



## Margarete Lewis Purcell

October 6, 1915 - November 14, 2010

Margarete Louise Lewis Purcell “Nanny” passed away Sunday, November 14, 2010 at 11:40 p.m. Born Oct. 6, 1915 in Hartwell Georgia, she was the second child of Mary Brown and Fred Lewis. She was a graduate of Hartwell High School and Rutherford County (NC) School of Nursing with postgraduate work at William and Mary School of Nursing in Richmond, Virginia. She was a tireless nurse, a devoted wife, mother and grandmother, and a gourmet Southern cook and homemaker. She lived most of her life in Decatur, Georgia and was a member of Decatur First United Methodist Church. She was most recently a resident of Del Mar Gardens in Lawrenceville. She is survived by her daughter, Bonnie Bowen, son-in-law Alan Bowen, granddaughters Rebecca Roper and Cheryl Bansen, sons-in-law Mark Roper and Justin Bansen, great-grandchildren Vaughn Roper and Elise Bansen, sisters Sue Williams and Beth Miller, and brothers James Lewis, Furman Lewis and Sam Lewis. Visitation will be at the home of Bonnie and Alan Bowen, Wednesday, Nov. 17 from 5-7 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Alzheimer’s Association and the American Red Cross.

# Previous Events

## Service

NOV 17. 2:00 PM (ET)

Floral Hills Memory Gardens  
Tucker, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Margarete Lewis Purcell*

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October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM