



Virginia E Stephenson

February 6, 1920 - February 21, 2015

Obituary of Virginia Stephenson

Virginia E. Stephenson of Leesburg, Florida was born on February 6, 1920 in Newport News, Virginia. She passed away on Saturday February 21, 2015. The family moved to Chattanooga, Tennessee in 1924. Virginia received her education in Chattanooga graduating from Chattanooga High School in 1938 and was a member of The National Honor Society. She attended the Edmondson School of Business. After moving to Clyde, North Carolina, she married Warren Stephenson in 1976. They moved to Leesburg, Florida in 1985. Warren and Virginia were very active in many churches along the way in Tennessee, North Carolina and Florida. They loved serving the Lord together especially working with senior adults. Founding a Senior Group they named "Triple L" (Living like the Lord) at Eagles Nest Baptist Church in Fruitland Park, Florida, they developed a ministry that became very successful and a blessing to all who attended.

Virginia is preceded in death by first husband, James C. Smith, Sr. and son James C. Smith, Jr. (Dorothy). Her husband of 29 years, Warren Harding Stephenson went to be with the Lord on December 24, 2005. She is survived by stepson Charles Stephenson and stepdaughter Jean McCracken. Three grandchildren, Karen, Hugh and Shaun, four step grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Her church membership is at Central Baptist Church in

Leesburg, Florida.

Graveside services will be held at Lakeside Memory Gardens, Eustis, Florida on Monday, March, 2 2015 at 11:00 AM

Online condolences may be left at www.beyersfuneralhome.com

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL

Tribute Wall

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“ Virginia was a dear friend to Central Baptist Church. She will be greatly missed. Virginia did her best to make everyone feel welcomed and did whatever she could to advance the kingdom of Christ. Heaven is definitely richer with her presence, and we look forward to worshipping with her again one day.

Jay Williams - February 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ I was saddened to hear of Virginia's passing. When I was traveling to and from North Carolina and New Orleans Baptist Seminary I often stopped at Virginia's home in Chattanooga where she fed me, housed me and loved me. I treasure those memories and will look forward to being united with her and all the family in heaven, Her first cousin, James Parham

James F. Parham - February 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ This picture is from the Central Baptist Church 2011 Directory.

Jay Williams - February 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Virginia, was a beautiful person. I will miss her and her joy for life. She went through many hardships yet maintained her love for the lord. Rest in peace my dear friend, go and join your family in heaven.

Stephanie Willis - February 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM