



Letty Rogers Bryant

April 14, 1917 - November 9, 2012

Letty Rogers Bryant, age 95, died Friday, November 9, 2012 after living a full and eventful life. She was born in Boone, North Carolina to Ida and Sion Rogers.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 57 years, Eulys Bryant; a daughter, Glenda Ann Williamson; two sisters, Marie Wilson and Blanche Rogers; and two brothers, Vilas Rogers and Turner Rogers.

Survivors include her daughter and son-in-law, Louise and Don Van Hyning; son-in-law Wayne Williamson; five grandchildren, Susan Stapleton, Jeanne Gamble, Clifford Williamson, Chad Van Hyning and Dirk Van Hyning; six great-grandchildren, Ciara Hensley, Derek Stapleton, Layla Stapleton, Jackson Van Hyning, Sam Van Hyning and Eliza Van Hyning; devoted niece Nancy Marsh and special friend Brenda Green.

She graduated from Lincoln Memorial University in 1939 and was a teacher for 36 years. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm Monday, November 12, 2012 at Manes Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Rick Spell and Rev. Marta Cogburn officiating. Burial will follow in Union Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm at Manes Funeral Home Chapel prior to funeral service.

In lieu of flowers memorials can be made to Cocke County Retired Teacher's

Association, Scholarship Fund, c/o Betty Jones, 1351 Hwy 321, Parrottsville,
TN 37843.

Family and friends may sign the guest register online at www.manesfuneralhome.com

Manes Funeral Home in charge.

Tribute Wall



“ *Letty Rogers Bryant*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Louise, I am so sorry that Nancy and I did not learn of your Mom's death until today (Friday); I would like to have been a part of being able to attend her service and the celebration of a life well lived. I think you know that I had the greatest admir*

Roger and Nancy Butler - November 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *It was an honor to have been a student of Mrs. Bryant; she was a wonderful teacher. Neither my daughter nor my granddaughter can perform anything related to homemaking. While I hated having to keep my nose to the grindstone in class, I learned well the*

Hilda Denton Lovell - November 16, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mrs. Bryant was a "master teacher" before such accolades became popular. The lessons I learned from her were much greater than (what was then called) Home Ec. class. Eulys and Lettie Bryant were legendary figures in the educational system in Cocke County*

Margo Valentine - November 16, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SN

“ I am so sorry to her of Mrs. Bryants passing. I just wanted to express how much Mrs. Bryant meant to me. She was my 4th grade teacher when I was a student at Del Rio Elementary School. Her didication to education was a great influence to me in my decision

Sharon Ellison Nease - November 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PL

“ Sorry for your loss.

PEGGY W. LANE - November 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

WS

“ Mrs. Bryant was one of the kindest and nicest ladies I have ever known. You all are in. My thoughts and prayers in your time of loss.

Wendy Sisk-Ball - November 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Thanks for being such a great teacher, I have remembered you through all these years. With much love, Shirlene Gates Myers.

Shirlene Gates Myers - November 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Debbie Solomon - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ I am very sorry for your loss. My partner Frank and I had the pleasure of traveling with Ms. Letty to the Thomasville center by ambulance last Tuesday. May God bless and comfort you during this time of loss.

Karen Chambers - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ Just wanted to let all of you know how sorry I am that Letty has left this earth. However, it brings me comfort that she is back in arms of her loving husband and daughter. Some of the best memories of my life were spent with horses and family reunions

Patti Cureton Banker - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

HH

“ I regret that I could not attend the funeral. I loved Ms. Letty. I pray God will be with you during this time of loss. Everyone that ever mentions knowing your mom talks about all the wonderful things she taught them. She will be greatly missed.

Henrietta Hefner - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ Your parents were an inspiration to all of the children who attended Cosby Elementary/High School and Jenkins Chapel Methodist Church. Mickey, Kay, Nancy, and Marty Keener

Kay Keener-O'Neil - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. Bryant. I always liked her as a teacher and thought she was a wonderful person. She touched the lives of many young people. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Carol Bryant Chason - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Letty Rogers Bryant

Jeff Kyker - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Our sympathies to the entire family. Ms. Bryant was a wonderful lady.

Ben and Jill Butler - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LD

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Linnie Denton - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ Thoughts of Grandmother Letty leave me at a loss for words. She had such a great impact on so many lives and personally enriched my life just knowing her and the remarkable life she lived. No words of condolence can assuage her loss, I pray that the che

Rob Gamble - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ I met Letty Bryant as a member of the Alpha Omega chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International for Key Women Teachers. She was truly a "key woman teacher", not just in the classroom but in our organization. As a charter member of 50 years, she guided

Elaine Householder McIntosh - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family during this time. Mrs. Letty was one of my mom's (Gelena Hill Dockery) special friends. she always talked about how she loved them Mr and Mrs Bryant and thought they were such wonderful teachers. It was exac

Linda (Dockery) Wood - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss.

Betty Bryant - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ With our sympathy and prayers to the family of a special lady!

Rob & Lisa Myers - November 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

NW

“ Louise, so sorry for your loss. Your mother was such a sweet and gracious lady.

Nancy Valentine Ward - November 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ Letty Rogers Bryant

Kaye Bryant Balch - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ *Letty Rogers Bryant*

KATHY AND BUDDY BARNETT - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

NR

“ *Miss Bryant was one of my favorite teachers at Cosby High School.
She was always so sweet and kind.*

Nancy Moore Raines - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM