



Louise Hanby

December 31, 1969 - August 31, 2014

Obituary of Louise Hanby Louise Hanby, 92, of Ocala, FL died Sunday, August 31, 2014 at her home after a short and courageous battle with cancer. She was the daughter of the late Molloy and Estelle Rogers Vaughn of Dixie-Del Farms, Lewes, DE and was predeceased by her husband of 54 years, Arthur S. (Bud) Hanby, and brothers Molloy C., Jr. and Stephen Vaughn, Sr. After graduating from Lewes (DE) High School (1939) and Madison College (1943; now James Madison University) where she was a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority and a member of the Bluestone Society of JMU, she taught home economics in Laurel and Georgetown, DE. She returned to teaching when her youngest child entered first grade. She then taught elementary school and completed a 28 year career in education. She was a member of Delta Kappa Gamma, an honorary teaching sorority. Her life journey kept her active in many organizations: educational, civic, fraternal, and church-related. She was a former member of Bethel United Methodist Church (Lewes, DE); a past Guardian of Bethel #5, Job's Daughters; a past Matron of Unity Chapter #16, Eastern Star; a member of the Magna Carta Dames and Daughters of the American Revolution; and a member of the Gideons International Auxiliary. None of these activities was more satisfying than serving her Lord and Savior at Maranatha Baptist Church (Ocala, FL) where she was active on the Missions Committee, sang in the choir, was an encourager of others and a prayer warrior, and shared God's love and peace with whomever she could. She also greatly enjoyed participating in Bible Study Fellowship in Ocala. Her

greatest pleasure was her family and their many activities over the years, including camping vacations, sailing, water skiing, golfing (charter member of Sussex Pines 9-Holers), duck hunting, and traveling in the US and Europe. Her life journey was filled with gratefulness to God for her faith, family, friends, and future (a home in heaven) - all gifts from God. She is survived by her three children: Art (Josephine) Hanby, Barbara (Bill) Meade, and Mary (Al) Ginter; six grandchildren: Eileen Ham & Robin Wunningham, Will & Tim Meade, and Jessica & David Ginter; one step-grandson: Gregory Giananti; four great-grandchildren; her brother Bill (Judy) Vaughn; sisters-in-law Dorothy Sturges and Jean Vaughn; her Swiss daughter, Susi Hausler of Basel, Switzerland; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. Visitation will be Thursday, September 4th from 4-7 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel East in Ocala. A Celebration Service will be Friday, September 5th at 3 p.m. at Maranatha Baptist Church in Marion Oaks. Burial will be private at Bushnell National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please consider providing Memorial Bibles through the Gideons International or making a donation to the Maranatha Baptist Church Building Fund.

Tribute Wall

AM

“ To all the family of Louise Hanby, I was sorry to read in the "Cape Gazette" about the passing of a very special lady. I have very fond memories of her as Home Economics teacher at Georgetown, DE, where she was always known for her gentle and patient manner. Many years later I renewed contact with both Louise and Bud Hanby when they decided to sell some of their farmland and it was my pleasure to be able to list and offer it for sale. What a loving couple they were and I know you will have many happy memories. May it be of comfort to know that others care. Fondly~Anna (Moore) Misener

Anna Misener - September 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KE

“ Art, My condolences to your family. I am truly sorry for your loss. It is never easy to lose a loved one in death, but the Bible holds out a comforting hope at Revelation 21:3,4. We are thinking about the family.

Kelly - September 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ I'm sorry I didn't know of Louise's passing until Sunday morning or I would have been to her service. Louise was a treasured member of my first Bible Study Fellowship Class and I will always remember her love of The Lord and how she never hesitated to share that love with others. God's blessings and peace to her family. In Christ, Marilyn Buss

Marilyn Buss - September 07, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ Louise Hanby

Scott - September 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ Art and others, I'm so sorry to hear of your mom's passing. It's a sad time for those left behind but a joyous time for her. She's in a better place, complete with a new (perfect) body free of disease and the aches and pains of this world, not to mention her new home, reunion with those gone before, and in the presence of her Heavenly Father. As the ones left behind, take comfort that this is not a forever goodbye. One day you will reunite and she'll be there to take your hands and lead you to the other side. My prayer for you is that the pain of loss will pass quickly and be replaced with the joy of life, the precious memories that you will experience as you walk through life, the smiles that will come to your face at unexpected times, and the knowledge that this is only a temporary separation. I say hi to my mom every time I open the kitchen drawer where her potato masher resides. Of the things I have of hers, this is my favorite. May God's peace and comfort be with you all.

Liz Gabbard - September 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ Louise Hanby

Katherine M Acampora - September 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ Louise Hanby

September 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM