



Opal Adams Sheppard

July 17, 1913 - May 21, 2015

Mrs. Opal Adams Sheppard of Laurel, MS passed away peacefully at Magnolia Gardens Assisted Living in Ellisville, MS on May 21, 2015. She was under the care of hospice and was surrounded by family, friends, and clergy. She was preceded in death by her husband, Don Sheppard, Sr.; her son, Donald R. Sheppard, Jr.; and an infant grandson, William A. "Kip" Loving. She is survived by her daughter, Sharon S. Loving and son-in-law, Bill; grandchildren, Andy Loving (Mary) of Laurel, Donna Loving Hale (Carl) of Salisbury, MD, and Donald Scott Sheppard of Batesville, MS; and daughter-in-law, Sandra Sheppard of Laurel. She is also survived by five great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

Mrs. Sheppard was a master bridge player and taught bridge at the YWCA. She was the secretary of the Mississippi State Ladies Golf Association in the fifties, and was an avid angler, loving to fish from ponds, to bayous, rivers, and in the gulf.

She was a member of First Trinity Presbyterian Church.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, May 24, 2015, at Memory Chapel with visitation beginning at 1 p.m. Burial will follow at Crestview Cemetery in Laurel. Rev. Mike Allen will officiate.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to Westminster Presbyterian Church Honduras Mission Fund, 1200 Highway 15 North, Laurel, MS 39440.

Memory Chapel is in charge of the arrangements. To view and sign the family

guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ Sharon and Andy, I'm so sorry for your loss. May God wrap His loving arms around you and all of your family and comfort you during this difficult time. Your mother certainly had a long and happy life and is in a better place now. Love you, Sue

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