



Nancy M. Thompson

January 9, 1932 - May 28, 2021

Nancy M. Thompson, age 89, of Harriman passed away Friday, May 28, 2021 at Roane Medical Center. Nancy received her Master's in Choral Music directing from George Peabody School for Teachers in Nashville, and Bachelor of Arts from Carson Newman College in Jefferson City, TN. Her teaching career began in Greer, SC and she was recruited to teach in Harriman where she met Johnny. Nancy and Johnny were united in marriage on December 22, 1958. Nancy directed choir for First Christian Church in Harriman for several years and was active in the Roane Choral Music Society. She was on the board of Johnson Nursing Home and was the first woman elected to the Harriman City Council. Nancy was a beloved teacher at Harriman City Schools until her retirement. Nancy is preceded in death by her husband Johnny M. Thompson, parents Roy and Gertrude Myers, brothers James, Albert, Samuel and Clifford and sisters Louise and Sally.

Nancy is survived by:

Daughter: Katie and husband Gealon Thomas;

Son: Lee and wife Pam Thompson;

Grandsons: Ben and wife Mary Elizabeth Thomas; Sam and wife Jodie Thomas;

Great-Granddaughters: Caroline and Elizabeth Thomas

Sister: Mary Lambert;

Host of nieces, nephews, and extended family members.

The family wishes to Thank the Sunday School Classes of Trenton Street Baptist Church for their care, attention, and outpouring of love and support especially during the last years of her life. The family is forever grateful for the love and kindness shown to her by the community of friends and neighbors.

Funeral 7pm Tuesday, June 1, 2021 at the Trenton Street Baptist Church with Rev. Tony Boswell officiating. Burial 11am Wednesday at Roane Memorial Gardens. Kyker Funeral Home of Harriman is serving the Thompson family.

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JUN 1. 7:00 PM (ET)

Trenton St Baptist Church
519 Trenton St
Harriman, TN 37748

Burial

JUN 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

Roane Memorial Gardens
1400 N Gateway Ave
Rockwood, TN 37854

Tribute Wall



“ We adored Mrs. Thompson! She was a caring teacher.



Dowell&Lisa Isham - June 01, 2021 at 05:26 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Nancy M. Thompson.



June 01, 2021 at 08:05 AM



“ Nancy and Johnny were the greatest! They married during my high school days and my brother's, Joe Walker. They both were brilliant, fun, and totally dedicated to education. Nancy was a master in music. I know she will be greatly missed. Prayers for comfort. Love, Ruth Walker Clabo

Ruth Clabo - May 31, 2021 at 04:43 PM



“ So sorry for your loss Katie. She was one of my favorite teachers. Prayers for you and your family during this difficult time. Patti Whitfield Gutridge

Patti Gutridge - May 30, 2021 at 09:40 PM

KP

“Katie. Love you and a fond memory when i was in high school i was privileged to stand beside her and sing with her in the chorus. Our chorus at school with the community chorus. She was very sweet to me.

Kathy Parton - May 30, 2021 at 02:48 PM

TH

“So sorry for your loss.

Tammi Crowe Hensley - May 30, 2021 at 08:59 AM

FP

“A wonderful teacher ❤️ . So glad I had the pleasure of knowing this wonderful woman.

Faye Mullins Preston - May 30, 2021 at 07:24 AM

RS

“A favorite teacher who became a favorite lifetime friend. My condolences to all of her family and friends.
Richard Saffles

Richard Saffles - May 30, 2021 at 12:22 AM

GS

“She was the best !

gerald smith - May 29, 2021 at 10:13 PM

BE

“So thankful for the wonderful teachers we had at Harriman. Prayers for God's comfort for Nancy's family

Brenda Elam - May 29, 2021 at 09:39 PM

BF

“ Nancy was a rare gem in educating young people. She was caring, kind, and funny. She was loved by many, including me. So sorry for her family.

Brian Farmer - May 29, 2021 at 08:44 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Nancy M. Thompson.



May 29, 2021 at 08:04 PM

JB

“ To the family of Mrs Nancy: so sorry for your loss, Harriman has lost a treasure!

Joyce Broyles - May 29, 2021 at 07:56 PM