



## Ruth Wooten Hackett

January 7, 1929 - May 15, 2020

Mrs. Ruth Wooten Hackett, age 91, of Elmwood, TN, passed away on Friday, May 15, 2020.

Mrs. Hackett was born January 7, 1929 in Bluff Creek, TN, a daughter of the late Elmer Dale Wooten and Mai Lynch Wooten. She was also preceded in death by Infant brother; Dale Wayne Wooten, Brothers; Bernice Dalton Wooten and Jack Donald Wooten, Sister-in-Law; Ruby Stallings Wooten, two stillborn siblings, and one grandchild; Jordan Cage Hackett.

Mrs. Ruth never lived anywhere except Smith County, TN. She married C.E. Hackett on March 15, 1958 at Cedar Point United Methodist Church. They lived in the Town of Carthage then moved to Sullivan's Bend in Elmwood, TN. Growing up Ruth attended Bluff Creek School, a one room county school, until 4th Grade when she transferred to Gordonsville Elementary. She finished elementary school at Gordonsville and then entered Gordonsville High School where she graduated in 1946 at the age of 17. She played basketball through elementary and high school. After school she worked as a bookkeeper and secretary for Cumberland Supply. She was a member of the Business Professional Women for several years, Carthage UMW, and Carthage F.C.E. Club. She loved her family and her church. She enjoyed the quietness of her home in Sullivan's Bend. Mrs. Ruth said many times some days even the dogs don't bark. She was a member of Cedar Point United Methodist Church

since 1945.

Mrs. Ruth was looking forward to that glorious day to meet her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Mrs. Hackett is survived by Husband; C.E. Hackett. Five Children; Charles Edward (Rebecca Cather) Hackett, Ronald Wayne (Jayne Taylor) Hackett, Kenneth Nelson (Ellen Vuillod) Hackett, Angela Ruth Hackett (David) Watson, and Stephen Cage (Karen Huffines) Hackett. Grandchildren; Casey Hackett (Eric) Swann, Catherine (Fiancé, Mark Allen) Hackett, Hunter (Fiancé, Jenna McKinney) Hackett, Alexandra Hackett, Tanner Hackett, and Georgie Grace Hackett. Great-grandchildren; Dayne Swann and Taylor Swann. Sister; Etheleen Gass of Gordonsville, TN. Sister-in-Law; Patricia Hughes Wooten. Numerous nieces and nephews also survive.

Public Graveside Services and Interment for Mrs. Ruth Hackett are scheduled to be conducted on Sunday, May 17, 2020 at 2:45PM at the Smith County Memorial Gardens.

The Hackett Family will hold private funeral services.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials in Mrs. Ruth's memory be made to the Jordan Hackett Foundation, P.O. Box 45, Carthage, TN 37030.

**BASS FUNERAL HOME, CARTHAGE CHAPEL, DIRECTORS**

# Cemetery Details

## Smith County Memorial Gardens

618 College Ave  
Carthage, TN 38563

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

MAY 17. 2:45 PM (CT)

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618 College Ave  
Carthage, TN 38563

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kathy and I send our warmest condolences. We weren't around her a lot, but we were around her enough to know that she was a special person, as evidenced by the rest of the family. Prayers and hugs.*

*Mark & Kathy Ray*



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**Mark Ray** - May 17, 2020 at 07:02 PM

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“ *Bill and I are so sorry for your loss. She was a wonderful spouse and mother. Prayers for the Hackett Family during this time of missing your loved one.*

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**Bill and Bettie Moore** - May 17, 2020 at 05:19 PM



“ *CE, Ronnie, Kenny, Webbles and Angie. Mom and I are so sorry to hear of your loss. We loned Ms Ruth like she was one of our own and will miss her greatly. Please know that you all are in our thought's and prayers at this time.*

*All our Love and best wishes*

*Mina Henderson & Valerie Key N Baxter Key*

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**Baxter Key** - May 15, 2020 at 09:05 PM