



Shirley Lemons Sliger

January 19, 2008

Shirley Lemons Sliger, age 73 went home to be with her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on Saturday, January 19, 2008. She was surrounded by her loving and devoted husband of 52 years, Hugh; daughter, Jan, and son, Jeff after an eight month battle with lung cancer. Shirley was a loving wife, mother and Mammaw who loved cooking and serving huge family meals in her kitchen and around her dining table. Her most favorite times were family vacations with all of her precious grandchildren. After retiring from Union Planters Bank she was an avid homemaker who loved working in her yard and flowers. Shirley had so many good friends and was a mother to all of those in her extended family. A dedicated member of Trenton Street Baptist Church for over 50 years, she served as teacher and director of the youth and children's departments and initiated the founding of the Kool Kids Activities Day Camp for eleven years. A member of the Gleaners Sunday School class, Shirley enjoyed serving on the kitchen committee and food closet where she selflessly shared her faith of Jesus Christ with others. An active member of the Bradley County Class of 1952, Shirley enjoyed sharing in yearly reunions with many of her dear friends.

Survivors

Husband Hugh C. Sliger of Harriman

Daughter Jan Fine of Knoxville

Son Jeff Sliger & wife Jenny of Knoxville

Special brother in law Jack McKenzie of Athens
Grandchildren Zac & Tanner Fine
Brittany, Catherine, and Matthew Sliger all of Knoxville
Special nephews & nieces Farrell & Sue Fisher & Family
J. T. & Meg Lemons
Gayla, Dub, Sarah & Stephen Darville
Debbie, Paul & Hugh Willson

The family will receive friends on Tuesday, January 22, 2008, from 11 to 1:30 at Trenton Street Baptist Church. A Celebration of Life service will follow with Dr. Robert Darville and Pastor Gene Nelson officiating. Graveside services and interment will follow immediately at Roane Memorial Gardens. Kyker Funeral Home serving the Sliger family. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Trenton Street Baptist Church Children's Department.