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Obituaries

Alice L. Beckham

Graveside services for Alice Ligon Crowder Beckham, age 90, were held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, April 26, 2011 in the Greenbrier United Methodist Church Cemetery conducted by Reverend Ellen A. Younker. The family received friends from 5-7 p.m. on Monday evening at Pope Funeral Home.

Mrs. Beckham died at Buckingham South in Savannah, Ga. on April 21, 2011. Twice widowed, she was the wife of the late James Edward Crowder Jr., who was KIA in the Pacific Theater in 1945, and the late David R. Beckham Sr. She was born in Fairfield County on July 3, 1920, the daughter of the late W. W. and Ruby Platt Ligon. Mrs. Beckham was a graduate of Greenbrier High School and the University of South Carolina. She worked as a teacher and for the Bank of Fairfield. She also was a lifelong member of Greenbrier United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Beckham is survived by one son, James Edward Crowder III and his wife Ann of Savannah, Ga.; one step son, Dr. David Beckham and his wife Mitzi of Lexington, S.C.; one step daughter, Ann Beckham Stewart of Winnsboro one sister, Margare Campbell of Reidsville N.C.; two grandchildren Alice Ann Crowder and her husband Andy White of Easley, S.C., James Edward Crowder IV and his wife Melissa of Gastonia N.C.; and four grandchildren, James Edward Crowder V, Joshua Crowder, Lily Crowder-White and Noah Crowder White.

In addition to her husbands, Mrs. Beckham was predeceased by five sisters, Abbie Arrant Ruby Castles, Elizabeth Brown, Doris Mim Mary Chapman; and one step son-in-law, Sam Stewart.

Online condolences may be sent to the Beckham family at www.popefuneralhomesc.com.

Pope Funeral Home serving the Beckham family.