



Elizabeth (Martha) Mayo Chinnery

July 16, 1928 - December 15, 2014

Elizabeth (Martha) Mayo Chinnery of Sun City Center passed away on December 15, 2014.

Martha was born in Paris, Tennessee on July 16, 1928 to the late Thomas Dinwiddie White and Miriam Cooper White. She spent her childhood in Memphis, Tennessee. She married Frank Harvey, Jr. in 1948 and lived in Tupelo, Mississippi. He passed away in 1978.

During one of her many RV travels she met Donald Chinnery of Waupaca, Wisconsin in 1984. They were married in 1986 and lived in Asheville, North Carolina for several years before moving to Sun City Center in 1999. They enjoyed RV trips throughout the United States and travel to other counties.

Martha enjoyed working jigsaw puzzles and completed many beautiful needlework pieces. She was a member of the Counted Cross Stitchers and the Memoir Writers Group.

She is survived by Don Chinnery, her husband of 28 years; son Andrew (Drew) Harvey; granddaughters Caitlin Harvey, Amanda Harvey and Laura Harvey; nephews Curtis and Joseph Skinner; nieces Miriam (Mimi) Newman and Marcy Loy; daughter-in-law Jean Spraker; and step son and step granddaughter Dan and Jessica Chinnery.

She was predeceased by her son Thomas Harvey and her sister Miriam White.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Sun City Center Emergency Squad.

Comments



“ Very sorry to hear my dear aunt has died. She was scary smart, super observant and always made us laugh a LOT with her many stories from her travels with Don, working at Head Start, growing up in Tennessee, and life in Tupelo with Uncle Frank and my cousins Drew and Tom. Among the many things I remember her as being adept at was boxing cats (that would be getting a cat in a box, not in the ring, apparently something one does when one travels a lot), and she was even better at describing, in hilarious detail, the execution of this task. She always liked to see new things, which made her delightful company when she would come out to New Mexico to visit; it's always fun to have someone around who's having fun. She will be missed.

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