



Helen Francis Peele

September 22, 1930 - March 11, 2016

Helen Francis Peele, 85, of 2526 North Main Street, Danville, VA was called to her heavenly home on Friday, March 11, 2016 after being in declining health for the past several years.

Mrs. Peele was born in Johnston County, NC on September 22, 1930 a daughter to the late Percy Fitzhugh Lee Underhill and Hester Smith Underhill. She lived most of her life in Danville, VA where she was a devoted homemaker and babysitter. She was known as “mama Peele” to the neighborhood children who she loved and cared for very much. Mrs. Peele later worked at Roman Eagle Memorial Home as a sitter. She loved people and most of all she loved her family. Mrs. Peele was a member of the former Lee Street Baptist Church prior to becoming a member of Woodlawn Baptist Church.

She was formerly married to Mack R. Peele , Jr. of Danville, VA.

Mrs. Peele is survived by one son Larry P. Peele, (Lisa), three daughters Brenda P. Vasser of Danville, VA, Barbara P. Reynolds (Emmett) of Bedford, VA & Pauline Peele of Danville, VA, one sister Ruby U. Briley of Tarboro, NC, four grandchildren & 10 great grandchildren.

She was predeceased by one infant son Timothy Peele, two sisters Esther

Rawlins & Martha Crème, two brothers Bill Underhill & Percy Underhill and one nephew Brian Vasser.

Funeral Services will be conducted on Sunday, March 13, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. from the Graveside in Danville Memorial Gardens by the Reverend Doug Ramsey. The family will receive friends at the residence of Larry & Lisa Peele, 3145 Westover Drive, Danville, VA 24541.

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel is respectfully serving the Peele family.

Tribute Wall



“ *Larry, Lisa and the family,
Please accept our deepest condolences,
Will and Teresa Williams*



Willard Williams - March 12, 2016 at 11:35 AM