



Juanita Eileen Magee

February 6, 1918 - November 26, 2012

JUANITA EILEEN MAGEE

Went to be with the Lord on Monday, November 26, 2012, at the age of 94.

She was the daughter of the late O.B. Magee and Ellen Babington.

Eileen was born on February 6, 1918, in Franklinton and moved to Bogalusa with her parents. She lived her entire life there. She graduated from Bogalusa High School as valedictorian, setting a record grade point average. She also graduated from LSU, earning a degree in Library Science. She graduated from Whitworth College, Brookhaven, MS with an associate in Arts. She taught mathematics and library science for many years in schools in Franklinton, Northwestern State University at Natchitoches and Bogalusa. Though she had no children of her own, she loved her cousins, and enjoyed hearing about the accomplishments of their children. She kept pictures of the many grandchildren on the wall by her bed.

Eileen loved her church, and attended and supported it generously through the years. She worked with groups making ceramics, which were really beautiful. She also enjoyed playing bridge, traveling and reading.

Survived by:

Cousins: Herbert Robert (Betty) Babington, Jr. of Slidell, Dr. Thomas M. (Sybil) Babington, III of Little Rock, AR, Margie Babington Sullivan of Meadville, MS, Mary Ann Babington Barlow of Nashville, TN, Sally Babington and Wayne Knight of Franklinton, Branden (Flo) McAlister Also numerous other cousins and family members

Visitation will be held at Crain Funeral Home on Thursday, November 29, 2012 after 12:30 PM with a funeral service to be held at 2 PM in the funeral home chapel with Rev. Steve Bush and Rev. Tom Dolth officiating. Burial will follow in the Ellis Cemetery.

No flowers, please; donations to Centenary Methodist Church in Franklinton, or E.S.M. Methodist in Bogalusa desired in memory of Juanita Eileen Magee.

Tribute Wall

AJ

“ I wanted the family to know how sorry I am over Eileen passing away. She loved my parents and we loved her. She ate many meals at our house and always came to visit when she came to Franklinton. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. She lived a very long life. Love Annwood

Annwood Jenkins - November 30, 2012 at 10:31 PM

CC

“ Miss Magee was 1 terrific teacher! She inspired a lot of us to do many things with our lives. Sympathy to her family; she will be greatly missed in future generations of students.

Charlotte Boyet Crowe - November 29, 2012 at 04:01 PM

MB

“ I extend my heartfelt sympathy to the Magee family. May those precious memories of your dear loved one Juanita be foremost in your hearts and minds along with this wonderful promise that Jesus made at John 5:28,29.

MB - November 29, 2012 at 09:27 AM

BC

“ One of the best teachers I had in school. She helped form a great foundation for many students.

Barbara McGehee Caldwell - November 28, 2012 at 06:15 PM

PC

“ *Ms. Magee - you were such in inspiration to so many of us - I think of you often - you gave me not only my love of books but also of gardening. Thank you.*

Patsy Caldwell - November 28, 2012 at 01:19 PM