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Mrs. Marjorie Ashford, 94, of Cornelius, North Carolina, passed away peacefully Saturday, November 4, 2017, at Serenity House in Mooresville. Marjorie was born on October 2, 1923, in Charlotte, the daughter of Roy and Orrie Watts. She was a member of University City United Methodist Church, the Wesley Fellowship Class, and the Sew & Sews Craft Group. She was also a member of Circle #2 at Bethel Presbyterian Church. She worked as a secretary for many years for Charlotte Mecklenburg schools (Hoskins and Briarwood Elementary). She enjoyed quilting, sewing and playing cards. Her greatest joy was her family. She was a devoted and loving wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 48 years, Gary L. Ashford Sr. She was also preceded in death by three sisters and four brothers: Lucretia Smith, Roy Hunter Watts (Buddy), Milton Watts, Carol York, Herman Watts, Sue Stafford and Roy Hunter Watts .

Mrs. Ashford is survived by her children, Gary Ashford (Hope), Karen Barbee, and Robin Tomei (Rick); grandchildren, Scott, Kathleen, Kristine, Brent, and Katelyn; great grandchildren, Caroline, Kinsley and Kira; and brother, Edward Watts.

The family will receive friends from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 pm. at University City United Methodist Church on Saturday, November 11, followed by a memorial service. Burial will follow at Sharon Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Carolina Comfort Coalition, Serenity House, 110 Centre Church Rd. Mooresville, NC 28117 or University City United Methodist Church, 3835 West WT Harris Blvd, Charlotte, NC, 28269.

Online condolences may be made at www.jamesfuneralhomekn.comAshford, Marjorie obituary



Tribute Wall

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KS

Kira Sterling posted:

I'm glad that I found this now I know more about my great grandma

March 30 at 6:25 PM

KS

Kira Sterling posted:

Marjorie was my great grandma I wish I could of known her better but she died when I was a baby

March 30 at 6:22 PM

RH

Richard W. Hyman posted:

Although I have not had contact with Mrs. Ashford for many years I have fond memories of her when we lived in Hunter Acres and as I was growing up. Mrs. Ashford was my Den Mother when I was in Cub Scouts and I have great memories of the many activities we had during our meetings and at Pack meetings. She was so very kind and patient with a very rowdy bunch of young boys and was so appreciated although it would take years for any of us to realize just how kind and patient she was. I do want to offer my deepest condolences to the family and especially to my friend Gary for the loss of Mrs. Ashford.

November 13 at 8:38 AM

JH

Jackie Curan (Serenity House) posted:

Marjorie was a sweet, gentle woman. I am blessed to have spent time with her.

November 12 at 3:22 PM

LW

Lucretia Smith Ward posted:

Dear Aunt Margie Thank you for so many things over my whole life. Putting up with Robin, Phyllis and I running in and out the door. All the snacks in the playhouse, the doorbell for our school ringing. The beautiful wedding shower for Johnnie and I and I am sure a thousand other things. I will miss you and I love you."Little Cretia"

November 6 at 3:35 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Marjorie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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