carl) Anderson.

Survivors include two sisters, Jonnie Givens (Bill) Barnes, of Decatur, GA, and Everette Katherine Givens (Paul) Yates, of Springfield, TN; a nephew, John Paul (Ruth) Yates, of Unionville, nieces; Karen Yates (Shane) Shoemaker, Springfield, TN, Gale (Wayne) DeGray, Atlanta, GA, Carla (Dennis) Evans, and Cindy (Rick) Stanley, and many great nieces and nephews.

Feldhaus Memorial Chapel is assisting the family with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ My husband Kurt Krekel is a great nephew of Al and Elizabeth. He always referred to her as a true southern bell. We always tried to visit Elizabeth in Nashville when we would travel through. Elizabeth was a wonderful person and will be missed. I am sure Uncle Al is very happy to have her back in his arms. Love you both
Nancy Krekel

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“ Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lena Elizabeth Folsom.



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Ruth
Charles
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Yates

“ Elizabeth may not have been my aunt with DNA but we were kindred spirits I loved her fire her spunkiness at her sassiness she was the first member of my husband's family that I ever met and she welcome to me with love and smiles and laughter and I will never forget the welcoming spirit that she had for me. I only wish we would have had more years to care for her she was a pleasure and a joy and she made everybody feel comfortable in their own skin. Every now and then she would get fired up about something she was passionate about. That passion was what made her so special and unique. She made me smile till the day that she passed. We could have all been a better person to be a little bit more like Elizabeth Folsom. Her dimples and her smile her laughter was priceless. I will miss her every time I see a strawberry, blueberry, raspberry or blackberry. We shared them together till her little fingers could no longer hold them. She always was so gracious and appreciated any little kindness that you showed her. I love you Elizabeth. I will miss your stories and your smile. Rest in peace.....I hope you're living it up..up in heaven.

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