



## Miss Katharine Ruth Peek

December 19, 1918 - July 4, 2011

Katharine Ruth Peek, 92, of Mars Hill died Monday, July 4, 2011, at Madison Health and Rehabilitation Center following a period of declining health. A native of Asheville, she was the daughter of the late Will West Peek, Sr., and Hattie A. Ebbs Peek. In addition to her parents, two brothers, Cauley J. Peek and Will West Peek, Jr., and three sisters, Louise P. Simpson, Evelyn P. Coates and Hattie P. Webb, preceded her in death.

Katharine served in the US Navy during World War II. She trained in the first class of X-Ray technicians to specialize in nuclear medicine at Mercy Hospital in Charlotte. Following a long career, she retired from Mercy Hospital in 1973. She was a member of the American Legion Post 376, Sunrise Baptist Church in Asheville, and Peek's Chapel Baptist Church in Mars Hill.

She is survived by her sister Evelyn's children who considered her their devoted and loving second mother: Patti Stevens and her husband Steve of Asheville; Katy Robinson and her husband Sam of Marshall; Diana Robinson of Weaverville; Melissa Shepard and Steve Coates, both of Mars Hill; two sisters-in-law, Ilena Peek of Candler and Billie Peek of Weaverville; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A graveside service will be held at 11:00 AM, Thursday, July 7, 2011, at Oakdale Cemetery, Hwy 64W, Hendersonville, with Rev. Stanley Peek

officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Care Partners Hospice PO Box 25338, Asheville, NC 28813 or Madison Health and Rehabilitation Center, Activity Dept., 345 Manor Road, Mars Hill, NC 28754.

Morris Funeral Home, 304 Merrimon Avenue is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakdale Cemetery

Hwy 64 West  
Hendersonville, NC 28739

# Previous Events

## Service

JUL 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Miss Katharine Ruth Peek*

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October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM