



Margaret Fritz

April 10, 1924 - September 1, 2007

Margaret S. Fritz, age 83, of Damascus, Virginia, passed away on Saturday, September 1, 2007 at Wellmont Hospice House in Bristol, Tennessee. She was a native of Laurel Bloomery, Tennessee and was a daughter of the late Joseph and Annie Pennington. She had lived in Damascus, Virginia most of her adult life and was a member of the First Baptist Church in Damascus. She had served as secretary/treasurer for the Women's Missionary Society for over forty years and she retired from McBee Systems in 1994. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by her husband, Walter H. Fritz. She is survived by two sons, Kenneth Fritz and his wife, Angie, of Damascus, Virginia, and Tony Fritz and his wife, Sara, of Damascus, Virginia; three grandchildren, Jesse Fritz, Alesia Hutchinson, and Pam Fritz; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral service will be conducted at 11:00 A.M. Monday, September 3, 2007, at the graveside at Sunset Memorial Park with Pastor Brent Nidiffer and Rev. Wayne Guynn officiating. Pallbearers will be Tommy Blevins, Bob Blevins, Ken Nidiffer, Mike Blackburn, John Henderson Jr., and Jack Henderson. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be sent to the Damascus Volunteer Rescue Squad, P. O. Box 458, Damascus, VA 24236. The family will receive friends from 7-9 P.M. Sunday, September 2, 2007, at Garrett Funeral Home. The family would like to extend a special thanks to the Wellmont Hospice House staff for all their wonderful care and to all the doctors and nurses that provided her care. They would also like to thank a special friend, Norman Reese, and his family for all their support. Condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.garrettfuneralhome.com or you may fax condolences to 276-475-5902. Mrs. Fritz and her family are in the care of Garrett Funeral Home, 203 N. Shady Ave., Damascus, VA 24236, 276-475-3631.

Comments



“ Tony, Kenny and families, We are so sorry for the loss of your precious mother. She was a fine Christian lady and the angels are surely rejoicing at her homecoming. We know how difficult it is to lose your mother but take comfort in knowing her destiny. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Joe and Shirley (Harris) Brand - September 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Tony, Kenny and Family,
I was so sorry to hear about the passing of your dear mother. I know she is with the Lord and will look forward to seeing each of you again someday. I'm so glad for the time I got to spend with her this summer. My prayers are with each of you.
Love,
Connie Faulkner

Connie Faulkner - September 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Craig

September 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Tony and Kenny,

So sorry to hear about the death of your mother.

Chad Robinson

Joe and Betty Chandler - September 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Tony and Kenny and families, I am so sorry about the loss of your Mom. My Mom died on Aug. 8,2007 and I have missed her so much this year. Your Mom was so dear, with a great sense of humor, and special "Agent 99" abilities. She will be so missed in Damascus. I know she was so glad to have you guys near to help her when she needed it. Take care of yourselves. Love, T. K.

T.K. Pratt - September 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Sheriff Fred Newman and the members of the Washington County Sheriff?s Office would like to express their sympathy in the death of Mrs. Fritz. If our Sheriff?s Office can be of assistance to you during your time of sadness, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sheriff Newman and Members of the Washington County Sheriff?s Office

Fred Newman - September 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ To Tony:
I am so sorry for your loss. I'm sure that you have many happy memories that you will always treasure and will make your mother even more special to you.
Fondly,
Peggy

Peggy Friedenber - September 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Tony, Kenny and families,
I am so sorry that you have lost your precious mother. She always had a friendly smile and a kind word for anyone she met. My Mom, Edith, always considered her a friend and they had some fun times together. What a reunion we will all have someday with our Moms and Dads.

Pat Hott

Pat Meadows Hott - September 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Kenny, Tony, and families, I was so sorry to hear about the death of your Mom. She was such a wonderful lady, I can't express how deep my affection for her was. I apologize for not making contact sooner, but I just found out today of her passing (3-20-08). Your Mom had the sweetest smile, the most lovely way about her, the kindest heart, and simply made everyone she met feel like they were important and special. When I was in high school, I used to stop to see her at the store every day on my way home to gossip about my day. She really made a difference to me at a time when I needed it. You're all in my prayers as you go through this sad time. Love, Patti

Patti Rush Silvers - September 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



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