Marguerite Johnston Ewart 1920-2009

Marguerite Johnston Ewart, 88, of Tellico Plains, TN died in Sweetwater, TN on February 2, 2009 after a brief illness. She was born in Memphis, TN on March 2, 1920. She married James Orren Ewart on January 12, 1941 in Memphis and had two children (Robert Orren Ewart and Nancy Ewart Hammons).



Marguerite was an active choir member of Buntyn Presbyterian Church in Memphis, taught Sunday School, was a Girl Scout Troop Leader and was well known for her vivacity, gracious hospitality, as well as sewing and knitting skills. She enjoyed traveling, camping, swimming, boating, dancing, bridge and people.

Marguerite and Jim were members and officers of the Avion Travel Club and traveled extensively throughout the United States, Canada and Mexico.

Marguerite also lived in Nesbit , MS , Zephyrhills , FL , and, most recently, Tellico Plains , TN where she was a member of Center Presbyterian Church. She was preceded in death by her parents, George Sim and Marguerite Johnston, her husband, Jim Ewart, and siblings, Ruth Johnston Worthington and George Sim Johnston. She is survived by her children and their spouses, four grandchildren, three great grandchildren, two nieces and four nephews as well as numerous grand nieces and nephews.

Her ashes and those of her husband will be interred at Forest Hills Cemetery in Memphis later this spring.