



Mrs. Ruth Forrester Cain

May 30, 1930 - May 8, 2020

Ruth Forrester Cain, 89 of Scottsboro passed away Friday, May 8, 2020. Funeral services were held at 2:00 pm on Monday, May 11, 2020 at Pine Haven Memorial Gardens with her sons, Rev. Rob Cain and Rev. Charley Cain, officiating. Her grandsons served as pallbearers.

She was born on May 30, 1930 in Morgan County. Ruth was a graduate of Morgan County High School and Athens State University. Throughout her life, she served as an active member of the Scottsboro First Baptist Church, the First United Methodist Church of Hartselle and most recently the Scottsboro Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Her kindness and dedication to others have benefited many organizations, charities and individuals.

She is survived by daughter Ann Forrester Harrington (Don) of Scottsboro, son, Paul Cain (Deborah) of Athens, son, Charley Cain (Shari) of Hartselle, and son, Rob Cain (Taffy) of Tuscaloosa. Grandchildren: Forrest Harrington (Cissie) of Trussville, Brandon Cain (Noel) of Trussville, Gavin Harrington (Amber) of Scottsboro, Derrick Cain (Rene) of Clay, Hannah Cain of Athens, Taylor Matz (Steven) of Nashville, Madison Johnson (Jared) of Nashville, Logan Cain (Emily) of Nashville, Hudson Cain(Anna) and Madelin Cain of Tuscaloosa. Great-grandchildren: Will, Kate and Hawkins Harrington, Dawson Atkinson, Jordan Bittle, Bradleigh, Emmitt, Landon, Braxton and Harper Cain. Sister, Faye Pierce, and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 20 years, Dorsey Forrester, her husband of 42 years, James Paul Cain; her parents, James Albert and Carrie

Elizabeth Hawkins and 6 siblings.

She was a simple, genuine, caring person that always thought of her family, friends, and neighbors first. She would always take the time to call or write a letter to tell her loved ones how much she cared and how proud she was of them. She had a unique ability to make everyone around her feel loved and feel special. There was never a person in need she did not help. There was never a person in pain she did not comfort. There was never a person down that she did not lift up. With her humor and gentle touch, she was a very special lady.

Her family would like to thank the wonderful and caring staff of Rosewood Manor, Encompass Hospice her special friend; Mary Bennett, and her doctor, Mandi Bell, for making her last years pleasant and comfortable.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Hartselle Camp Meeting, P. O. Box 163, Hartselle, Alabama 35640 or Scottsboro Cumberland Presbyterian Church 315 South Kyle Street, Scottsboro, AL 35768.

Cemetery Details

Pinehaven Memorial Gardens

28615 US Highway 72 E
Hollywood, AL 35752
(256) 574-4163

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Ruth Forrester Cain*

October 05, 2023 at 01:26 AM



“ *I took care of u at rosewood you will be missed u was always a joy to be around I love you*

Becky Esslinger - May 11, 2020 at 01:18 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ruth Forrester Cain.*



May 10, 2020 at 12:35 PM



“ *I would sing you are my sunshine every day with Ms. Ruth. Then in return she would sing " I love you a bushel and a peck and a hug around the neck a barrel and a heap and I'm talking in my sleep about you". It was my honor to have known and loved this wonderful woman.*

Ashley Adams-Hicks - May 09, 2020 at 05:03 PM