



Alice Marie Reneau

January 15, 2018

Alice Marie Hamm Reneau, 90, died January 14, 2018 at her home in Gastonia, NC.

Marie was born in Erwin, NC to the late Robert W. and Mary F. Hamm. She was the widow of Cecil H. Reneau Sr.

Marie was predeceased by her sister, Thelma M. Hamm and brother, W. Ray Hamm. Marie is survived by her sister, Libby Bezek; son, Cecil H. Reneau Jr., "Adopted" son, Steve Publicover and many relatives and in-laws.

Marie was retired from Norfolk Naval Shipyard in Portsmouth. Marie was a resident of Portsmouth for over 65 years. She was a long time member of Highland Baptist Church where she served as Treasurer for many years. She was a member of the Esther Chapter #37 Order of the Eastern Star.

A funeral service will be held at 11am Thursday, January 18 in Loving Funeral Home with interment to follow at Greenlawn Memorial Gardens. The family will greet visitors for 1 hour prior to the service with an Eastern Star Service starting at 10:45am.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Memorial Gardens

3920 Airline Blvd.
Chesapeake, VA 23321

Tribute Wall

FH

“ TO CECIL, JR. AND FAMILY,
WE DO EXTEND TO YOU OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR
GREAT LOSS. WE CHERISH THE MEMORIES WE HAVE OF
YOUR "MOM" IN ESTHER CHAPTER NO. 37, ORDER OF THE
EASTERN STAR.
OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU TODAY AND
ALL THE DAYS TO COME. GOD'S BLESSINGS.
SONNY AND FAYE HOWELL

FAYE HOWELL - January 17, 2018 at 11:09 AM

PW

“ Marie's mother was the first of 12 children and my mother was the last. When we all lived in Portsmouth Marie used to babysit me a lot. She always, even up to her last days, called me her baby. I loved hearing the stories she and my mother shared about the days during and after WW2. Marie always managed to find chocolate and would share with her family. I have so many fond memories of the almost yearly family reunions. With such a large family they were always lots of fun. Marie had such a wonderful, loving and Christian spirit and everyone around her felt it. I am so blessed that I got to see her at Aunt Verna's birthday. I know you will have all those angels organized real soon.
Love,
Patti Wallace (Baby)

Patti Wallace - January 17, 2018 at 10:57 AM

AT

“ My first memory of Marie is a birthday dinner for Grandmother at Aunt Adell's? I remember her having on a red and white dress that she had made. She and Aunt Melma were both excellent seamstresses and there was a friendly competition between them. Marie and Cecil were a delightful, good looking couple and I remember Cecil Jr. as a little tyke running around at the birthday dinner grounds. Through the years Marie and my mother maintained a lovely relationship sharing their joy and their sorrows. Years later, Marie said to me: "Arlene, George is a good man, and a good man is hard to find." George and I share that remark often. Marie was a very accomplished woman. Her crafts were outstanding and her loving generous nature always evident. She made the "Sugar Britches" Doll for each of my granddaughters. I remember she and Libby always visiting with their dear mother at the home in Deep Creek. I remember once when Marie brought her mother to visit my mother, my dad called me aside and said: "Marie really loves her mother, you can tell by the way she treats her." Marie had a way of laughing that was most joyful and a little mischievous. In everything Marie's Christianity was evident. I will surely miss her.

Arlene Tibbetts - January 17, 2018 at 10:07 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray* was purchased for the family of Alice Marie Reneau.



January 17, 2018 at 09:49 AM

AT

“ 1 file added to the album *A. D., Aunt Verna and Marie*



Arlene Tibbetts - January 17, 2018 at 09:30 AM

LD

“ Love, Aunt Verna, Vonne, Arlene, A. D. purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Alice Marie Reneau.



Love, Aunt Verna, Vonne, Arlene, A. D. - January 17, 2018 at 09:29 AM

TB

“ When I was six years old, I would rock Marie in a rocking chair. When I told her I was going to put her down, she would start crying! I rocked her many times until one day the rocking chair broke down! I loved her so much!
Aunt Florene Owen
My special memory of Marie was when her family would come to visit and we would all get to sleep on a pallet on the floor. She was always so much fun! Marie, many years later, directed my and Gary's wedding! She did a beautiful job and made the event a lot of fun! Marie was deeply loved by our family! Cousin Vivian Owen Beasley:)

Thelma F. Owen and Vivian O. Beasley - January 16, 2018 at 09:02 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alice Marie Reneau.*



January 16, 2018 at 08:45 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Alice Marie Reneau.*



January 15, 2018 at 10:31 PM