



Freda Rose Woods

May 24, 1919 - July 29, 2016

Freda Rose Bornschein Woods, previously of Hindsville, Arkansas, died July 29, 2016 at Baptist Hospice House in Memphis, Tennessee. She was born on May 24, 1919 in Ellsworth, Kansas, the daughter of Herman and Essie Evans Bornschein. She was the salutatorian of her high school class in Ellsworth, and then attended Kansas State Teachers College in Emporia, Kansas, where she was a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority and received a degree in primary education. On September 2, 1944, she married Thomas Edward Woods (January 17, 1919-February 2, 2014), also of Ellsworth, Kansas. They moved to Wichita, Kansas, where he practiced law for seventeen years. In 1962, they retired to a farm near Hindsville, Arkansas with their three daughters. Freda is survived by her three daughters and one son-in-law, Elaine Woods Hansen and Douglas Hansen of Seattle, Washington, Gail Woods Duncan of Memphis, Tennessee and Martha Woods of Houston, Texas; She is also survived by two grandsons, two granddaughters and one great-granddaughter, Justin and Brandy Duncan and their daughter Keara; Seth Duncan and Carrie Billings; and Laura Duncan, all of Memphis, Tennessee and Eva Hansen of Seattle, Washington. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, August 6, 2016, in the chapel of Brashears Funeral Home with The Reverend Les Elam of Hindsville First Baptist Church officiating. Private interment will be in the Buckeye Cemetery under the direction of Brashears Funeral Home www.brashearsfuneralhome.net of Huntsville, Arkansas.

Tribute Wall

KB

“ God Bless her. Your mother was wonderful, so creative, intelligent and capable. A lady of worth, loved even now by one lucky enough to have to know her all those many years ago.

Kerry Boatright Boone - August 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ Hi Elaine, Gail and Martha May God give you peace at this difficult time. Your Mom was the best. She loved Jesus very much. My Mom always appreciated your Mom taking her to church and your Mom's friendship. I still have the bible you Mom gave to my Mom.

Janie Hobson Johnson - August 05, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Elaine, Gail, and Martha, Sending sympathy to you in the loss of your mother. I wish the best for you and all the family.

Mary Watson - August 05, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ Elaine, Gail, Martha and family. We will always have a special place in our heart for Freda. What a blessing she has been in our life, we will never forget her. She has taught us so much and the love she showed to us and to those who came across her path. Her desire was for everyone to know Jesus and what He has for all who will hear and receive. We are not perfect in this world but we know the One who is. So, hold onto the good times that you all had together. cherish them and forget the past it is done and over with. We cannot go back and change the past but we can do something about this day forward. She loved each one of you dearly and wanted the best for you all. Blessings and love.....

Rocky and Tammie Howard - August 04, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Elaine, my sympathy to you and your family in the loss of your mother.*

Natalie Gaskill Davis - August 03, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Martha & family. Your Mother was such an elegant lady. It was passed on to you girls. You are in my thoughts. Berta*

Laberta Keck Lashley - August 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM