



## Magdalene "Tag" Bee

February 3, 2020 - September 17, 2008

Funeral services for Magdalene "Tag" Bee, age 88, of Hideaway are scheduled for 10:30 a.m., Saturday, September 20, 2008, at the Hideaway Lake Community Church, with Dr. Don Anderson and Reverend Hal Farnsworth officiating. Interment will follow in the Mt. Sylvan Cemetery under the direction of Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Directors of Lindale.

Mrs. Bee was born February 3, 1920, in Dallas, Texas, the daughter of the late George and Elma (Stacy) Bickerstaff. She passed away Wednesday, September 17, 2008, in Tyler. Formerly of Dallas, Ms. Bee was a member of Elmwood Baptist Church for many years. After she and her husband moved to Hideaway in 1991 they joined the Hideaway Lake Community Church. She was a homemaker and, along with her husband, owned and operated Bee Appliances in Dallas, retiring in 1985. Her first priority was her twin girls and from the time her girls were young she was involved with children and youth programs in the church. Her love for the Lord was expressed in many ways through 50 years of active participation in the church in teaching, leading and camping activities. Her home was always filled with young people and young adults. Even in her older years, she remained actively involved in Bible Study Fellowship, home Bible study and prayer groups. She loved people and people loved her. Church was one of her favorite places to be.

Mrs. Bee was preceded in death by her husband, Colvin Fred Bee, in May

1994, and by her daughter, Marilyn Chapman, in September 1982.

She is survived by her daughter, Carolyn Dunlap and husband John, of Hideaway; grandchildren Brenda Brakebill and husband Philip of Allen; Linda Cooper and husband Jeff of Tyler; great grandchildren Austin Brakebill of Allen, Emily Brakebill of Allen and Caitlynn Bee Cooper of Tyler.

Pallbearers will be Austin Brakebill, Philip Brakebill, Steve Browning, Dennis Chandler, Jeff Cooper, Jack Hughes, and Mark Swinnea.

Memorials may be made to Samaritan's Purse, P.O. Box 3000, Boone, NC 28607.

Family will receive friends from 6-8 p.m. at the funeral home

# Tribute Wall



“ *Magdalene "Tag" Bee*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Magdalene "Tag" Bee*

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“ *Mrs. Bee was so many things to me, adopted grandmother, mentor (she gave me my first job at Bee Appliances which lasted 10 years)! And no birthday celebration in our family was complete without one of her famous cakes. She was such a loving, caring person and a great role model. I will miss her, but delight that she is home.##imported-begin##April Bliss##imported-end##*

September 29, 2008 at 11:10 AM



“ I have so many fond memories of Mrs. Bee. She was one of the kindest, gentlest souls that I ever met. Always with a sweet smile and a comforting word, she had the most forgiving and humble spirit. Her Christianity just radiated from her and she brought out the best in people. She was a wonderful &quot;grandmother&quot; to all of our children. The love and generosity that she showed to our family was overwhelming. We will miss her but we know that she is with her Saviour, Pops, and Marilyn. We send our love to Carolyn and the rest of the family and are so sorry that we were out of town during the funeral. You were in our thoughts and prayers and we are looking forward to getting together for a nice, long &quot;remember when Tag...&quot; visit.##imported-begin##Gayle Campbell##imported-end##

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September 28, 2008 at 11:54 AM



“ Mrs. Bee... I never thought of it as a strange thing to call a grandmother. But that is what we called her, and she is just what she was to all of us Campbell kids. From those home-made delicious chocolate sheet cakes, to the home-made Cabbage Patch dolls. How she would just light up when we would come in the store. And, oh, how she would indulge us while we were there! Her smiles, her hugs and kisses, her laughter, and her warmth will all be missed greatly. My father is right, it would be nearly impossible to measure the positive influence she had on our lives and to know her was to love her. We miss you Mrs. Bee!##imported-begin##Lauren Campbell##imported-end##

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September 28, 2008 at 10:56 AM



“ Growing up, Mrs. Bee truly was like a grandmother to me. I have so many wonderful memories...from her referring to me as &quot;no bigger than a minute&quot; to the wonderful dolls she would give me and of course, there were her delicious cakes which were the inspiration for my first sentence - &quot;I want cake.&quot; My one regret is not keeping in touch with her more during my adult years. She will be truly missed!###imported-begin##Cristen Campbell Gray###imported-end##

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September 27, 2008 at 03:23 PM



“ I have fond memories of Mrs. Bee from my childhood days at Bee Appliance. She was gentle, caring and always had a smile on her face. When birthdays rolled around you could always expect a delicious and beautiful cake that Mrs. Bee would make from scratch. She was a wonderful lady and will be missed greatly.###imported-begin##Keith W Campbell###imported-end##

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September 27, 2008 at 01:06 PM



“ The entire Campbell clan is so fortunate to have counted Tag Bee as a part of our extended family for so many decades. It would be hard to measure the extent of her positive influence on all of our lives. To know her was to love her.###imported-begin##Larry L Campbell###imported-end##

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September 26, 2008 at 07:10 AM