



Thelma Smith

January 1, 2008

Thelma Barton Smith of Lake Ridge, VA died on January 1, 2008 at at the Westminster at Lake Ridge Retirement Community in Lake Ridge, Virginia. She was 94.

She was the daughter of John C., Sr. and Bertha Barton Smith. She attended public schools in Kent County and graduated in 1934 from Washington College. In 1948 Miss Smith was awarded the M. Ed. Degree from the University of Maryland. She worked in Washington D.C. at the General Accounting Office for three years following college graduation. In September 1937 Miss Smith returned to Chestertown High School to begin a career in teaching, remaining there six years before moving to Prince George's County. She retired in June 1971 after twenty three years as an elementary school principal.

For the past ten years she resided at the Westminster at Lake Ridge Retirement Community in Lake Ridge, Virginia.

Miss Smith is survived by a special great nephew, T. Scott Ehlers; nieces and nephews; great -nieces and nephews; great, great – nieces and nephews as well as many close friends who are grateful that she “adopted” them along the way.

Graveside services will be held on Monday, January 7, 2008 at 2:00 PM at Church Hill Cemetery in Church Hill, Maryland. Relatives and friends are invited to a visitation at Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home, 130 Speer Road, Chestertown, MD at 1:00 until the graveside service.

Tribute Wall



“ *Thelma Smith*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Thelma Smith*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM