



# **Mrs. Marie Lloyd Beard**

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**K**atherine Marie Lloyd Beard, age 102, widow of Doyle Irwin Beard and a resident of West Meade in Nashville, passed peacefully on the morning of Sunday, August 24, 2014 at Green Hills Health and Rehabilitation Center.

The Boston, Kentucky native was the daughter of the late Oliver Warren and Carrie Wells Lloyd. She was the salutatorian of her graduating class at Boston High School. Upon relocating to Nashville, she was affiliated with Cain-Sloan Department Store in customer service, where she did modeling in the Junior Department.

During World War II she and her husband moved to Tampa, Florida and were employed in the shipbuilding industry. In Tampa, she met her life-long best friend, Ruby Lovell, also of Nashville. She was a life-long member of the Woodmont Christian Church in Green Hills.

Marie enjoyed reading and attending Vanderbilt football games. She was certified in graphoanalysis (IGAS) and a superb homemaker, dedicated to her family and their activities.

She is survived by a daughter, Shirley Ann Beard Ewers; a son, James Doyle (June) Beard; a sister, Juanita (D.B.) Crady; a brother, Clyde (Billie Sue) Lloyd; three grandsons, Jeffrey Morrison Ewers, Matthew William Ewers, and Isaac (Christy) Beard; three great grandchildren, Ethan Dotson, Gabriel Beard, and Zoe Beard; and a multitude of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her sisters Mabel (Hanley) Cheatham and Blanche (Paul) Miller, and by brothers Calvin (Ruth) Lloyd, Gilbert (Gladys) Lloyd, and Clifford Lloyd.

A 'Celebration of Life' will be conducted Wednesday, August 27, 2014 at 1:00PM at Spring Hill Funeral Home with Reverends Clay Stauffer of Woodmont Christian Church and Anne Alexander Stauffer of Cottage In The Woods officiating.

The family will visit with friends Wednesday from 11:00AM until service time at the funeral home. Burial will be in the historic Spring Hill Cemetery. Memorials may be



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made to the Woodmont Christian Church. Arrangements have been entrusted to Spring Hill Funeral Home & Cemetery, Nashville, 615-865-1101 or visit our website at [www.springhillfh.com](http://www.springhillfh.com).



## Events


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### Visitation

 **Wednesday**, August 27, 2014

 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM CT

 **Spring Hill Funeral Home**  
5110 Gallatin Pike S, Nashville TN 37216





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**Deborah** posted:

I send my deepest sympathy to the entire Beard Family. Always remember the wonderful times that you spent with her. Please find comfort in what the Bible says about the opportunity of seeing our loved ones again under the very best of conditions: "There is going to be a resurrection." --Acts 24:15 For more comfort please go to the following website <https://www.jw.org/en/video-why-study-the-bible> and then search for "When Someone You Love Dies" Brochure.

August 28 at 2:33 AM

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**Olevia Taylor** posted:

Just wish to offer my condolences to the family. (Psalm 90:10 )The span of our life is 70 years, Or 80 if one is especially strong. But they are filled with trouble and sorrow; They quickly pass by, and away we fly. Mrs. Beard (102 years) Was blessed with longevity. Although she lived a lone time this does not ease the pain and sorrow. May God give the family and friends strength and peace during this time and in days to come. Warm Christian love to the family.

August 26 at 3:42 AM

JS

**Jackie Pledger Skwerski** September 27 at 3:17 PM

I remember one summer when Mother and I were visiting Nashville and Mother became ill at Grandpas at Pegrimsback in the hinterlands. Sje couldn't care for me and Aunt Ruthjwas tied up so Aunt Mimi drove all those mile to fetch me and take me back to Nashville. Im my foggy mind I link with her lettingme take Neel's two wheeler for a ride. I went faster than she told me to, and slid on the gravel, went over the handlebars and ended up with a leg that looked like hamburger. She lovinglytended my wounds. At that point I knew she was my loving aunt. She lived a great long life (just like my mom) and although mysympathies are with you at this time, Jimmy and Ann, I alsocelebrate her long life. Jackie Pledger Skwerslo



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Marie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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