



Rebecca P. Schrimsher

December 1, 1916 - July 10, 2017

Rebecca P. Schrimsher, 100 ½ passed away July 10, 2017, at Limestone Health Facility. She was born in Limestone County (East Limestone Community), Alabama on December 1, 1916. She was the fifth child of fourteen children born to Theo Pepper and Ruth Ella Barksdale.

Mrs. Schrimsher attended Athens Agricultural School. She married Robert Dervern Schrimsher on October 8, 1933. They raised three daughters together. She was a seamstress at Athens Lingerie for 28 years. After retirement she maintained a sewing career from her home doe clients.

Mrs. Schrimsher enjoyed gardening, sewing, reading and spending time with her family. She was a loyal Member of Central Church of Christ.

Mrs. Schrimsher was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, a daughter, Carolyn S. King, two sons-in-laws, Sidney Johnston and James D. King and one granddaughter-in-law, Angie S. Johnston.

Mrs. Schrimsher is survived by two daughters, Mildred Ruth Johnston and Bonnie Sue Snoddy (David) and one sister, Dorothy Pepper. She is also survived by six grandchildren, Nancy Johnston (J.P. Ebe), Susan Ackerman (Steven), Nick Johnston (Wendy), Jennifer Romine (Darrin), Monica Hammond (Matt) and Brian Snoddy (Christina); sixteen great-grandchildren,

Hannah and Rebecca Ackerman, Patrick, Olivia and Allswell Hammond, Hayle, Seth and Elijah Johnston, Ana and J.J. Brito, Trey and Andy Cantrell, Ashley (Bill) Johnston, Jacob Romine, John David and Katy Snoddy; two great-great-grandchildren, Lilly and William Johnston.

Family members will serve as pallbearers.

Her family and friends will gather to remember her life Thursday, July 13, 2017, at Limestone Chapel Funeral Home with visitation from 9:00 a.m. to 9:45 a.m., followed by a graveside service at Roselawn Cemetery at 10:00 a.m.

"A voice we loved has been stilled - a vacancy in our home which can never be filled."

In lieu of flowers make memorials to your favorite charity.

Sign our online guestbook at limestonechapel.com

Tribute Wall

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“ Mrs. Schrimsher will always be remember around our home, especially my 3 boys. They had the pleasure of mowing and doing some yard work for her over a ten year period. Our oldest, past it a long to the middle, and he to the youngest. I myself enjoyed the conversations over the years with her. Mrs. Schrimsher was very instrumental in helping me install a good work ethic in them. I know she will never have a street or park named for her, but she will ALWAYS be remember in the Evans household as a kind and sweet lady. Athens would be a better city if we had more Rebecca Schrimsher's around. We are saddened for your loss...

Donald Evans Family - July 30, 2017 at 06:45 PM

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“ Mrs. Schrimsher was a sweet, sweet lady. Always so kind and friendly to everyone. She will be greatly missed by all her family and friends. You are in our thoughts and prayers.
Archie and Vickie Barnett

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