



Marie Atkins

June 7, 1916 - January 12, 2015

Mrs. Marie F. Atkins 98, of Conway died on Monday Jan. 12, 2015 at the Grand Strand Regional Medical Center in Myrtle Beach following a brief illness. She was the wife of the late James O. Atkins with whom she shared more than 64 years of marriage. Born in Brooklyn Iowa, daughter of the late Frank and Ethel (Hicks) McGahey, she was educated in local schools. In 1934, she moved to Washington DC where she met and married her husband. She worked for the War Department as a keypunch operator. Her department was one of the first to move into the, then unfinished Pentagon. She retired from the Army Air Force Motion Picture Services following 30 years of service. She liked to knit, crochet, sew, cook, music, travelling and gardening. She was a member of the First Methodist Church of Hyattsville MD and member of Eastern Star for more than 70 years, and locally a member of OES #180. In addition to her husband and parents, she is predeceased by a son James Duane Atkins, a daughter Anita Marie Jacobs, 2 sisters, Helen Pratt and Ruth Iverson. Survived by a son John M. Atkins (Diana) of VA., 2 daughters, Bonnie R. Manning (Kenneth), of Conway, Linda J. Page (Charles) of CA., a granddaughter Elizabeth M. Page of CA. and a sister Esther Edelen of IA. A funeral service will be held on Saturday Jan. 17, 2015 at 3:00pm in the Goldfinch Funeral Home Chapel, Conway. The family will receive visitors prior to services from 1:00-3:00 pm. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. Burial will follow on Wednesday Jan. 21 at 1:00 pm in Cedar Hills Cemetery, Suitland MD. Contributions in Mrs. Atkins name may be sent to St. Jude

Childrens Research Hospital PO Box 1893, Memphis, TN 38101-9950.

Tribute Wall

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“ *John, Christine Hall and Family purchased the With Sympathy Organic Fruit and Cheese Tower for the family of Marie Atkins.*



John, Christine Hall and Family - January 20, 2015 at 10:56 PM

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“ *Maureen J Gauvin lit a candle in memory of Marie Atkins*



Maureen J Gauvin - January 16, 2015 at 07:49 AM