



Eloise Bennett Wallace

April 10, 1921 - August 22, 2008

Eloise Bennett Wallace, 87, of Conway, passed away Friday, August 22, 2008. She was born April 10, 1921 in Perryville, Arkansas, a daughter of Gordon Bennett and Pauline Rickman Bennett. She was the widow of Thomas Loomis Wallace, a retired Counselor for Perryville School District and a member of First Baptist Church Nimrod.

Survivors include two sisters, Laura Vaught and husband Warren of Perryville, Peggy Williams and husband Virgil of Perryville; one brother, Dick Bennett and wife Nora of Bigelow; and many nieces and nephews.

Eloise was preceded in death by her brothers, Paul Bennett, Donald Bennett, and Harold Bennett; and two sisters, Vaunda Bennett McCoy, and Joann Rinehart.

Funeral Services will be 2:00 p.m. Monday, August 25, 2008, at First Baptist Church in Perryville with Bro. Mike Hairston officiating. Burial will be at Nimrod Cemetery with by Harris Funeral Home of Perryville. Family will receive friends 4:00-6:00 p.m. Sunday, August 24, 2008 at the funeral home in Perryville. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Nimrod Baptist Church or Nimrod Cemetery Fund.

Tribute Wall



“ *Eloise Bennett Wallace*

January 30, 2023 at 02:08 AM



“ *Mrs. Wallace was a special person. She will be greatly missed.*

August 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ms. Eloise was one of the best teachers in the Perryville school system when I was in school. I had her for a teacher in Jr. High, but was friends with her neice Polly from about 3rd grade on until we were adults.*

I know she touched many lives for the better.

Rosie

August 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *We all will miss Miss Eloise. She has had an impact on so many lives through the years and I feel certain she could have named almost all of them at any given moment. A truly amazing lady. Heaven is rejoicing in her arrival.*

August 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ MISS ELOISE WAS MY HISTORY & CIVICS TEACHER; AS WELL AS MY HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR. IT DID NOT MATTER WHO YOU WERE OR HOW MUCH MONEY YOU HAD; SHE ALWAYS TREATED EVERYONE THE SAME. SHE HAD MORE INFLUENCE ON MY LIFE THAN ANY OTHER PERSON OUTSIDE MY FAMILY. I HAVE ALWAYS REMEMBERED HER DEFINITION OF FREEDOM: " FREEDOM IS THE RIGHT TO DO WHATEVER YOU WANT AS LONG AS IT DOESN'T INTERFERE WITH SOMEONE ELSE'S FREEDOM." AND " GET OUT THERE AND VOTE, IT IS YOUR RIGHT."

I HAVE THOUGHT OF HER OFTEN AND I KNOW THAT HER PLACE IN HEAVEN WILL BE RIGHT UP THERE AT THE TOP, BESIDE OUR GOD. SHE HAS TOUCHED MORE HEARTS & MINDS THAN ANYONE CAN COUNT.

August 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ She was a special person. My thoughts are with the family.

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“ Mrs. wallace was one of my favorite people from my years of teaching at PHS. She made the world a better place by being in it.

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“ Our sincere sympathy to the family of Miss Eloise. She knew how to get high school students interested in the great importance of continuing their formal education after high school graduation. God bless.

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“ SHE WAS SUCH A SWEET LADY.I LOVED HER FOR THE FACT SHE WOULD ASK HOW YOU AND YOUR FAMILY ARE DOING.IF YOU NEEDED TO KNOW SOMEONES NAME IF YOU FORGOT ALL YOU HAD TO DO ASK HER AND SHE COULD TELL YOU AND WHO THEIR FAMILY ARE.SHE LOVED HER FAMILY AND FRIENDS.SHE ALSO LOVED HER COMMUNITY.SHE ALWAYS NEW WHAT WAS GOING ON IN THE COMMUNITY.SHE TOUCHED MANY LIVES.SHE WILL BE GREATLY MISSED BY HER COMMUNITY AS WELL.WITH LOVE,KERRI GROWNS @ PERRY COUNTY NURSING CENTER.

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