



Joyce Rowand

October 23, 1920 - May 29, 2010

Joyce Bonner Rowand, age 89 died on May 29, 2010 at INOVA Fairfax hospital, Falls Church, VA.

Mrs. Rowand was born on October 23, 1920 in Rockville, Georgia to the late Ellis Hudson and Sarah Louise (Jones) Bonner.

Survivors include three children: Joyce Bonner Young and husband Thomas of Manassas, Marjorie Antus and husband John of Manassas and George E. Rowand and wife Rita of Orlean, VA; three sisters: Blanche D'Agostion of Bayonne, NY, Eleanor Mallard and husband William of Macon, GA and Marjorie Merrow of Mobile, AL; one brother, Sidney Bonner and wife Joyce of Richmond, VA; five grandchildren: Kristine Rich, Hudson Young, John Paul Antus, Elizabeth Antus and Michael Rowand and one great grandchild, Caroline Rich.

The family will receive friends on Thursday, June 3, 2010 from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, VA. Funeral Services will be held on Friday, June 4, 2010 at 10:00 AM at Grace United Methodist Church, 9750 Wellington Road, Manassas, VA with Rev. Rudy Tucker, Jr. and Rev. Meredith McNabb officiating. Interment will follow at Stonewall Memory Gardens, Manassas.

Expressions of sympathy may be made in the form of flowers or contributions to: Grace United Methodist Church, c/o Missionary Fund, 9750 Wellington Road, Manassas, Virginia 20110 in loving memory of Joyce Bonner Rowand.

Condolences may be sent to: www.piercefh.com

Tribute Wall

MJ

“ *To Blanche, Eleanor, Marjorie, Sidney, and Joyce's family.*

We are so saddened to hear about your loss. Joyce and her siblings are fondly remembered by the church and Rockville families here in Georgia. Your visits over the years have meant so much to us, and you all will be missed this Sunday as we gather for the church homecoming service. You are in our thoughts and prayers at this time. May God bless you all.

Mike & Mary Caroline Gregory Jones - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

CK

“ *Mrs. Rowand was a remarkable woman. We always had great admiration for her work ethic, and her determination to stay physically and mentally active. She has certainly been an inspiration to us.*

We are so sorry for your loss. What a wonderful legacy she leaves.

Carl & Kendra Kielbasa - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

SC

“ *Our church family shares your sorrow. May you find peace and comfort in the days ahead as you recall her faith in Christ, the good times shared together, and her love for each of you. We are in prayer for you at this time.*

Saint Paul United Methodist Church - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

HH

“ We live at the Oaks of Wellington and have known Joyce since she moved in. We are also members of Grace UMC. She was a lovely lady and I admired her spunk in continuing to work. I know you will all miss her.

Elma Haft

Harry and Elma Haft - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

TM

“ How saddened I am to learn of cousin Joyce's passing. What a wonderful woman the world has lost and heaven has gained. Joyce was a beautiful lady full of energy for the "go-go" routine, with a wit about her and a strong zest for life that was unmatched by those half her age. I will miss her standing with the Bonner's and standing with me with the Jones' at homecoming, as well as our many calls and letters over the years.

Taylor R. Moulton - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

ME

“ *Humor, kindness, consideration, patriotism, perseverance, knowledge, efficiency, dedication, beauty, faith, love—all words that partly describe the soul of Joyce now residing in the mansion in her room that our Savior prepared for her long ago. Memories allow us to keep Joyce close as an angel on our shoulder even as she sparkles in Papa's Heaven. God Bless all of you who are missing her physical presence with special love to Tom, Bonner & Hudson.*

Marybeth Eads - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM