



## Anita M. Vicars

May 22, 1933 - May 10, 2015

Anita Vicars was born Anita Ruth Morrison on May 22, 1933 in Ottawa, Illinois, the fourth child of Rollin and Rachel Page Morrison. Anita and her mother were both sickly, so she was raised by her uncle Russell Page and his wife, Flora, in Cane Valley, KY for the first few years of her life. She called them “Mama” and “Daddy” all her life. Eventually, she returned to her birth family, who had also returned home to Kentucky. A child of the Great Depression, she spent her early life on a farm. Anita was educated in a one-room schoolhouse in Adair County, Kentucky until her family moved to Louisville. There, she found herself in a very large all-girls high school. She was very smart and did well in school, graduating at age 16 from Shawnee High School. She married twice and leaves three daughters and sons-in-law, Diann and Terry Dempsey, Julie and Lamar Temples, and Jacquelyn and Alan Harlan; six grandsons, Jamie and David Dempsey, Chad and Cody Temples, Sam and Andrew Harlan, and two great grandchildren, Ellison Temples and Corbin Dempsey. She is survived by a sister Lois Patterson. Anita was a woman of high intelligence, sterling character, and deep-rooted integrity. She was quick-witted, and often made her family laugh at some off-the-cuff comment. When hospitalized during her struggle with cancer, she often took her nurses by surprise with a teasing remark. She was grateful for every kindness done for her, and never complained. Her imprint on her family is indelible. She recently remarked that her children, grandchildren, and now great grandchildren are the legacy she leaves behind. She will be deeply

missed, but lives on in the hearts and character of those who love her. Funeral Services will be held at 2 pm Wednesday on May 13, 2015 at First Baptist Church Monroe, Ga.. Dr. Todd Ware will officiate. Interment will follow at RestHaven Cemetery in Monroe, Ga Family will receive friends from 5-8 on Tuesday May 12, 201 at the Tim Stewart Funeral Home at 209 S. Hammond Drive in Monroe Georgia 770-267-2594. Please leave online condolences at [www.stewartfh.com](http://www.stewartfh.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Rest Haven Cemetery

Monroe, GA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 12. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home  
209 South Hammond Drive  
Monroe, GA 30655  
(770) 267-2594  
<http://www.stewartfh.com>

## Service

MAY 13. 2:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Monroe  
Monroe, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Anita M. Vicars*



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**Tim Stewart Funeral Home** - May 14, 2015 at 11:53 AM



“ *Anita M. Vicars*

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October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ *Betty Latham lit a candle in memory of Anita M. Vicars*



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**Betty Latham** - May 12, 2015 at 11:34 AM



“ 51 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Tim Stewart Funeral Home** - May 12, 2015 at 09:43 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Anita M. Vicars.



May 12, 2015 at 09:19 AM



“ *Secret Garden Basket* was purchased for the family of Anita M. Vicars.



May 12, 2015 at 08:28 AM