



## Donia Larkin Anderson

August 8, 1927 - February 28, 2020

Mrs. Donia Larkin Anderson, age 92 of Waverly, TN passed away Friday, February 28, 2020 at Brighton Gardens in Brentwood, TN. She was born August 8, 1927 in Sycamore Landing, TN.

Mrs. Anderson was a lifelong resident of Humphreys County, Tennessee. She was the youngest child of the late William Frank and Amma Bizwell Larkin. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband Harold, brothers Tom, Porter and James Larkin and sisters Betty Larkin, Bertha May and Mary Jo Forrest. She was a member of the Waverly church of Christ and worked for the former Citizens Bank in Waverly for 59 years retiring in 2005. She was an amazing seamstress, cook and homemaker. She will be remembered for her beautiful smile and easy laugh. She is survived by her daughters Kathy (Walter) Baird and Mary Frank (Lawton) Miller and her grandchildren who brought her much joy, Alex, Caroline and Lawton Miller, all of Nashville.

Visitation will be held Sunday, March 1, 2020 at the Waverly church of Christ, Waverly, TN from 12:30 - 3 with a Celebration of Life Service to follow at 3 p.m. A private family burial will follow at Wyly Cemetery, Waverly.

Special thanks to the wonderful caregivers at Brighton Gardens Brentwood and Caris Hospice. Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association or the American Cancer Society.

Arrangements by the Humphreys County Funeral Home (931) 296-5955

# Cemetery

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## Wyly Cemetery

Waverly, TN, 37185

# Events

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**MAR** **Visitation** 12:30PM - 03:00PM

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Waverly Church of Christ  
438 W Main St, Waverly, TN, US, 37185

**MAR** **Celebration of Life** 03:00PM

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# Comments

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“ Ms Donia was such a sweet lady. I remember her working at Citizens Bank along with John Whitfield, Nat Wheeler, Laura Hooper, Jimmy Smith and Carlos Dyer. She and Harold and Mary Frank worshipped with us at Waverly Church of Christ.

Lynn Killebrew - March 03 at 02:10 PM

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Grant Rampy - March 03 at 11:06 AM

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“ It's so difficult -- unfair, really -- to sum up someone's life in a few short lines. Donia Anderson, in fact, meant so much to so many. We knew Eva Donia as friend, cut-up and, more than anything, the Lady who graced 213 E Main for so many happy years. I was blessed to know her not only in my late teens when, as a Lipcomb student, I was a frequent guest at the Anderson home; I was also lucky to visit with Eva many times post college well into my 40s. My young children met and enjoyed "Miss Eva Donia," too. She is one of four superior women I've held up to my daughters as examples of what a real lady should be. (How strange to think back to the era of 'ladies' like Donia — refined, warm, gentle, regal, stately. Rude? Unkind? Crass? Never in my presence; not once.) I could go on sharing countless memories of happy meals (do-ahead potatoes, sweet tea, roast, rolls and cobbler)... chats on the front porch... of times on the Anderson pew at the Waverly CofC with Donia next to her precious Harold. I — we — are so fortunate to have been blessed by the company of this Godly, thoughtful, loving woman. I sure will miss you, Eva Donia. They just don't make 'em like you any more.



Grant Rampy - March 03 at 10:38 AM

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“ My daughter and Miss Donia shared birthdays - August 8th. Melissa would share her birthday cake with her and I remember many happy times from those visits. She was a very special lady. Linda Liggins and daughter Melissa Inkenbrandt

**Linda Liggins** - February 29 at 07:41 AM