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It is with heavy hearts that the family of Edith C. Nance, age 91, of Chickamauga, announces her passing on Saturday, May 24, 2025, at the Canopy at Boynton Ridge Assisted Living-Memory Care. Edith was born on July 2, 1933, to the late Horace and Ethel Nance on Sand Mountain, AL.

A graduate of high school, Edith pursued secretarial courses before moving to Huntsville, AL in 1956, where she began her career at Redstone Arsenal. Over the years, she traveled the world, making lasting memories and friendships during her time there. Her professional achievements were matched only by her personal passions.

Edith was known for her love of gardening, thrifting, and her marvelous skills in the kitchen, where she delighted family and friends with her "old country" cooking. A faithful member of the Church of God, Edith attended congregations in Huntsville, AL, and East Ridge, TN. Her kindness, wisdom, and loving spirit will be missed by all who knew her. Preceded in death by her parents, one sister, three brothers, nephew Carl Nance Jr., and great-nephew J.B. Nance, Edith leaves behind a loving family: nephews Mike (Georgia) Nance and Jim (Janet) Nance, both of Chickamauga; niece Dennie Jo Lanny Jones of Branford, FL; several great-nieces, great-nephews, and many cousins.

A private graveside service will be held, with a Celebration of Life planned for a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests that donations be made to the Alzheimer's Association in Edith's name.

The family wishes to extend their heartfelt gratitude to Tapestry Hospice nurse, Ashley & Taylor, and the dedicated staff at the Canopy at Boynton Ridge for their compassionate care during Edith's final years.

Arrangements by Wilson Funeral Home-J. Avery Bryan Chapel, Chickamauga.

Cemetery Details

Chickamauga City Cemetery

Lee Ave.
Chickamauga, GA 30707

Tribute Wall

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“ So very sorry to hear Edith's passing. My husband and I lived across the street from her from 20+ years. We used to get each other's paper and mail if we were out of town, and she fed our cats for us. She made brownies and brought them over when Jeff's mother died. She always called with the latest news. I enjoyed talking to her and seeing her outside with Sandy, her little dog. I became a widow in April of this year. I know Jeff would have been saddened by this news also. She will be missed.

Shirley Tingle

Shirley D Tingle - October 09, 2025 at 04:27 PM

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“ Mike I have such fond memories of Edith and I know she is going to be missed greatly! Love and prayers to you all!

Carolyn Autry Master - May 27, 2025 at 06:45 PM

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“ Edith was our neighbor for many years. She adopted many of neighborhood cats her own. She couldn't let them go hungry! She ws a sweet woman who lived a full life.

Ann Webb - May 27, 2025 at 04:10 PM