



Betty Rogers Shields

September 23, 1922 - November 22, 2014

Betty Rogers Shields, 92, passed away peacefully on November 22 in Tallahassee, Florida. She was born in Chattanooga, Tennessee on September 23, 1922 and raised in LaFayette, Georgia. She attended Tift College in Forsyth, Georgia and was a school teacher. During World War II, she worked for Civil Service in Philadelphia, PA. After the War, the Shields family settled in Panama City, Florida and founded Superior Dry Cleaners. In the mid-1970s, the family relocated to Tallahassee, Florida.

Mrs. Shields was predeceased by her beloved husband of 60 years, Capt. Harmon Wesley Shields, her parents, Charles Erwin Rogers and Lena Evitt Rogers and her brother, Charles Evitt Rogers. She is survived by her sister, Lena Rogers Bittick, her three children, Karen Shields Holbrook (Michael), Sandra Shields Bennett and Thomas Wesley Shields (Deb), six grandchildren, Christopher Holbrook, Adam Holbrook (Laurel), Matthew Shields, Lena Shields, Robert Bennett, Ryan Bennett and great granddaughter, Brynna Holbrook.

A visitation will be held on Saturday, December 6, at Bevis Funeral Home, 2710 North Monroe St., Tallahassee from 10:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. EST followed by a graveside funeral service at 1:30 p.m. CST in Panama City at Evergreen Memorial Gardens, 3733 N. Hwy 231.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Covenant Hospice of Tallahassee, 1921 Capital Circle N.E., Tallahassee, FL 32308.

Kelly Barber of Bevis Funeral Home (www.bevisfh.com or 850-385-2193) is

assisting the family with arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 6. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home & Crematory
200 John Knox Rd
Tallahassee, FL 32303
(850) 385-2193

Graveside Service

DEC 6. 1:30 PM (CT)

Evergreen Memorial Gardens
Highway 231 N
Panama City, FL 32404