

Anna Lee (Bartlett) Carter Obt.

COOKEVILLE -- A private family gathering for Anna Lee Carter, 91, of Cookeville, will be held at 4:30 p.m. today, Sunday, Aug. 8, at Crest Lawn Funeral Home.

The family will be together from 3 p.m. until the burial at 4:30 p.m., which will be at Crest Lawn Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Carter passed away peacefully on Friday, Aug. 6, 2010, in Cookeville Regional Medical Center.



She was born Oct. 20, 1918, in Hopewell to the late Roscoe and Katherine Shanks Bartlett.

Mrs. Carter was a member of First United Methodist Church.

She met Willis Carter Jr. and they were married for 67 years. They resided in Cookeville for 30 years. She was very proud of Major Willis' military career and she worked at Arlington Hall Army Post in Virginia as a bookkeeper in the Officer's Club. She cherished her life as a homemaker and was a devoted wife to her husband and a loving sister, aunt and friend to all she met. She always loved helping others.

Her family includes a sister, Vera Sealey of Wasquah, Wash.; four sisters-in-law, Pauline Johnson, Willene Choate and Ann Welch, all of Cookeville, and Sue Birdwell of Maryville; a brother-in-law, Charles Carter of Cookeville; five nieces, Ann Frances Johnson of Stanton, Regina Ward Williams of Kennesaw, Ga., and Anna Ruth McDaniel, Arlene Edgington and Arlene Mason, all of Cookeville; and nine nephews, Charles Ward of San Antonio, Texas, Larry Bartlett of Cookeville, Buddy and Bob Bartlett, both of Warner Robbins, Ga., Roger Bartlett of Akron, Ohio, Tim Sealey of Sammamish, Wash., and Bart and Jeff Bartlett, both of Nashville, and Jerry Bilbrey of Lafayette.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by five sisters, Pansy Stone, Thelma Bilbrey, Stella Ward, Maurine Leftwich and Hortense Bartlett; four brothers, Doyle, Cordell, Ned and Walter K. Bartlett; three brothers-in-law, Hubert, Lloyd D. and James D. Carter; and a niece, Lois Sherrell.

Memorial donations may be made to the charity of choice.

Please go to www.crestlawnmemorial.com to sign the online guest book and send the family a message.

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*See Shanks files at: <http://www.ajlambert.com>