

Dodson, Kitty Beth Christian | 1917-2012

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Kitty Beth Christian Dodson

Memorial service for Kitty Beth Christian Dodson, 95, of Decatur is 1:30 p.m. Saturday, March 17, at First United Methodist Church in Decatur with Dr. Shelly Brooks and the Rev. Brian McPherson officiating. Visitation will follow the service.

Dodson died Thursday, March 15, 2012, in Decatur.

Born Feb. 25, 1917, in Decatur to Charles D. and Marvel (Harper) Christian, she was a homemaker. She earned her bachelor's degree from Texas State College for Women in Denton and married Ralph Jordan Dodson June 7, 1939.

Dodson was a member of the Methodist Church for 67 years and volunteered for its "Christmas Cheer" program. Her hobbies were antiquing and gardening.

Dodson was preceded in death by her husband on March 11, 2001; sister Nancy Christian Miluck; and brother John Harper Christian.

She is survived by sons Derrell Dodson and wife, Teresa, of Graham and David Dodson and wife, Carolyn, of Decatur; and daughter Nell Ann McBroom and husband, Dennis, of Nocona.

Grandchildren include Denise Pope and husband, Dan, of Lubbock; Drew Dodson and wife, Jana, of Richardson; Dahlem Dodson and wife, Amy, of Dallas; Lisa Dodson of Conroe; Randi McBroom of Dallas; Jenna Luedecke and husband, Zac, of Decatur; Sean Williams and wife, Amy, of Decatur; and Shane Williams and wife, Melissa, of Houston.

Great-grandchildren include Christian, Mark, Wesley and James Dodson; Manning and Ann-Claire Pope; Melissa, Meredith and Davis Dodson; Luke Deifendorf; Gennifer, Emily, Patrick and Aubrey Williams; Reagan and Dustin Williams; and Zane and Zander Luedecke.

Memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church, Building Fund, P.O. Box 302, Decatur, TX 76234, or to a charity of choice.