



Elizabeth Hickman McDonald

June 7, 2013

Augusta, GA - Mrs. Elizabeth Hickman McDonald, 79, wife of the late Reverend Elvyn J. McDonald, entered into rest Thursday, June 6, 2013, at Doctors Hospital.

Memorial services will be held Sunday, June 9, 2013, at 3:00 PM from Burns Memorial United Methodist Church with Reverend Keith Cox, Reverend Bart Grey, and Reverend Jerry Grey officiating.

Mrs. McDonald, daughter of the late William and Willie Jones Hickman, was born in Augusta. She served alongside her husband in ministry to the following churches: founding pastor of Martinez United Methodist Church in Martinez, GA, Boggs Chapel UMC and Prospect UMC, in Athens, GA, Campton UMC, Gratis UMC, and Boll Springs UMC, in Monroe, GA, Lincolnton UMC, Bethany UMC, and Pine Grove UMC, in Lincolnton, GA, Hanleiter UMC, in Griffin, GA, Burns Memorial UMC, in Augusta, GA, Fair Oaks UMC, in Marietta, GA, Washington UMC, in Washington, GA, Riverview UMC, in Evans, GA, and Boneville UMC, in Dearing, GA. At the time of her death she was employed by H&R Block where she had served many years, both as tax preparer and office manager.

She was a member of Burns Memorial United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by her son, David McDonald.

She is survived by her daughter, Debra McDonald Welch, and her husband, Fred, of Augusta; her son Watson McDonald, and his wife, Denise, of Augusta; ten grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; her sister, Mrs. Connie

Grey, of Augusta; her sister in law, Mrs. Mildred McDonald, of the Villages, FL; many loving nieces and nephews; and her beloved puppy, Mitsy.

Honorary pallbearers will be fellow employees of H&R Block.

If so desired memorial contributions may be made to Burns Memorial United Methodist Church, 2372 Lumpkin Rd, Augusta, GA 30906.

The family will receive friends, Saturday, June 8, 2013, from 6:00 until 8:00 PM at the funeral home.

Chance & Hydrick Funeral Directors, 2502 Richmond Hill Rd, Augusta, GA 30906.

Tribute Wall

SB

“ Debra,
I am so sorry - May God give you the peace and strength as you go through this time of sorrow. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Stacey

Stacey Bentley - June 12, 2013 at 08:46 AM

BY

“ Deb,
My heart is heavy after learning of Miss Elizabeth's death. She was always kind and generous to me. As I have said before; I loved to listen to her speak with that beautiful accent. When she spoke, one knew they were in the presents of a graceful southern lady.
You, Watson, and the family are in my prayers.
Love you,
Ben

Ben York - June 10, 2013 at 01:12 PM

OF

“ Debra, Watson, and family,
I can remember how gracious your mother was to open her home to me when I was working in Lincoln. She would always have words that would lift your spirits. I know she is happy now, being with your dad. I am sure the angels already had a special song picked out when she stepped through the pearly gates. I know the Master was there to greet her and told her "Job well done". Debra, Watson I would love to tell you it will be easy but to me after my loss it takes time. Hold close to your families and to God it will make it easier. Love you both Olin

O

Olin Fulcher - June 09, 2013 at 01:58 PM

FS

“ I was so sorry to hear of the death of Mrs Liz..worked with her at tax office for many years..she was a sweet and patient lady enjoyed helping people..she will be greatly missed..my prayers are with the family..

Faye C Sellars - June 08, 2013 at 12:21 PM

DM

“ Debbie, Fred, Watson,
We are sad to hear of the loss of your mother, our Aunt Lib. She was a beautiful and fun-loving Christian lady. She will be missed by all..
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
With Christian love,
Diane and Dan

Dan and Diane McCamish - June 08, 2013 at 07:46 AM