



Jean McCrary

June 9, 1924 - May 24, 2012

Mrs. Margaret Jean Connett McCrary, age 87, passed away Thursday, May 24, 2012. Funeral Services will be conducted Saturday, May 26, 2012 at 11AM at the First United Methodist Church of Milledgeville with Dr. Mike Cavin, Dr. Jay Hodges, and Allison Griner officiating. Interment will follow in Crowell Community Cemetery in Taylor Co. at 3PM.

The family will be at Williams Funeral Home of Milledgeville Friday Evening from 6-8PM to receive friends.

Mrs. McCrary was born in Washington, D.C. and was raised in Greenville, Pennsylvania was preceded in death by her parents Manning Leroy Connett and Isabelle Abel Connett, husband Rev. Howard Gray McCrary, Sr., and brother William Manning Connett. She was a graduate of the Chicago Evangelistic Institute with a degree in Sacred Literature and she held three degrees from Georgia Southern. She was a past Regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, a Past President of the Ladies Golf Association and the Retired Baldwin County Teachers Association, and was a member of the First United Methodist Church where she taught the George O. King Sunday School class and held bible studies. Mrs. McCrary enjoyed playing bridge.

She is survived by her daughter Linda Jean McCrary Ellison of Milledgeville; son Howard "Gray" (Janet) McCrary, Jr. of Leesburg; grandchildren Katie M.

Wall, Michael Kevin McCrary, and Autumn Ellison Chapman; great grandchildren Millie Gray Chapman and Matthew Scot Wall; and sister Kathryn Virginia Connett Fischer.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to the First United Methodist Church of Milledgeville or to the United Methodist Childrens Home of Macon P.O. Box 2600, Macon, GA 31203.

Tribute Wall



“ Autumn, I am so sorry to hear of the lose of you Grandmother she will truley be missed.##imported-begin##Ruth Hooker##imported-end##

June 24, 2012 at 05:43 PM



“ Linda and Gray,
We wanted you to know you and your family are in our thoughts. Your mother was a gracious woman who knew no stranger. She made those around her feel loved. She will be missed. We will continue to keep you in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Paul and Kay Turner##imported-end##

May 26, 2012 at 08:27 PM



“ Jolene and I have enjoyed our association with Jean over the years though the South Georgia Conference and when we visited our son, Keith and his family, at FUMC, Jean always made a special effort to speak to us. We are grateful for having known her and prayer her memory will ccontinue to bless the family always.##imported-begin##Rev. and Mrs. H. Eugene Barlow##imported-end##

May 26, 2012 at 04:12 PM



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May 26, 2012 at 08:14 AM



“ Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family. We will continue to keep you all in our prayers.##imported-begin##Gwendolyn Greene-Ashley##imported-end##

May 26, 2012 at 01:02 AM



“ Autumn and family...so sorry to read about this. Mrs. Jean always invited me to the Retired Teachers' Luncheon and I always went when she called! She was a delight and such a wonderful, inspirational woman. God bless you all and we'll be praying for you in the days ahead.##imported-begin##Steve and Judy Ivey##imported-end##

May 25, 2012 at 07:49 PM



“ What a remarkable, remarkable lady!! Jean McCrary was the dear mother of my treasured friend Linda from our college days in the late 1960s. I was always uplifted by Mrs. McCrary's love for God, love for her precious family, love for her much-valued friends, her get-up- and-go, and her zest for life. Jean McCrary made our world a better place. My heartfelt sympathy to Linda, Autumn, Gray, and their families. Heaven has just gained a special angel! Love, Julie Ferguson Ferguson##imported-begin##Julie Ferguson##imported-end##

May 25, 2012 at 11:52 AM



“ Autumn,

I am thinking of you and keeping you and your family in my prayers at this time. May the many memories you have of your grandmother bring you comfort during this time.

Love, Lauren##imported-begin##Lauren Deen##imported-end##

May 25, 2012 at 10:42 AM



“ Autumn & Steve

We are sorry to hear about the loss of your grandmother. I know this has been a difficult time for you. Just want you to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Love, Richard & DeeDee##imported-begin##Richard & DeeDee Robbins##imported-end##

May 25, 2012 at 09:37 AM



“ Since I am leaving the country for a couple of weeks and will not be here to attend the funeral, I wanted to let Jean's family know I share your grief in her death. She was quite a lady.##imported-begin##Carolyn P. Spivey##imported-end##

May 25, 2012 at 07:57 AM