



Mary Elizabeth Thompson

January 8, 2010

Mary Elizabeth Taylor Thompson, 91, a longtime resident of Portsmouth, died Jan. 8, 2010, at the home of her daughter. She was the widow of Orvin F. "Huck" Thompson. She was predeceased by her parents, Jacob S. Taylor and Odie H. Taylor of Emporia, Va., and was the youngest and last surviving of three brothers and five sisters. She is survived by her daughter, Sue Stublen and husband Robert B. Stublen of Chesapeake; four grandchildren, Julie S. Minter and husband Steven L. Minter of Portsmouth, Neal C. Stublen and wife Anne P. Stublen of Olathe, Kan., Christopher L. Stublen of Portsmouth and Brian F. Stublen and wife Nikki of Portsmouth; six great-grandchildren, Steven and Matthew Minter of Portsmouth, Andrew, William and Elizabeth Stublen of Olathe and Carly Stublen of Portsmouth. She was a member of Port Norfolk Baptist Church and the Eastern Star. She was an accomplished seamstress, having made hundreds of costumes for dance recitals for the Jean Ballance School of Dance, as well as sewing and alterations of women's clothing, tablecloths, draperies and bedding for more than 50 years. She was very meticulous in her work and everything had to be "just right." Mary played a huge part in raising her four grandchildren during their early formative years for which Sue and Robert will be forever thankful. Goodnight "Nan" we will all miss you. Thanks for the many blessings you bestowed upon us. The family will receive friends at Loving Funeral Home, 3225 Academy Ave., Portsmouth, Jan. 10 between 3 and 5 p.m. A graveside service will be held Monday, Jan. 11, at 3 p.m. in the mausoleum chapel of Meadowbrook Memorial Gardens,

Suffolk, by the Rev. Richard W. Liverman.

Tribute Wall



“ Sue & Bob, Ken & I are sorry to learn of your Mother's passing. She lived such a long life and was so much a part of your lives. Take comfort in the hope of our faith, that to be absent in the body is to be present with our Lord. Your Mom is now receiving her crown of glory!!! Ken & Ginger Olivier###imported-begin###Kenneth & Virginia Olivier###imported-end##

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“ Sue & Bob, my heartfelt condolences to you and your family. My thoughts are with you in this time of sadness & also of joy, knowing your Mother is now at rest. Sincerely,
Your friend, Ted Serpas###imported-begin###Ted Serpas###imported-end##

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“ Sue, my thought and prayers are with you and your family. You always looked after your Mother and that is certainly something that you can take comfort in.###imported-begin###James R. Spacek###imported-end##

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