



Mable Loraine Norris

March 28, 1917 - December 6, 2014

Mable Loraine Norris, 97 was welcomed into the presence of the Lord Jesus with a heavenly exclamation of "Well done, good and faithful servant" on December 1, 2014 when she died from natural causes.

Mable was born on March 28, 1917 near Huntsville, Texas. Parents Jeff and Celeste Small, husband Willard, Sister Maudie Logan, and Brother Jimmy Small preceded Mable in death. She is survived by nieces Mildred Hearne and Pauline Coburn and nephews Wayne Small, Paul Small and Fred Small.

Mable graduated from Huntsville High School in 1938 the same year she married the love of her life, Willard with whom she shared sixty-nine years of love and adventure. Mable faithfully supported her husband throughout his military career of twenty-seven years, including World War II and the Korean Conflict. Willard always credited Mable's answered prayers and those of his mother, with his survival through the bitter fighting he experienced as an Infantryman.

Mable accompanied her husband to military posts and assignments in the United States and Europe and the Army bestowed the distinction of "Ideal Army Wife." She was always available to counsel and encourage other wives. Her pleasant personality and good humor made her a favorite person to people wherever she lived. She leaves countless friends to mourn her

passing.

After her husband's retirement from the Army, they settled in Burnet, Texas where Mable became active in church and community affairs. She served over twenty years in the United Methodist Church as a Sunday School Teacher, Lay Witness Coordinator and on the Counsel of Ministry and most recently at Church of the Hills in Cedar Park. After Willard's passing, she relocated to Huntsville, Texas and resided at Huntsville Health Care Center.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to Church of The Hills, 3502 Hatch Road, Cedar Park, Texas 78613.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM on Saturday, December 6, 2014 in the chapel at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Huntsville, Texas. The family will receive friends at the conclusion of the service.

Memorial condolences may be made to the family online at www.shmfh.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mable Loraine Norris*

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“ *"Precious in the sight of The Lord is the death of His saints."
Psalm 116:15*

Mabel has stood the test of time, and remained faithful to God. It is hard to imagine this Earth without Mabel - her prayers were unceasing and her love for others so deep. The Lord has declared that her work o Earth is finished, and He has received her into His loving arms forever and ever.

Willard and Mabel were not able to have children of their own. In Church of the Hills, Willard and Mabel spoke into the lives of the children, showing them unconditional love. Mabel came to every baby shower, and her gift would often be a beautiful diaper bag, along with blessings for the little one to come. Each summer, they would come to youth camp to spend time with our children, loving, praying, and serving. I remember a conversation with Mabel, in which she told me that she believed her job in Heaven would be caring for all of the little ones who have been aborted. Now she has many little ones to love and care for - another example of how God works all things together for good. Thank You Lord, for Willard and Mabel's lives ... Examples of lives well lived, serving and living for You.

Pam Weller - December 20, 2014 at 09:02 AM

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“ My condolences to the Norris families. I'm sorry to hear about the loss of someone as well loved as Mable. Some Bible scriptures that have helped me during times of loss include Isaiah 26:19 and Psalms 37:29 which states "Your dead ones will live...They will rise up." And the Bible also says: "The righteous themselves will possess the earth and they will forever reside upon it." Therefore the Bible promises that there will be a time when we may be reunited with our loved ones lost in death by means of an earthly resurrection. This is further confirmed by John 5:28th which says "Do not marvel at this, because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out." This is possible thanks to Jesus Christ's ransom sacrifice. Thus we have a genuine hope of everlasting life in a world without wickedness or suffering. I hope these scriptures will be of some comfort to you. For more encouraging thoughts on this subject, please visit www.jw.org

Suny Mendoza - December 04, 2014 at 09:27 PM