



Thelma Irby Shelton

March 16, 1926 - September 7, 2014

Thelma Irby Shelton, 88, of 338 Ferry Road, Danville, VA, died Sunday, September 7, 2014 at Danville Regional Medical Center after being in declining health for the past five years.

Mrs. Shelton was born in Alexandria, VA, on March 16, 1926, a daughter of the late Charles Bruce Irby and the late Jenny Huffman Irby.

She lived most of her life in Danville, VA, and retired from Burlington Mills where she worked as a weaver. She was of the Baptist faith and was an avid auction person that was known as the "Two Dollar Bill Lady".

On September 22, 1951, she married Bernard Langston Shelton, who died on July 2, 1980.

In addition to her husband, she was predeceased by two sisters, V. Ruth Scruggs and Isabell Irby.

Survivors include two sons, C. Michael Shelton, and Donald Ray Shelton, both of Danville, VA; a daughter, Elaine Shelton Toler, of Danville; a granddaughter, Donna Lynn Bennett, of Danville; and two great grandchildren, Ethan Bennett and Landon Bennett.

Funeral Services will be held on Wednesday, September 10, 2014 at 2:00 P.M. with the Reverend Carl Burger officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Burial Park.

The family will be at the residence of her son, C. Michael Shelton, 125 Campbell Street, Danville, VA.

Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel is serving the Shelton family.

Cemetery Details

Highland Burial Park

3049 North Main Street
Danville, VA