



Ruth Poston Boyd

May 4, 1934 - April 4, 2022

Ruth Boyd passed away peacefully on Monday, April 4, 2022. She is survived by daughter-in-law Rebecca Morgan-Boyd & Robert Warwick of Savoy, IL; son and daughter-in-law Sid & Amy Boyd of Morristown, TN; son & daughter-in-law Wes and Michelle Boyd of Chattanooga, TN and her sister Brenda Poston Schaeffer of Sebastopol, CA. She is also survived by 4 grandchildren and 11 great-granddaughters: Jason & Ligia Boyd (Zoe, Juliana & Taina); Lauren & Mike Shaub (Edyn, Selah, Farrah, Hollyn & Sutton); Ryan & Jessica Boyd (Lyla & Evie); Brandon & Christie Boyd (Kinsley), along with numerous nieces & nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband Lindsay, son David and her parents Samuel & Alma Poston.

Ruth was born in Mooresville, North Carolina and graduated from Wake Forest College. She married Lindsay on August 11, 1956 and proceeded to raise and inspire her family for the next 65 years. She spent many years teaching at the Early Education School at the First Baptist Church of Newport. She was a member of First Baptist Church and dearly loved her friends of the Sowers/Friendship Sunday School Class.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at the First Baptist Church of Newport on Saturday, April 30. Receiving of Friends from 10:00 AM until Noon, with the service immediately following. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Building Fund of the First Baptist Church of Newport, 261 East Broadway

Street, Newport, TN 37821, are requested.

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

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home, Newport TN.

Previous Events

Receiving of friends

APR **30**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Inc.
363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821
(423) 623-6952
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<https://www.manesfuneralhome.com/index.cfm>

Celebration of Life Service

APR **30**. 12:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Newport
261 E Broadway
Newport, TN 37821
(423) 623-3034

Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Poston Boyd*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *She will be missed . Kristi Bradshaw and Donna Gilliam*

Donna Gilliam - April 29, 2022 at 01:42 PM



“ *She was our daughters early education teacher. They thought the world of her. Rest In Peace dear lady.*

Steven and Loretta Taylor - April 27, 2022 at 03:50 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ruth Poston Boyd.*



April 26, 2022 at 04:25 PM



“ *Prayers!*



Louise & Jimmy Hux - April 26, 2022 at 02:05 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Ruth Poston Boyd.*



April 10, 2022 at 09:24 AM



“ *Our very deepest sympathy to all. We were blessed that Mrs. Boyd was Amber's teacher at FBC. Her love and guidance launched Amber on her lifelong journey of learning. We treasure our many memories of this dear lady and pray that angels surround you in the coming days.*

Duay and Kay O'Neil - April 08, 2022 at 11:50 AM