



## LydaBeth Nordman

April 26, 1925 - October 11, 2014

Lydabeth “Lydie” Tucker Nordman passed away at her daughter’s home in Lexington, Kentucky, on October 11, 2014, she was 89 years old.

Born to Moselle and George Tucker on April 26, 1925, in Memphis, TN, Lydabeth grew up in Kenton, TN. Later Lydie and her parents moved to Cairo, Illinois where she attended and graduated from Cairo High School.

In 1946 Lydie married the later Ernest Nordman. She worked in the bookkeeping dept. of First National Banks & Trust Co. for several years before a long career as a deputy in the County Clerk’s Office, serving the late Reid Abercrombie. Later she had a second career as the church secretary for Mighty Rivers (formerly Cairo Baptist Church), the church she joined after her marriage to Ernie. She continued in this position till her late 70’s when an eye condition forced her retirement. She was also a member of the church choir and enjoyed preparing floral arrangements for the altar table.

Lydie loved reading, sewing, cooking, gardening and entertaining friends. She was a loving wife and mother but was widowed at the age of 52. She enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She especially loved hosting and preparing Christmas dinner for all of her family, which grew larger every year.

Lydabeth is survived by her son Ernest (Judy) Nordman of Cape Girardeau, MO; daughter Elizabeth (Jim) Sharpe of Lexington, Ky; 5 grandchildren, Rachael (Joe) Narsh, Gretchen (Andy) McMillen, Todd (Malia) Nordman, Erica (Greg) Gates, Lindsey (Sam) Margolin and 11 great-grandchildren.

Lydabeth was preceded in death by her parents, Moselle and George and her husband, Ernie.

Visitation will be Thursday, October 16, 2014, from 4:00pm until 8:00pm at Crain Funeral Home in Cairo. Friends may call after 10:00am on Friday, October 17, 2014 with funeral services beginning at 11:00am at the Mighty Rivers Church with Reverend Larry Potts officiating. Interment will follow at Green Lawn Cemetery in Villa Ridge.

In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of Lydabeth can be made to Mighty Rivers Church in Cairo or Wounded Warriors Project and will be accepted at the funeral home.

# Tribute Wall



“ *LydaBeth Nordman*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of LydaBeth Nordman.*



October 16, 2014 at 10:55 AM



“ *Love, Becky, Ben, Jillian and Jackson Lawler purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of LydaBeth Nordman.*



**Love, Becky, Ben, Jillian and Jackson Lawler** - October 16, 2014 at 08:20 AM



“ *Barb and Sonny Minor would like to send our condolence , we which you and your family well.*

**Sonny Minor** - October 15, 2014 at 06:24 AM