



Dixie H. Wilson

July 21, 1915 - April 11, 2017

Dixie H. Wilson, 101, of Hot Springs, Arkansas, formerly of Stamps, received her resurrection birth April 11, 2017 in Hot Springs.

She began her earthly journey July 21, 1915, in Bradley, Arkansas, the daughter of David Dickson Hamiter and Aletha Barker Hamiter. She received her primary and secondary education in Bradley and was a graduate of what is presently Texas A & M at Commerce, formerly East Texas State University.

In 1939, while teaching at Bearden, Arkansas, she met and married Irvin Wilson, a coach in the same school system. Soon after marriage, they moved to Texas where both were involved in education. In 1967, they returned to Arkansas and lived in Stamps. Irvin Wilson died in 1984.

Vocationally, she was a first and second grade school teacher, a vocation she enjoyed in Texas and Arkansas. She was also a lifelong United Methodist who took her faith seriously and inspired countless persons.

In September 2006 she moved to Hot Springs and lived at Country Club Village. She enjoyed playing various card games with friends. Soon after moving, she joined First United Methodist Church in Hot Springs and remained a member there until her death. In early 2016, she moved to Garrett Woods, an assisted living facility, in Hot Springs.

Dixie H. Wilson was predeceased by her parents; husband; a son, Neal Edwin Wilson; a grandson, Colby Lee Wilson; and siblings, Alita Dickerson, Hortense Cochran, Annie Gonzales, David Dickson Hamiter, Jr., John Garland Hamiter, Ernest Jewel Hamiter, and several nieces and nephews. She is survived by three children and their spouses, David B. and Carolyn Wilson of Hot Springs, Sandra Kay and Orby Brooks of Amarillo, Texas, Ronald I. and Kathy Wilson of The Woodlands, Texas; a daughter-in-law, Donna Sue Wilson of Gainesville, Texas; 9 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

A service to celebrate her life and resurrection will be at the Clegg Chapel at First United Methodist Church, Magnolia, Arkansas, on Friday afternoon, April 14 at 2:00. The interment service will be at the Memorial Park Cemetery in Magnolia prior to the memorial service at the church. Grandsons and great-grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Her children are grateful for the excellent care their Mother received at Country Club Village, Garrett Woods and Arkansas Hospice.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church, 1100 Central Avenue, Hot Springs, AR 71901; The Caring Place, 101 Quapaw, Hot Springs, AR 71901; or First United Methodist Church, P. O. Box 366, Stamps, AR 71860.

Tribute Wall

JB

“ We were so sorry to learn of the passing of Mrs. Wilson. She was a great comfort and friend to our mom, Ruth Bales, in the years after Dad passed away. My memories of her are always of classy, kind, and caring woman and a devoted member of the First Methodist Church in Stamps. My sister Linda and I wish to extend our sincere condolences to Irwin and Dixie's family in your time of loss. John Bales/Lewisville, AR

John Bales - April 19, 2017 at 12:06 PM

RH

“ Dixie was a light of sunshine to all who knew her, she is a true example of LOVE, JOY and HAPPINESS. Our deepest condolences to the entire family.



Rebecca Hargrove - April 13, 2017 at 09:32 AM

DW

Thank you, Rebecca.

David B Wilson - April 17, 2017 at 09:12 PM

SS

“ We are so sorry to hear of your loss. She and Mr . Wilson were great neighbors. We lived across the street from them in Stamps for several years. In loving memory of both of them, Loyd and Sheryl Stiles.

Sheryl Stiles - April 13, 2017 at 09:25 AM

DW

Thank you, Sheryl.

David B Wilson - April 17, 2017 at 09:13 PM

JP

“ *Mrs Wilson was my first grade teacher in Stamps! I loved her dearly!*
Jo Gwen Vickers Phillips

Jo Gwen Phillips - April 12, 2017 at 08:24 PM

DW

Thank you, Jo Gwen.

David B Wilson - April 17, 2017 at 09:13 PM

JP

“ *David, so sorry for your loss. Still, a life lived well and so full of memories is a true blessing. I'm praying for you and all the others in your family who are also grieving.*
Jim Polk

Jim Polk - April 12, 2017 at 03:30 PM

DW

Thank you, Jim.

David B Wilson - April 17, 2017 at 09:11 PM

JF

“ *Jim Andra and the Southard family. purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Dixie H. Wilson.*



Jim Andra and the Southard family. - April 12, 2017 at 01:00 PM

WS

“ Mrs Dixie and my mother, Oma Nix, were such good friends. They played Rook and other card games regularly. Our daughter grew up thinking she was family, and we felt that way, too. She was also our neighbor. We loved Mrs Dixie!! She was truly a LADY.

William and Becky Smith

William and Becky Smith - April 12, 2017 at 11:39 AM

DW

Thank you, William and Becky. Mother loved you, and she loved Oma.

David B Wilson - April 17, 2017 at 09:14 PM

DO

“ *My First grade teacher!!! She truly set me on the right path for life.*

Danny Ormand - April 12, 2017 at 09:07 AM