



Florence Mae Wright Cherry

October 24, 2013

Florence Mae Wright Cherry, 89, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother passed away at her home in Goodview, Virginia, Thursday October 24th surrounded by her loving family. Born in Bedford, Virginia, Florence was a longtime resident of Churchland/Western Branch, Virginia. She was partner with her husband in Palmer Cherry Concrete, a competitive horsewoman, avid gardener, bird lover and devoted to her many dogs over the years.

Florence was preceded in death by her husband of 53 years, Allen Palmer Cherry Sr. She is survived by her daughter Gail Turner of Alexandria, Virginia and son Allen Palmer Cherry Jr. Pat of Goodview, Virginia. She leaves behind her four adoring granddaughters, Miranda Brickley Tim, Barbara Thompson, Amanda Taylor James, Tracey Turner; six great-grandchildren, Taylor, Mason, Isabella, Charli, Payton, & Griffin. Survivors also include six other grandchildren, Natalie, Richard, Ruby, Lorelei, Sean and Alex; cousins Lavonia Lawhorn, Jo Anne Hutchins; nieces Cheryl, Betsy, Mollie, Anita, Sandy and Cydney; nephews Ricky, Bobby W, Bobby H.; sister-in-law, Aline Hartsell Bob; caregiver June Sublett and many close friends.

Florence loved and cherished her family and friends. As the years progressed, she knew the challenges of aging but continued to care and think of others first.

Her viewing will be at Loving Funeral Home, Churchland Chapel Portsmouth, VA on Sunday, October 27th from 3-5 p.m. with a grave-side service for her internment on Monday, October 28th at 2 p.m. at Churchland Baptist Church where Florence was a long time member, 3031 Churchland Blvd., Chesapeake, Virginia 23321. The family has requested in lieu of flowers that donations be made to Oldies But Goodies Cocker Spaniel Rescue, P.O. Box 361, Newington, Virginia 22122-036 in honor of Florence's beloved pets Freckles and Sandy.

Tribute Wall



“ Florence , I will always love and miss you. So thankful you are now at peace.##imported-begin##Jo Anne Hutchens##imported-end##

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“ "Heaven is only sweeter now with your presence Dear Friend, and Neighbor."

To the Family: Tenderly may God heal your sorrow,
Gently may He ease your pain,
Softly may His peace replace heartache,
and may warmest memories remain.##imported-begin##Betty Mays##imported-end##

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“ Gone but never forgotten. We had great times together and I'll always remember the sweet lady you were.

June##imported-begin##June Sublett##imported-end##

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“ You will be in hearts forever##imported-begin##Steve & Vickie Boyd##imported-end##

October 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM