



Cathryne "Kitty" Leonard

November 10, 1927 - November 26, 2014

Cathryne "Kitty" Turner Leonard, 87, of 112 N. Lakeview Drive, widow of William A. Leonard, went home to be with her Lord on November 26, 2014. Born November 10, 1927 in Greenville County, she was a daughter of the late Thomas and Ruby Day Turner. After graduating from Winthrop College in 1947, Kitty moved to Reidville, S.C. to teach in the high school where she met and married Bill in December 1949. She taught in Spartanburg School District 5 Schools for several years before taking time off to raise their children. Kitty returned to teaching in 1964 at the newly consolidated Spartanburg County School District 6 High School, later named Dorman High School, teaching there until her retirement in 1987. She was co-founder of Dorman's Blue Bells with Myra Greene and helped Mary Frances Gosnell with the Dorman High School Choir. During her time at Dorman she was affectionately referred to by her students as "Lady". Kitty and Bill traveled extensively throughout the mid 90's, bringing home entertaining stories to their family. Kitty will be remembered by her family and friends as a woman of great faith, honor and character, and optimist who started and ended her day with a smile. The privilege to call you "Mother" was our blessing.

Surviving are three daughters, Rebekah Leonard and Mary L. Sherman (Ronnie) both of Reidville and Graham Stevens of Greenville; a daughter-in-law, Vicki Leonard; five grandchildren, Adrienne Miller, John Bennett, William Leonard, Joshua Sherman and Karlie Porter; and six great-grandchildren, Lawson Miller, Elliot Miller, Levi Miller, Kayden Leonard, Agnew Leonard III

and Jonas Leonard.

Mrs. Leonard was predeceased by one son, Agnew W. Leonard.

Graveside services will be held 2:00 p.m. Saturday at Antioch Presbyterian Church Cemetery, conducted by Rev. Charles Champion.

Visitation will be held after the service in the church.

The family is at the home.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests remembrances to be given to Antioch Presbyterian Church Cemetery Fund, 3600 Highway 417, Woodruff, SC 29388.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Antioch Presbyterian Church Cemetery

3600 Highway 417
Woodruff, SC 29388

Previous Events

Graveside Service

NOV **29**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Antioch Presbyterian Church
3600 Highway 417
Woodruff, SC 29388

Tribute Wall

SB

“ *Dear Leonard Family:*

My husband and I are so sorry about your mom. Mrs. Leonard was a wonderful teacher, and I have so many fond memories of her during my days at Dorman. She was an inspiration to all of those that had her. She was a wonderful role model, and I give her credit for encouraging me to become a teacher.

May God bless each and everyone of you in the days ahead.

(Vicki, I am Debra Cox's friend)

Thoughts and prayers to all of you.

Sheryl (DeRosa) and Austin Bobo

Sheryl Bobo - November 27, 2014 at 11:58 AM